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Lesson: The Brook

(B)Reference to Context

1. "Them' refers to the gravel and the fish
2. The trout and the grayling.
3. It goes on forever because the brook joins the river, which might join other water bodies. They have no end
4. Men' refers to human beings in the poem. The poet tells the reader that man is mortal with a short lifespan and is destined to die at some point of time. The brook, however, has a continuous life, which will never end and go on forever. Nature is immortal, unlike human beings, and outlives them.

C. Answer the following questions

1. The poet describes the brook as being annoyed when it encounters curves along its banks as a result of which it erodes them.
2. The various places that fall in the path of the brook as it flows are-houses of birds, small villages, farms, uncultivated lands, lawns, and grassy plots.
3. The foamy flake is caused when the water moves in curves and strikes against stones. This flow of the brook makes the water swirl and form foams
4. The sun's rays that shine on the surface of water makes the brook sparkle
5. The sun rays filtering through the leaves and bushes make a net like pattern on the shallow water pools. They are reflected on the surface of water and appear to be dancing as the water flows