

# The Cupboard

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ This is a delightful little poem by Walter de la Mare. It describes a cupboard belonging to the little poet's Grandma. She keeps goodies locked up in it to give to him when she wants to reward him for having been a good little boy. It has lollypops and a dish of Banbury cakes. Read and explain the poem.</li> <li>➤ Recite the poem so that they students catch the pronunciation and the rhythm. Then ask four groups of the students to learn a stanza each and recite it. Correct them where required.</li> </ul>	<b>Read and Enjoy</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ A. Read and explain the exercise. The students can do it on their own.</li> <li>➤ B. Read the exercise and ask the students to find rhyming words. Do it orally first and then ask them to write the words down.</li> </ul>	<b>Read and Understand</b>
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