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Read the poem and answer the questions below.

Madeline Ping

Tired old Madeline Ping

Decided to visit the King

But when she went out in the street

Everyone stared at her feet

(she had forgotten her shoes!)

Tired old Madeline Ping

Went home and found her shoes for the King

But when she got there the soldier said "Oh!

You can't see the King; your hair needs a bow!"

(she had forgotten her bow!)

Tired old Madeline Ping

Found a beautiful bow for the King

But when she arrived, the soldier said "Wait!!

You can't see the King; you are much too late!"

Tired old Madeline Ping

Went home and wrote a note to the King

"Please excuse me for not coming to tea;

It's much too hard for someone like me!"

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Question Sheet

1. When Madeline first went to visit the King, she forgot her:
 - a. Coat
 - b. Shoes
 - c. Hat
 - d. Wallet
2. The second time Madeline went to visit the King, the _____ reminded her that she didn't have her _____.
 - a. Soldier, bow
 - b. Soldier, shoes
 - c. King, tie
 - d. Archbishop, pajamas
3. The third time Madeline went to visit the King, she was:
 - a. Wearing a bow
 - b. Wearing pajamas
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