

## 5. évfolyam versei

### **Brownie**

**A. A. Milne**

In a corner of the bedroom is a great big curtain,  
Someone lives behind it, but I don't know who;  
I think it is a Brownie, but I'm not quite certain.  
(Nanny isn't certain, too.)

I looked behind the curtain, but he went so quickly-  
Brownies never wait to say, 'How do you do?'  
They wriggle off at once because thy're all so tickly.  
(Nanny says they're tickly, too.)

### **Growing up**

I've got shoes with grown-up laces,  
I've got knickers and a pair of braces,  
I'm all ready to run some races.  
Who's coming out with me?

I've got a nice new pair of braces,  
I've got shoes with new brown laces,  
I know wonderful paddly places.  
Who's coming out with me?

Every morning my new grace is,  
'Thank you, God, for my nice braces;  
I can tie my new brown laces.'  
Who's coming out with me?

### **The Christening**

What shall I call

My dear little dormouse?  
His eyes are small,  
But his tail is e-nor-mouse.

I sometimes call him Terrible John,  
'Cos his tail goes on-  
And on-  
And on.

And I sometimes call him Terrible Jack,  
'Cos his tail goes on to the end of his back.  
And I sometimes call him Terrible James,  
'Cos he says he likes me calling him names....

But i think I shall call him jim,  
'Cos I *am* fond of him.

**Mirror, mirror**  
**Linda Knaus & Kenn Nesbitt**

Mirror, mirror, by the sink,  
Tell me what you truly think.  
Am I fa tor am I thin?  
Will I lose or shoul I win?

Am I short? Perhaps too tall?  
Are my ears a bit too small?  
Is my nose exactly right?  
Do I have an overbite?

Am I weak or super strong?  
Is my hair too short or long?  
AM I smart or rather dumb?  
Can you say what I'll become?

Am I nerdy? Am I cool?  
Am I awful? Do I rule?

Am I great or do I stink?  
Mirror, mirror by the sink.