

Class - VI

Poem - The Quarrel

Subject - English

Honeysuckle

Working with the Poem

Q1. Guess the meaning of the underlined phrases.

(i) And somehow we fell out.

Ans. Quarrelled

(ii) The afternoon turned black.

Ans. Darkness began to spread.

Q2. Discuss what these lines mean?

(i) One thing led to another -

Ans. There was serious difference of opinion at first. Everyone was trying to prove himself ^{right}.

(ii) The start of it was slight -

Ans. The quarrel started with a mild cause.

(iii) The end of it was strong -

Ans. It ended with a serious cause. The discussion was hot.

(iv) The afternoon turned black -

Ans. The sun was going to set and became dark.

(v) Thumped me on the back -

Ans. Gave a pat on the back in a friendly mood.