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The Odd One Out

Short Answer Key

1. The speaker describes the world around them as a place of squares where they are a round peg.
2. The speaker views their own differences and quirks as something to embrace and be proud of.
3. The poem conveys the message that embracing uniqueness is important and that it's okay to be different from others.
4. The poem doesn't explicitly mention how the speaker responds to the whispers and stares of others.
5. "I'm the round peg, and I stand out" means that the speaker is proud of their uniqueness and doesn't conform to the expectations of others.

