

WHAT I HOPE
YOU
ACHIEVED!



“THE HIGHWAYMAN”
~ ALFRED NOYES ~

1. Circle the synonyms (words that mean nearly the same) **for 'torrent'**

flow

rush

blood

flood

words

people

water

surge

2. Any circled synonym will fit into the spaces – you are okay to chose!

The wind was a _____ of darkness.

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3. Choose a synonym that you have circled to complete each sentence (add -ed if you need.

People _____ towards the place of safety.

Blood _____ to her face.

Dark water _____ into the sinking ship.

Words _____ from his mouth.

3. Again, any circled synonym with an 'ed' ending will complete each sentence.

4. Use an online dictionary or thesaurus to find replacement words (synonyms) for:

- ghostly
- gusty
- ribbon

We found a ton!

ghostly
unearthly
spectral
phantom-like
wraith-like
unnatural
spooky
supernatural

gusty
blustery
breezy
windy
tempestuous
turbulent
violent
stormy
wild
blowy

ribbon
strip
piece
strand
streamer
tape

Describing fashion – and making it sound irresistible to your reader!

1. You choose a 'fashion king/queen' and you tried to describe them in the style of the 2nd stanza of the poem



I chose the circled lady. Here's what I wrote, and I nicked a lot from the second stanza of the poem:

He'd a French cocked-hat on his forehead,
a bunch of lace at his chin,
A coat of the claret velvet,
and breeches of brown doe-skin;
They fitted with never a wrinkle:
his boots were up to the thigh!
And he rode with a jewelled twinkle,
His pistol butts a-twinkle,
His rapier hilt a-twinkle, under the jewelled sky.

She'd a golden phone in her right hand,
and a midnight-black bag in her right:
a dress of shimmering sunlight,
and shoes that reflected the light:
Her eyes shone bright in the sunshine,
and her smile was soft as a kiss.
And she walked with a glittery sparkle.
Her nails were a glittery sparkle
Her lips were a glittery sparkle,
under the bright blue sky.

I hope you had fun with this. I know it's tough to
do it at home.

Message me if you need.

Much love.

Mrs C