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On the Way to School



Below is a draft plan for a poem titled **On the Way to School**. Think up similes to complete the poem. You can fill each gap with one word or more.

*I set off from home like a _____ ,
 Birds were singing as shrilly as whistles.
 I passed gardens as _____ as _____ .
 With fences as prickly as thistles.*

*My friend was as _____ as _____ .
 I told jokes that were as old as the hills.
 Passing cars looked like _____ .
 Below clouds like a curtain with frills.*

Now add another stanza with a simile on each line. Try to keep to the ABCB rhyming pattern.
