

LATHCOATS FARM APPLE DAY POETRY COMPETITION FOR APPLE SHAPED POEMS ABOUT APPLES

FIRST PRIZE WINNER
AGE 6-8

Sarah Payne
Writtle Junior school

An apple is as red as a rose, in my lunch box it nicely goes
Pretty as a piece of gold and nice to eat when they are cold.
Popular apples sweet as a treat.
Lovely and juicy for me to eat.
Eat red juicy apples every day to make you healthy so you can play.

FIRST PRIZE WINNER
AGE 9-11
Rhiannon Williams
St. Cedds

In January the cold winds blow, tossing orchards to and fro.
February is oh so cold, No apples growing here I'm told.
March and the first rays of sunlight show, green shoots struggle to the light from the ground below.
April showers are on the way, I saw the first green leaf on the apple tree today.
Now it's May, it's really spring and the silver church bells begin to ring.
June is here and the first apples appear, small at first but soon to grow greater.
It's July and the apples are tinged with red, they hang from the tree and the leaves are their beds.
In August all is calm and fair, apples ripen up in the heat of the summer's glare.
September and the season's at it's height, apple-picking time is now in sight!
But October brings more icy rain, and the cold jaws of winter hold tight yet again.....

SECOND PRIZE

AGE 6-8

Lucy Kerwin

Galleywood Infant School

In our garden we have an apple tree

They are tasty and nice, come and taste some with me

Make an apple sauce with pork and peas

Or apple pie or crumble with custard for tea

And when you've finished, pick some more for me!

SECOND PRIZE

AGE 9-11

Conner Lewis

Baddow Hall Junior School

Apples are as crispy as a crisp

Apples are as soft as a pillow

Apples are as round as a football

Apples are as shiny as a silver.

Apples are as healthy as can be.

Apples are as green as grass.

Apples are as sharp as an edge.