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# The Car Trip

by Ruth Donnelly

We are going on a trip.  
Not on a plane! Not in a ship!  
We will ride in our new car.  
Buckle up--we will go far.



Red light, stop. Green light, go.  
Yellow light means slow, slow, slow.  
Baby brother starts to fret.  
Sister says, "Are we there yet?"

Quiet, now. Don't make a peep.  
Baby brother's fast asleep.  
I'm as quiet as a mouse ...  
And here we are--at Grandma's house!



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5. What kind of car does the family have?

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| <b>a.</b> old car | <b>b.</b> slow car |
| <b>c.</b> new car | <b>d.</b> fast car |

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Color the stop light.

The top light is red.

The middle light is yellow.

The bottom light is green.

If you could go on a car trip, where would you want to go?

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Why would you want to go to this place?

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## ANSWER KEY

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1. Where is the family going?

to grandma's house (also accept "on a trip")

2. Who falls asleep in the poem?

baby brother

3. What does the yellow light mean?

drive slow (or slow, slow slow)

4. What does sister say?

"Are we there yet?"

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a. old car

b. slow car

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