



The haunted house

1 Read the silly poem and answer the question. Why do you think the boy is looking out of the window?

Sitting on a pillow
looking through a window
how much do you know?

Do you want to live in a house
with a great grey mouse
in a big, big house?

Do you want to live on Mars,
which is very, very far,
and there aren't any cars?

Do you want to live on a log,
just like a green, green frog,
while all the dogs jog?

Do you want to live in a park
where a scary, scary shark
is living in the dark?

Sitting on a pillow
looking through a window
how much do you know?



Reading Worksheet

Name: _____

Grade: _____

2 Answer the questions. DON'T read the poem again.

- 1 Which words in the poem rhyme with 'log'?
- 2 Where does the great grey mouse live?
- 3 There aren't any _____ on Mars. What word is missing?
- 4 Where does the shark live?
- 5 What is the boy sitting on?

3 Now read the poem and check your answers in Activity 2.

4 Underline all the words with *ar* and circle all the words with *r*. Then write.

r: great

ar: Mars

5 In Activity 4, write more *r* and *ar* words.