

Hearst Elementary

Our class has been reviewing popular nursery rhymes. Here is what the students said about why Jack and Jill were going to get the water and why Jack fell down:

“I think they were homeless. . . . He was dragging that bucket up the hill and when he fell no adult came,” said Charlie.

“I think they need it to water something like the grass,” said Abigail.

“We think they have no water, no milk and no juice in their home so they have to get water,” thought Zac and Aeseyah.

“They were thirsty,” thought Keven and several others.

“They are going to put it in the pipe for their sink,” thought Claire.

Nora, Jai, Avalon, and Malcolm thought “they were kind of bored and needed to cool off and wanted the water for a pool.”

Now, why did he fall? Several kids thought he fell because he tripped on rocks, sticks or his crown, or his shoes were untied. They also thought the hill was too high and he wasn't watching where he was going. Finally, Avalon thought that he fell because there was dew on the grass. Stay tuned for ways the king's men could have fixed Humpty Dumpty.

— Ms. Prince and Mrs. Whittaker's kindergarten class