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## **BASED ON NCERT**

Chapter 6 Poem

The Way Through the Woods

By-Rudyard Kipling

## **OBJECTIVES**

In this chapter, we will: read and understand a nature poem. learn and identity words related to nature. learn about elements of poetry.

## **READING**

How would you feel if you were to pass through a dense forest alone at night? Would you fear only wild animals or anything else too? Read this poem, which describes the poets memories from the past when a road existed in the deep dense woods and the change that has taken place there over the years.

## Now read the poem

They shut the road through the woods Seventy years ago.

Weather and rain have undone it again, And now you would never know There was once a road through the woods Before they planted the trees.

It is underneath the coppice and heath, And the thin anemones.

Only the keeper sees
That, where the ring-dove broods,
And the badgers roll at ease,
There was once a road through the
woods.

Remaining part will be sent tomorrow