

POEMS ABOUT LIFE SITUATIONS

My Messy Room!

Help! I can't seem to shut the door,
There's too much stuff on the floor.
Mum growls at me, "Tidy your room,"
I keep saying, "I'll do it soon."

My clothes are piled up so high
They can nearly touch the sky,
I probably should put away some things,
I'll start with my dolls, books, and rings.

Tidying my room just isn't fun,
I'm never going to get this done.
Wow, I found Barbie and my bear
That I've not seen in nearly a year!

I cleaned my room, it took all day,
Now I've got lots of time to play.
I guess tidying my room wasn't so bad
As best of all, now Mum isn't mad.

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How I Hate To Wait

I hate to wait for anything
Especially when I'm late -
I twiddle my thumbs
And tap and hum,
Oh how I hate to wait.

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Excuses

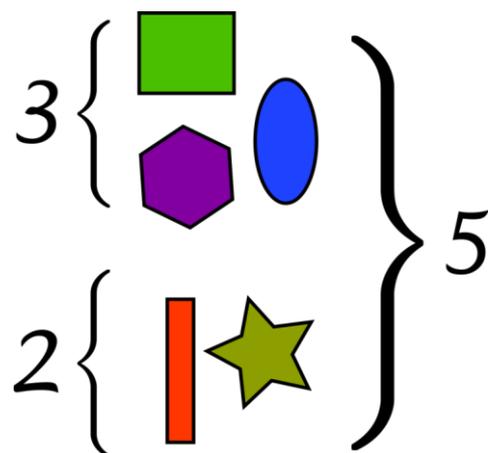
I think I'm in some trouble -
My homework is not done.
I got busy playing doodle jump
Which seemed like far more fun.
I could say, "The dog ate my homework,"
Or, "My sister ripped it to bits."
The teacher will never believe that,
Which is why I'm having fits.
Perhaps I should simply tell the truth
And just accept detention.
I'll say, "I'm sorry I left it at school!"
That would give her hypertension.
I need to stop making excuses
And do my homework instead.
Wait, was that the bell I heard?
Now I'm full of dread!
I walk glumly into my classroom
Not knowing what to say.
"Hello children, your teacher's sick,
I'll be relieving for the day."

You'll never believe what
happened Miss.....

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Shapes

I wish I was a shape
Then I could roll around,
Do whatever I want to
All over the ground.
One is called a rectangle
One is called a sphere,
Some are very straight,
Just like a square.
Some can roll on the ground,
Some flip upside down.
Some are very bumpy,
While some are very round.
The shape that I would choose to be,
I'm hesitant to say,
I don't want to upset the other shapes -
But it's the crescent all the way!



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