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## Blossoming Friendships in Autumn

### Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Why do you think the poet chose to compare new friendships to blooming flowers in the poem?
2. How does the change in seasons, as described in the poem, reflect the changes that happen in our lives?
3. What emotions or feelings do you think the poet is trying to convey in the poem?
4. Can you relate to the poem's theme of new beginnings and friendships? Explain why or why not.

