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Of course, some of the points listed below will appear in weaker papers, but are unlikely to be developed.

1.

An adequate to good guided literary analysis will:

- show some awareness of audience
- explore the presentation of Murad's self definition
- comment on the diction, such as the use of synonyms and analogies
- show understanding of the argument.

A very good to excellent guided literary analysis may also:

- note the effect on the passage of an implied sense of an audience
- explore the complexity of the argument and use of counter argument
- discuss the effect of the rhetorical devices
- convey some sense of the difference between the high rhetorical stance and the actual subject.

2.

An adequate to good guided literary analysis will:

- show understanding of the situation described and the father's motivation for fire watching
- show awareness that the mother and father respond to the fire watching differently
- comment on the effect of the narrative voice.

A very good to excellent guided literary analysis may also:

- offer some more perceptive comment on the dimension of class implied in the poem
- show a more subtle appreciation of the subtext of the family relationships, *eg* how details of setting and behaviour indicate these
- explore the way the use of contrast helps to develop mood.