

Genre:  
poetry

Unit 6 Week 5  
What makes you  
laugh?

### Comprehension Strategy:

**Narrative Poem:** Narrative poetry tells a story and can have any number of lines and stanzas. A stanza is a group of lines that form part of a poem and often has rhyme and rhythm.

### Comprehension Skill:

**Point of View:** Point of view in a poem is what the narrator thinks about an event, a thing, or a person. Look for details that show the narrator's point of view.

### Vocabulary Strategy:

**Idioms:** An idiom is a group of words that mean something different from the usual meaning of each word in it. The phrase *lend a hand* is an idiom. It doesn't mean "to give someone your hand". It means "to help someone do something".

### Spelling List:

1. careful
2. cheerful
3. helpful
4. colorful
5. harmful
6. pitiful
7. painless
8. priceless
9. helpless
10. sleepless
11. rainless
12. helplessly
13. peacefully
14. carefully
15. wisely
16. later
17. declare
18. partner
19. wonderful
20. cloudless

### Vocabulary:

**entertainment:** something that interests and amuses.

**humorous:** something funny and makes people laugh.

**ridiculous:** very silly or foolish.

**slithered:** slid or glided like a snake

