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## Hearts in a Whirl: First Love's Rollercoaster

### Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Can you relate to the feelings of first love described in the poem? Share a personal experience or story if you'd like.
2. Why do you think the poet used metaphors like "rollercoaster" and "puzzle" to describe first love? How do these metaphors help convey the emotions of the poem?
3. What advice would you give to someone experiencing their first love, based on what you've learned from the poem?
4. How does the poem capture the magic and innocence of youth and first romantic experiences? What moments or lines in the poem stand out to you the most?

