

Reynold Learning

Mr. Meerkat's

Poetry for Children

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Reader 5

- The Pirate Ship
- Puppy Fun
- The Snail

Primary Stage 1 - Grades 1 and 2

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The Pirate Ship

*"Look smart ye swabs"
Yelled the Captain
From the wheel*





*"The wind has changed
We swing about
This storm will test our keel"*

*"Ye scallywags
Climb up the mast
And tie the sails firm"*

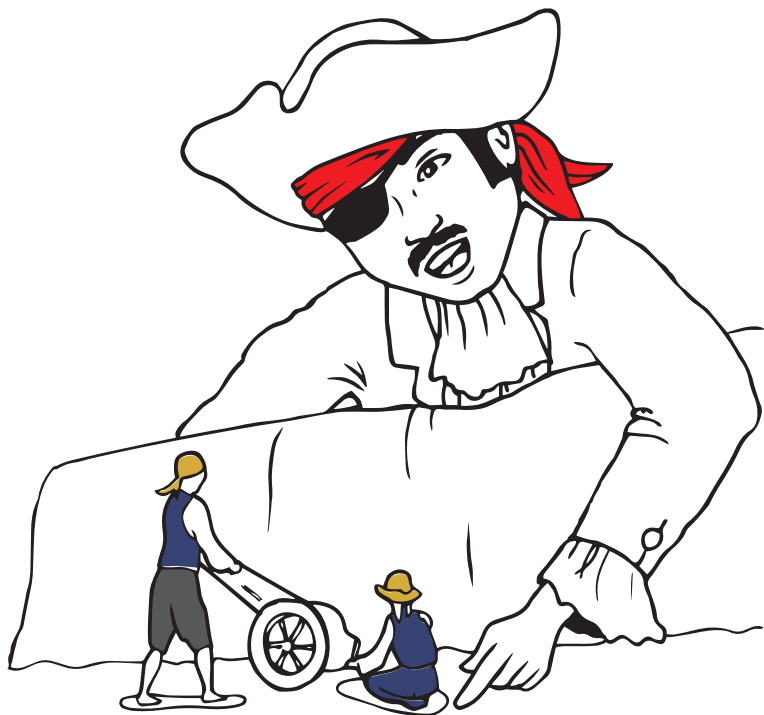




*"Make all secure
Down below
We're running
From the storm"*

Tom stood upon
His pirate bed
In hat
And sword at ready





*He gave his orders
To mates below
Toy pirates on deck
All steady*

*But storms at sea
Will have to wait
And to the side
Drop anchor*





*"Ye sailor swabs
Stand fast, I say
Me Mum's just called
For dinner"*