

Winter is often

symbolic of winter happy times such as happiness, time

The co-ordinating conjunction is usually used as a connective between two ideas. reflect poem rather than an individual poem

EXCERPT FROM THE PRELUDE

Past tense: reflect the shortness of day are too short

Rural Imagery Not listening to his mother telling him to go back home

He is excited and full of energy and out with his friends

Adjective suggest friendship, hide from a parent as secret act

refer to when children were having fun, show a direct comparison between human and nature

The Prelude was an epic poem into split into three parts

Part 1 and 2 is written

This excerpt is written by an adult who is looking back nostalgically on his childhood memories

The adult narrator then reflects on nature and suggest that humans are distrupted from it

distanced from it

Part 1 was almost the 400 pages long!

# Excerpt from The Prelude

And in the frosty season, when the sun  
 Was set, and visible for many a mile  
 The cottage windows through the twilight blaz'd,  
 I heeded not the summons: - happy time  
 It was, indeed, for all of us; to me  
 It was a time of rapture: clear and loud  
 The village clock toll'd six; I wheel'd about,  
 Proud and exulting, like an untir'd horse,  
 That cares not for his home. - All shod with steel,  
 We hiss'd along the polish'd ice, in games  
 Confederate, imitative of the chace  
 And woodland pleasures, the resounding horn,  
 The Pack loud bellowing, and the hunted hare.  
 So through the darkness and the cold we flew,  
 And not a voice was idle; with the din,  
 Meanwhile, the precipices rang aloud,  
 The leafless trees, and every icy crag  
 Tinkled like iron, while the distant hills  
 Into the tumult sent an alien sound  
 Of melancholy, not unnoticed, while the stars,  
 Eastward, were sparkling clear, and in the west  
 The orange sky of evening died away.

Adjective creates an image of winter and child happiness  
 Winter time, sun is setting  
 Juxtaposition 'frosty' was connotation refer to the time between day of warm light and darkness  
 suggest on intense heat or gleam The light is emitting throughout the darkness.  
 indicate a joyful, exciting childhood group.  
 Past verb implies his friendship  
 It was time of happiness  
 Sense of intense ecstasy. Biblical cannot go to heaven.  
 how excited narrator feels  
 freedom, youth  
 Full of energy and nothing can stop skating his feeling along the ice  
 Sibilance: Create sound of the narrator  
 indicate the poet love and nature, wildlife  
 Connotations of wolves or dog, suggest children are together  
 Emphasise the atmosphere of winter  
 Not a voice was lazy, shout aloud out of breathe  
 Steep cliff. Nature is overpowering  
 simile  
 Full of life  
 People don't understand it the forest is. Juxtaposition could reflect the narrator mixed emotions He is overcome with sight of nature  
 sound  
 melancholy  
 lot of loud and overpower sadness  
 noise thought as childish and wild atmosphere  
 physical sh  
 ow size of cycle  
 The end of the the day = sunset the stars mention  
 of nature its indicate a beginning and ending  
 But he died before writing 3  
 Romantic poet which means he loved nature. This was an autobiographical poem that he started writing when he was 29 years old.  
 There is a first-person narrative reflect the autobiographical nature of the poem.  
 The blank verse and enjambment create a regular rhythm, which makes the poem sound like natural speech. There are two section in this excerpt:  
 1) The first focuses on fun the children are having and tone is light and carefree