

## TASK 2

You will hear part of a programme. Read through the notes below and complete them by filling in gaps 10-18 according to what you hear. Gap 0 has been completed as an example. Now read the notes.

# THE REAL MEANING OF NURSERY RHYMES

London librarian Chris Roberts explains the forgotten meaning of the songs children sing

- Chris Roberts' book is called  
Heavy Words Lightly Thrown: the reason behind the rhyme.(0)
- According to the introduction, nursery rhymes are full of:  
\_\_\_\_\_ .(10)
- Children have only been seen as separate from adults for the last:  
\_\_\_\_\_ .(11)
- In the song Goosey Goosey Gander:  
- "Left leg" = \_\_\_\_\_ .(12)
- The song Bah Bah Black Sheep dates at least back to the  
\_\_\_\_\_ .(13)
- The little boy represents \_\_\_\_\_ .(14)
- The king is represented by the \_\_\_\_\_ .(15)
- The rhyme is all about paying \_\_\_\_\_ .(16)
- Sing a Song of Sixpence:
  - What they are baking in a pie: \_\_\_\_\_ .(17)
  - Anne Boleyn could be represented by \_\_\_\_\_ .(18)