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Bicycle Built for two

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The Poem throws light on the longing of an eel to ride a bicycle. It is determined to ride on a wheel. It tries really hard, however does not get success. In order to ride the bicycle - it makes multiple efforts, however is not able to ride the bicycle properly. It manages to sit on the seat of the bicycle but cannot hit both the pedals of the bicycle.

Later, he tries to jump and hangs itself over the top of the bicycle. Then it faces another issue i.e. it keeps on riding nevertheless. It cannot stop now. Another problem is how it would steer the bicycle. Chances are it might flop.

In the meantime, there is another eel who was also the neighbour of first eel. It observing this humorous affair and suggested a brilliant idea. It proposed that both of them will fasten their waists with a bottle green belt and

strap it firmly. Thereafter, they will hop on over the seat and squirm so that they both can paddle using their tails and ride the bicycle. And there they were, all set to live their dream and ride the bicycle as they longed in the beginning of the poem.

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Get Going.

A.

1. What did the eel want to do? Why couldn't he do it?

The eel want to ride the bicycle. ~~They~~ he couldn't do it because of the bodily structures.

2. What ~~was~~ plan was devised by the neighbour to solve the problem?

His neighbour, who was also an eel, said that they could wrap a belt around both theirs and fasten it with strap. In this manner each ~~eel~~ eel could pedal one side of bicycle

3. Identify four pair of words from the poem that make minimal pairs

Ans. eel - wheel
 might - right
 fun - done
 side - tide

Q. B. 1. What do you understand by the line, 'That two heads are better than one'.

'That two heads are better than one' means that when two people work together solve a problem, they are more likely to find a solution than when one person works alone.

2. What do 'the fun' and 'the thing' refer in the following lines?

In these lines 'the fun' refers to the neighbour's observation of the ambitious young eel failing over

while attempting to ride the bicycle.
'The thing' refers to the act of riding a bicycle successfully.

- Q. 1. Do you think the poem has a moral for the readers? If so what is it?

The moral of ~~story~~^{poem} is that we shouldn't give up and Unity is the Power of strength.

2. ~~What~~ What else do you think could be the solution to the eel's problem in the poem?

Ans. We can bought an electrical bicycle were eel will sit and bicycle will run by himself.