

Quiz

Question #1

Instructions for Student

Read the question carefully and select the best answer.

Which of the following inferences about the speaker is **best** supported by the poem's first stanza (lines 1-4)?

I'm Nobody! Who are you?
Are you – Nobody – too?
Then there's a pair of us
Don't tell! they'd advertise – you know!

- ☐ A. The speaker assumes that the listener is on her side.
- ☐ B. The speaker wants to change her name to something unfamiliar.
- ☐ C. The speaker fears the judgment of others.
- ☐ D. The speaker is tired of being famous.

CA-CCSS:  CA.RL.8.1

Question #2

Instructions for Student

Read the question carefully and select the best answer.

The second stanza (lines 5-8) adds to the development of the poem **mainly** by

_____.

How dreary – to be – Somebody!
How public – like a Frog –
To tell one's name – the livelong June –
To an admiring Bog!

- ☐ A. sharing personal details from the speaker's own life
- ☐ B. suggesting that the poem takes place in June
- ☐ C. making it clear that the speaker of the poem is a frog
- ☐ D. further explaining why the speaker wouldn't want to be "Somebody"

CA-CCSS:  [CA.RL.8.1](#), [CA.RL.8.2](#)

CA-ELD:  [ELD.PI.8.6.a.Br](#), [ELD.PI.8.6.a.Em](#), [ELD.PI.8.6.a.Ex](#), [ELD.PI.8.6.b.Br](#), [ELD.PI.8.6.b.Em](#), [ELD.PI.8.6.b.Ex](#)

Question #3

Instructions for Student

Read the question carefully and select the best answer.

Which of the following selections **most closely** describes the speaker's opinion of audiences?

- ☐ A. She believes that it is necessary for a poet to have a wide audience.
- ☐ B. She thinks that audiences aren't very intelligent.
- ☐ C. She only wants an audience that is respectful and kind.
- ☐ D. She believes that having a wide audience is a sign of importance.

CA-CCSS:  [CA.RL.8.1, CA.RL.8.2](#)

CA-ELD:  [ELD.PI.8.6.a.Br, ELD.PI.8.6.a.Em, ELD.PI.8.6.a.Ex, ELD.PI.8.6.b.Br, ELD.PI.8.6.b.Em, ELD.PI.8.6.b.Ex](#)

Question #4

Instructions for Student

Read the question carefully and select the best answer.

Which line from the poem **best** supports the correct answer to Question 3?

- ☐ A. "I'm Nobody! Who are you?"
- ☐ B. "Are you – Nobody – too?"
- ☐ C. "How dreary – to be – Somebody!"
- ☐ D. "To an admiring Bog!"

CA-CCSS:  [CA.RL.8.1](#)

Question #5

Instructions for Student

Match each vocabulary word with its correct definition:

Word Options (5 of 5)

 advertise

 dreary

 bog

 livelong

 public

Definition	Word
dark or gloomy	
muddy or swampy ground	
to do something to get other people's attention	
exposed to open view	
entire or whole	

CA-CCSS:  [CA.L.8.4a](#)

CA-ELD:  [ELD.PI.8.6.c.Br](#), [ELD.PI.8.6.c.Em](#), [ELD.PI.8.6.c.Ex](#)