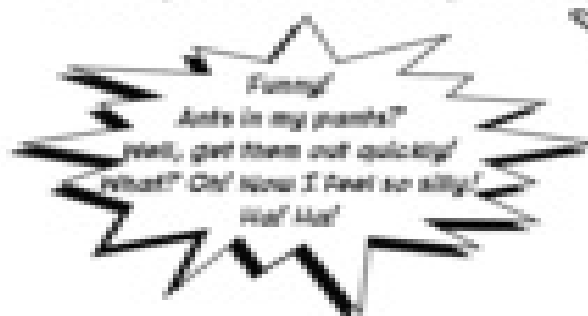


Say What?

Read the poem. Then answer the questions.



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1. Who could have written this poem? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is the tone or mood of the poem? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What type of phrase is "ants in my pants"? \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. What did the author not understand about that phrase? \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. How did the author feel once she correctly understood the phrase? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. What other phrases do you know that might confuse the author? \_\_\_\_\_  
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