

## “Spring is like a perhaps hand”

### **Simile**

Spring is like perhaps a hand...

Spring is like...in a window

#### **1.** Explain the similes.

Example: Spring comes quickly; it can be warm and gentle or it can be sudden and change quickly. Similarly, a hand can be a positive thing or a negative thing. It can move things and it can change things.

NOW, you explain the second simile...Spring is like a perhaps hand in a window.

### **Diction**

#### **2-4.** Find three examples of diction. Use the format I suggest to explain your answers.

Example: L.17-18 fraction/inch suggests small things happen during spring

### **Imagery**

#### **5.** Find any examples of imagery -lines that appeal to your senses?

**Tone** The author’s attitude towards the subject is playful as demonstrated by line 16-  
“moving a perhaps fraction of flower here...”.

## “Today”

### **Diction**

#### **6-8.** Find three examples of diction (word choice) and explain what they mean

Example: L.2 “intermittent” suggests something that comes and goes

### **Imagery**

#### **9-11.** Find three examples of imagery

Example: L. 7 “Cool brick paths” – sense of touch

### **Tone**

#### **12.** What is the tone of this poem? Follow my example in for the poem “Spring is like...” above.

