

Francis is reading a poem about how to be a better child.

Be a Better Me

Tom Lewis

To be a better me
I need to take care of my teeth
so that I can eat whatever healthy food I see

To be a better me
I will eat more peas
Mummy says they are good for my body

To be a better me
I always exercise my knees
so that I can walk and run freely

To be a better me
I read with fun and learn to foresee
any matter that may appear

To be a better me
I have to study as hard as a bee
so that I can get good results to show to Mummy

Thank you my dears for all of your care
I am grateful and I know
you are always here supporting me



1. Circle the name of the poet.
2. Underline a pair of rhyming words in the fifth stanza.



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A Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. What does the writer **NOT** mention in the poem?



A.



B.



C.




D.

2. Which of the following adjectives best describes the writer?

- A. moody
- B. negative
- C. positive
- D. funny

3. In the poem, the writer _____.

- A. is making some wishes
- B. wants everyone to be good
- C. makes a plan to improve himself
- D. thinks he should support his friends

 Generalise the idea of each stanza.

B Answer the questions in complete sentences.

4. Why does the writer study hard?

5. How does the writer feel about the people around him?

C Complete the mind map with the words from the text. Make sure your answers are grammatically correct.

