

One, Two, Buckle My Shoe

by **Mother Goose** *from* The Real Mother Goose

One, two,
Buckle my shoe;
Three, four,
Knock at the door;
Five, six,
Pick up sticks;
Seven, eight,
Lay them straight;
Nine, ten,
A good, fat hen;
Eleven, twelve,
Dig and delve;
Thirteen, fourteen,
Maids a-courting;
Fifteen, sixteen,
Maids in the kitchen;
Seventeen, eighteen,
Maids a-waiting;
Nineteen, twenty,
My plate's empty.

Questions

1. Find two words in the poem that rhyme.
2. What numbers say, "Lay them straight"?
3. Who is in the kitchen?
4. Think of another line to follow the line "Nine, ten." Be sure and make it rhyme.