

2nd Class Starlight Answers Week 1

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1. The title of the poem is "Happy Birthday to You!".
2. The poet is Dr. Seuss.
3. Sour gooseberry jam is mentioned in the poem.
4. The worst thing you could be is a Wasn't.
5. The last line of the poem is "If I say so myself, HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ME!".

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Thank goodness I'm not just a clam or a ham

Or a dusty old jar of sour gooseberry jam!

I am what I am! That's a great thing to be!

If I say so myself, HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ME!

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These are opinion pieces so the following is an example of what could be written.

1. Yes, I think the poet thinks you should be happy to be yourself because in the 3rd verse he says "I'm lucky to be what I am! I am lucky I'm not a clam or a ham".
2. The poet thinks that everyone is unique (meaning different and special). In the 3rd verse he says "there is no-one alive more you-er than you!".

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Toad	Clam	Doorknob
		