CHAPTER 13
The Circus

True or False Questions

1. The poem mentions an elephant performing in the circus. **(True / False)**
2. The circus horse is described as completely black in color. **(True / False)**
3. The acrobats perform on a stable platform. **(True / False)**
4. The educated dog performs by jumping through a hoop. **(True / False)**
5. The India-rubber man is part of the circus troupe. **(True / False)**

Fill in the Blanks

1. The circus horse is described as "_____."
2. The acrobats perform on the "_____ swing."
3. The educated dog jumps through a _____.
4. The lady mentioned carries a parasol and a _____.
5. The joyful _____ is part of the circus acts.

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Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the main theme of the poem?
    - A) A zoo visit
    - B) A circus performance
    - C) A school play
    - D) A street parade
2. How is the circus announced in the poem?
    - A) "Hurry up!"
    - B) "Hoop-la!"
    - C) "Welcome!"
    - D) "Step right in!"
3. What does the dappled horse do?
    - A) Jumps over fences
    - B) Gallops around the ring
    - C) Stands still
    - D) Dances on hind legs

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4. Which performer is described as "India-rubber"?

- A) The clown
- B) The acrobat
- C) A contortionist
- D) The juggler

5. What does the boy in the circus do?

- A) Feeds the animals
- B) Loops the loop
- C) Plays music
- D) Sells tickets

6. What does the lady Blondin carry?

- A) A basket and flowers
- B) A parasol and fan
- C) A whip and hat
- D) A balloon and stick

7. How do the tumbling men perform?

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- A) Slowly and carefully
- B) Up and down
- C) In complete silence
- D) Without any props

8. Which act involves jumping through a hoop?

- A) The elephant
- B) The educated dog
- C) The clown
- D) The horse

9. What creates excitement in the poem?

- A) The quiet audience
- B) The variety of acts
- C) The bad weather
- D) The empty tent

10. What is the mood of the poem?

- A) Sad and gloomy

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- B) Joyful and lively
- C) Serious and quiet
- D) Angry and loud

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