

Recall

1. What colour is the dragon's skin?

green

2. What makes the dragon laugh?

tickling his belly

3. Which word is used to describe the dragon's teeth? Tick one.

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long

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bumpy

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rough

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sharp

Vocabulary

1. Find and copy a word that means small.

tiny

2. 'that he swishes from side to side'

What is the dragon doing with his tail?

moving it from side to side (wagging it like a dog)

3. 'so that he can hover at my window.'
What does the word hover mean?

It means to stay in one place in the air

(by flapping your wings very quickly)

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Inference

1. Why do you think that the dragon doesn't use his sharp teeth on people?

Because he is owned by a person so he likes people

(or similar)

2. Do you think that the dragon is happy?
Circle your answer

YES NO

What things mentioned in the poem make you think this?

Answers may vary but must refer to the poem to explain:

I think the dragon is happy because he is wagging his tail like a dog and dogs only wag their tail when they are happy. He is happy because he is laughing (when he is tickled). The dragon is happy because otherwise he could fly away if he didn't want to stay. He doesn't eat people.

3. 'My mum doesn't agree!'

Why might mum think that it is not a good idea to have a dragon?

Answers will vary but answers must give plausible reasons as to why it would not be a good idea to have a dragon. e.g:
it makes a mess
it is too large
it burns things

Sequencing

1. Match the adjective with the noun that it is describing.
One is matched for you.

