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“Mummy” Quiz

Directions: Read the poem “Mummy” in the April/May 2008 issue of *Storyworks*. Then fill in the circle next to the best answer for each question. For the last two questions, write your answers on a separate sheet of paper.

1. According to this poem, what is the size of a mummy?

- (A) tiny
- (B) small
- (C) medium
- (D) larger than life

2. What does the word “swaddled,” in the sixth line, mean?

- (A) ancient
- (B) elegant
- (C) wrapped
- (D) brown

3. What would the poet like the mummy to do?

- (A) dance
- (B) run
- (C) sing
- (D) talk

4. Which word could you substitute for “riddle” in the second-to-last line?

- (A) joke
- (B) challenge
- (C) sorrow
- (D) mystery

5. Write a question that could summarize the general idea of this poem.

6. What are the two different parts, or sides, of the mummy described in this poem?