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Morning's Reluctance

Short Answer Key

1. The eyes meet the day reluctantly because they find it hard to leave the warmth and comfort of the bed and face the challenges of the day.
2. Dreams play a role by lingering behind, suggesting that they are still fresh in the mind and perhaps a source of reluctance to leave the dream world.
3. Answers will vary. Students can share personal experiences or thoughts related to their feelings in the morning.
4. Strategies to overcome reluctance might include setting a motivating goal for the day, practicing a morning routine that brings joy, or creating a positive atmosphere in the bedroom.
5. The mood of the Haiku reflects reluctance and a sense of difficulty in facing the new day, emphasizing the theme of the challenges of starting the day.

