

# Learn**English** Teens

## **Literature UK: Cold Knap Lake – exercises**

Read the poem and then do these exercises to check your understanding.

1. Check your understanding: true or fa	Taise
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Circle True or False for these sentences.

1.	Lots of people were at the lake.	True	False
2.	The child died in the water.	True	False
3.	The poet's mother saved the child.	True	False
4.	Her mother was richly dressed.	True	False
5.	The people watching the scene shouted.	True	False
6.	The child came alive after receiving the kiss of life.	True	False
7.	The child's parents were happy to see her.	True	False
8.	The poet remembers the incident clearly.	True	False

### 2. Check your vocabulary: gap fill

Read Cold Knap Lake again and complete the gaps with a word from the box.

	webs	troubled	whistle	fingers	mud
1.	Was I there? Or is that	surface	e something else		
2.	shadowy under the	e dipped	of willows		
3.	where satiny	bloo	oms in cloudiness		
4.	after the treading,	heavy	of swans		
5.	as their wings beat	t and	on the air?		

#### **Discussion**

Did you like reading Cold Knap Lake? How did it make you feel?

What are your oldest memories?

Do you have a good memory?

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