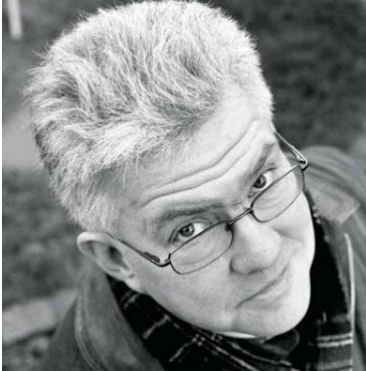


POETRY UNIT

TASK 5

Read this poem by Ian McMillan:



Ten Things Found in a Wizard's Pocket by Ian McMillan

A dark night.

Some words that nobody could ever spell.

A glass of water full to the top.

A large elephant.

A vest made from spider's webs.

A handkerchief the size of a car park.

A bill from the wand shop.

A bucket full of stars and planets, to mix with the dark night.

A bag of magic mints you can suck for ever.

A snoring rabbit.

Once you have read the poem a couple of times, complete the following activity...

- Write your own version of this poem... Choose a person's pocket to fill with your creative and imaginative ideas. Here are some ideas for you but of course, you can choose your own person if you would like to.

Ten things found in a.... teacher's pocket

mother's pocket

princess/prince's pocket

giant's pocket

shipwrecked sailor's pocket

artist's pocket

magician's pocket

alien's pocket



Maybe when you've finished your poem, you could write it up in best and illustrate it.