

6th Standard English

What if

There are times when fears and doubts fill our minds and we begin to think what if something unpleasant happens. The poet has written this poem about it.

“Last night I lay in bed thinking. I wondered what would happen if I am dumb in school ? What if they don't let me enter the swimming pool and beat me ? May be, someone puts poison in my cup. Who knows I might start crying, get sick and die. ? Am I going to fail the test ?

There can be other mishappenings. I may grow green hair on my chest and am disliked by all. I may be a victim of lightning. I may not grow taller and in stead begin to grow smaller. The wind may tear my kite.

There may be a war; my parents might get divorced. All such ideas go on increasing in number and I remain disturbed.”