

## Amanda

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Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow by choosing the most appropriate alternative from those given below:

(1)

I am Rapunzel, I have not a care;  
Life in a tower is tranquil and rare;  
I'll certainly never let down my bright hair!

Question 1.

'I' here refers to

- (a) poet's assistant
- (b) poet
- (c) Amanda's mother
- (d) Amanda

▼ [Answer](#)

(d) Amanda

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Question 2.

Amanda thinks that she'll never let down her

- (a) white hair
- (b) bright hair
- (c) yellow hair
- (d) bronze hair

▼ [Answer](#)

(b) bright hair

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Question 3.

To her, life is calm and rare in

- (a) a tower
- (b) cosy room
- (c) hotel
- (d) villa

▼ [Answer](#)

(a) a tower

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Question 4.

The word 'tranquil' means

- (a) reject
- (b) rapid
- (c) calm
- (d) accept

▼ [Answer](#)

(c) calm

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(2)

Did you finish your homework, Amanda?  
Did you tidy your room, Amanda?  
I thought I told you to clean your shoes  
Amanda!

Question 1.

'I' here refers to

- (a) Amanda
- (b) Amanda's friend
- (c) Amanda's mother
- (d) Amanda's sister

▼ [Answer](#)

- (c) Amanda's mother
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Question 2.

Amanda is supposed to finish

- (a) her drawing
- (b) her homework
- (c) her game
- (d) her chase

▼ [Answer](#)

- (b) her homework
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Question 3.

She is being instructed to

- (a) clean her room
- (b) clean her uniform
- (c) wash the dress
- (d) lit the candle

▼ [Answer](#)

- (a) clean her room
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Question 4.

The word 'tidy' means

- (a) warned
- (b) opposed
- (c) supposed
- (d) arranged

▼ [Answer](#)

- (d) arranged
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(3)

Stop that sulking at once Amanda!  
You 're always so moody, Amanda!  
Anyone would think that I nagged at you,  
Amanda!

Question 1.

'I' here refers to

- (a) Amanda
- (b) Amanda's mother
- (c) Poet
- (d) Amanda's friend

▼ [Answer](#)

(b) Amanda's mother

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Question 2.

Who is asked to stop sulking?

- (a) Amanda
- (b) Poet
- (c) Amanda's mother
- (d) Poet's friend

▼ [Answer](#)

(a) Amanda

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Question 3.

Amaida's mother is nagging at

- (a) her pet
- (b) her servant
- (c) Amanda
- (d) Amanda's friend

▼ [Answer](#)

(c) Amanda

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Question 4.

The word 'nagged' means

- (a) destroyed
- (b) annoyed
- (c) attacked
- (d) cut

▼ [Answer](#)

(b) annoyed

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(4)

Don, eat that chocolate, Amanda!

Remember your acne, Amanda!

Will you please look at me when I'm speaking to you,  
Amanda!

Question 1.

'me' here stands for

- (a) Amanda
- (b) Her teacher
- (c) Amanda's mother
- (d) Her friend



▼ Answer

(c) Amanda's mother

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Question 2.

Amanda is supposed to look at her mother when

- (a) She's making tea
- (b) She's talking to her
- (c) She's wiping the dress
- (d) She's walking

▼ Answer

(b) She's talking to her

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Question 3.

Eating chocolate is not advisable to her due to

- (a) pimples
- (b) illness
- (c) bitter taste
- (d) wrong idea

▼ Answer

(a) pimples

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Question 4.

Acne is a disease which is marked by

- (a) sores
- (b) wounds
- (c) scars
- (d) pimples

▼ Answer

(d) pimples

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(5)

Don bite your nails, Amanda!

Don't hunch your shoulders, Amanda!

Stop that slouching and sit up straight.

Amanda!

Question 1.

Who composed these lines ?

- (a) Robert Frost
- (b) Robin Klein
- (c) W.B. Yeats
- (d) John Berryman

▼ Answer

(a) Robert Frost

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Question 2.

Amanda is asked not to

- (a) lit the candle
- (b) wipe out fire
- (c) bite her nails
- (d) skip the meals

▼ [Answer](#)

- (c) bite her nails
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Question 3.

She is instructed to

- (a) eat meals
- (b) take tea
- (c) blow the fire out
- (d) sit up straight

▼ [Answer](#)

- (d) sit up straight
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Question 4.

The word 'slouching' means.

- (a) sitting lazily
- (b) standing awkwardly
- (c) playing uselessly
- (d) skipping fondly

▼ [Answer](#)

- (a) sitting lazily
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