

Deepening Understanding  
LKS2 Poetry Text  
Targeted Inference Questions

*This set of questions is based upon the text 'The Bluebird's Song' by Emily Huntington Miller.*

Q1

Find and copy a phrase in the first stanza that suggests the song was familiar to the author.

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1 Mark

Q2

Explain why you think the bluebird is described as 'brave'.

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1 Mark



Q3

Why do you think the music *'leaps out from his throat'* ?

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1 Mark

Q4

Which words give you the impression that you need to pay close attention to the song?

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1 Mark

Q5

What does the phrase *'you must be weary of winter I know'* suggest?

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2 Marks



**Q6** Throughout the poem, how do you think the bird feels?  
Tick one.

concerned but optimistic

worried and anxious

positive and anxious

concerned and worried

1 Mark

**Q7** The bluebird can be seen as caring.  
Find two pieces of evidence that support this.

1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

2 Marks

**Q8** What impression does the author give about flowers in the winter?

Impression	Evidence

2 Marks

