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## Poetry Worksheet: The Naughty Boy

Read the poem then answer the questions below. Note the spelling and vocabulary words will be taken from this poem.

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## THE NAUGHTY BOY

There was a naughty boy,  
And a naughty boy was he.  
He ran away to Scotland,  
The people there to see –

Then he found  
That the ground  
Was as hard,  
That a yard  
Was as long,  
That a song  
Was as merry,  
That a cherry

Was as red,  
That lead  
Was as weighty,  
That fourscore  
Was as eighty,  
That a door was as wooden  
As in England—

So he stood in his shoes  
And he wondered,  
He wondered,  
He stood in his shoes,  
And he wondered.

By John Keats

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List of antonyms and synonyms – The Naughty Boy **Download**

1. Fill in the blanks:

a. The ground is as \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ as in \_\_\_\_\_.

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b. Lead is as \_\_\_\_\_ in the West Indies as in \_\_\_\_\_.

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c. The door in the picture is \_\_\_\_\_.

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d. Another name for eighty is \_\_\_\_\_.

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2. What did the little boy expect to find when he reached Scotland?

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3. Why did he stand and wonder and wonder?

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4. There is an error in each sentence below. Circle the error and write the correct spelling in the space provided

a. Martin broke the woodin railing when he fell down the stairs. -

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b. Mary sat on the park bench and onederd why she felt ill. -

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c. The suitcase felt a bit weightey. I could not carry it. -

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d. The group shouted “Mery Christmas” to each passing car. -

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5. Match the antonyms for each word below.

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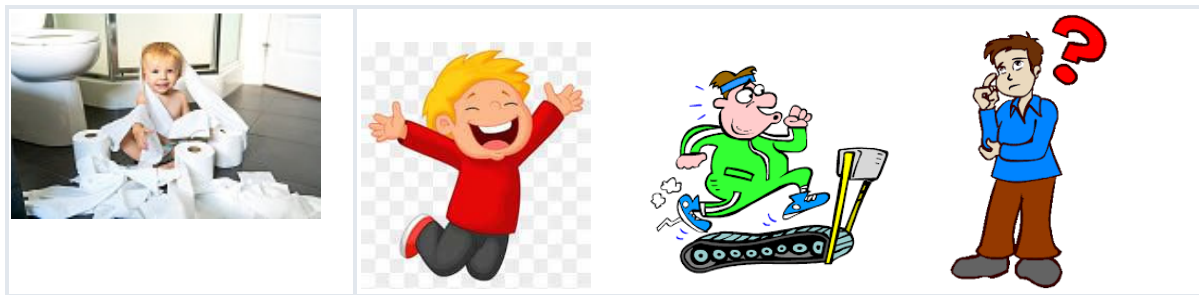
naughty      wondered      gloomy      found

obedient	
know	
lost	
merry	

6. Match the picture and words.

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weighty      merry      wondered      naughty



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7. Match the synonyms for the following words.

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rude      workshop      happy      build      weighty      floor

naughty	
found	
ground	
yard	
merry	
heavy	

8. Match the synonyms.

#### **SORT ELEMENTS**

eighty      pondered      wooden      improper

naughty	
wondered	
fourscore	
timber	

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9. Which word from the list below is not an antonym of the word “**merry**”?

- ☐ gloomy
- ☐ blithe
- ☐ sad
- ☐ miserable

10. Which word below is not a synonym of the word “**naughty**”?

- ☐ wayward
- ☐ mischievous
- ☐ roguish
- ☐ decent

11. For the list of words below add another word that matches the list.

#### **SORT ELEMENTS**

wayward	jocund	bulky	establish	lumber	good
rude, roguish, mischievous					
blight, merry, happy					
found, build, construct					
logs, planks, wood					
obedient, proper, respectful					
weighty, hefty, clumsy					