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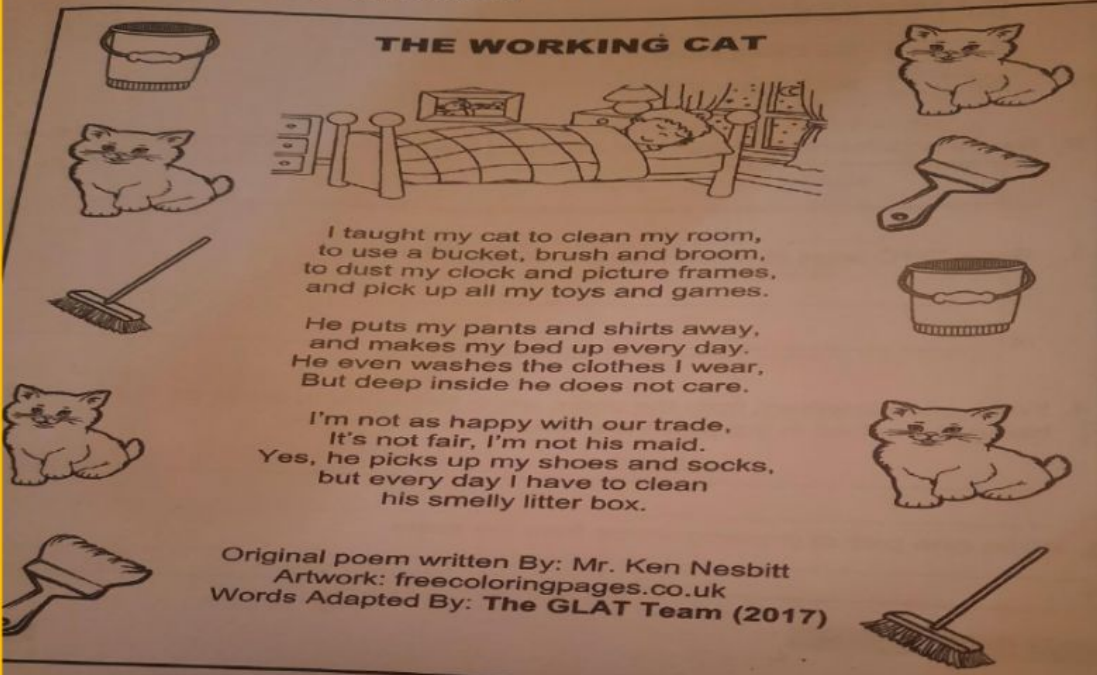
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Reading Comprehension

Read the following poem twice. Then answer the questions about the poem.

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THE WORKING CAT



I taught my cat to clean my room,
to use a bucket, brush and broom,
to dust my clock and picture frames,
and pick up all my toys and games.

He puts my pants and shirts away,
and makes my bed up every day.
He even washes the clothes I wear,
But deep inside he does not care.

I'm not as happy with our trade,
It's not fair, I'm not his maid.
Yes, he picks up my shoes and socks,
but every day I have to clean
his smelly litter box.

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Words Adapted By: **The GLAT Team (2017)**

1. The little boy trained the cat to clean _____ (1pt.)
 - (a) the bathroom
 - (b) the bedroom
 - (c) the dining room
 - (d) the living room
2. Based on information given in the poem, list one item that the cat used to clean the room. (1pt.)

3. State **TWO** ways in which the cat tidied up the room. (2pts.)

4. Write one pair of rhyming words from the poem. (1pt.)

5a. Could the actions carried out by the cat in the poem really happen? (1pt.)

Yes

No

5b. State one fact from the poem to support the answer you gave in (5a). (1pt.)

6. Drag the word from the box next to its correct meaning.(1pt each)

brush dust smelly trade

Meaning	Word
1. to exchange one thing for another	
2. to give off a strong unpleasant odor	
3. a tool used for cleaning	
4. the act of getting rid of dirt	

Read each statement. Decide whether it is a fact or an opinion. (1pt. each)

7. Cats make the best pets. _____

8. You can use a broom to sweep the floor. _____

9. Cleaning the room is alot of fun. _____

10.A maid cleans homes. _____