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A Toad's Tool

By Neal Levin

A toadstool is a toad's tool

For keeping rather dry,

For hiding from the raindrops



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For having toad-all fun.



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1. What is this poem mostly about?
 - a. how toads make toadstools
 - b. what toads do when it rains
 - c. how toads play
 - d. what toads do with toadstools



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3. Write two pairs of rhyming words from this poem.

_____ and _____

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Match each vocabulary word on the left with the definition on the right.

1. _____ toad

a. trying not to be found



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5. _____ area

e. place; piece of ground

6. _____ hiding

f. bits of water falling from the sky

7. _____ sun

g. an umbrella-shaped fungus, like a mushroom

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