

## Neighbourhood

## Poems

The streets where you live are special places  
Every day brings friendly faces  
Children to play with, adults you know  
Who watch and help you as you grow.

So what can you do to keep it this way  
A place that's happy and safe to play?  
How can you help to keep it so good  
For those who live in your neighbourhood?

Some older people can feel left out  
When they need a hand just to get about.  
You could help them use the internet  
Or do their shopping if it's not done yet.

Some children might have problems in class  
Get stressed when there are exams to pass.  
You could help them understand a tricky part  
Or show them a way to make a start.

Some streets get messy with litter around  
Where people just throw things on the ground.  
You and your friends could make a bin  
For people to put recycling in.

We could do lots, let's start today!  
Visit a nursing home, sweep leaves away  
Collect old clothes for a charity store.  
There are so many ways to help others more.

That's what you can do to keep it this way  
A place that's happy and safe to play.  
You have the power to keep it good  
And help people in your neighbourhood.

