

## ***Wistful Wonder***

*Early in the morning,  
As the sun begins to rise,  
Covered in dewdrops,  
With azure eyes.*

*I float on nothingness,  
Across a vast sea,  
Just above the rushes,  
Enjoying being free.*

*I glide gracefully, glittering, through the air,  
Like a leaf dancing across the sky,  
Skimming the surface of the waterfall,  
Then, in a moment, soaring up high.*

*When darkness begins to gather,  
My wing beats gently slow,  
And away with the playful breeze,  
I drift to and fro.*

*I am a Dragonfly.*

## ***Unseen Attack***

*Stalking the forest,  
I follow my prey,  
Unseen, Silent,  
I must not delay.*

*For hours I hunt,  
Alone in the night,  
But I must return,  
At signs of first light.*

*If I stay out there,  
A moment too long,  
The hunters will find me,  
Then I will be gone.*

*I have the power,  
But I live in fear,  
Always uncertain,  
If danger is near.*

*I am a Jaguar.*

## ***A ripple of turquoise***

*In a shimmering wave,  
Of blue, grey and white,  
Scattering droplets,  
Far out of sight.*

*Just under the surface,  
In sparkling sunlight,  
I watch and I wait,  
A snake with a fearsome bite,*

*With a flick of my tail,  
My body twists effortlessly  
Like a knife,  
So smoothly and gracefully.*

*Quickly, carefully, we hide,  
Quiet in the shallows,  
Waiting for the boat to pass,  
Keeping to the shadows.*

*I am a Tucuxi.  
(tookooshe)*

### ***Tree top gymnastics***

*Balanced with care,*

*I melt into the background,*

*Slowly moving away,*

*Hoping not to be found.*

*I fly energetically through the air,*

*Like an acrobat on a trapeze,*

*Scampering quickly, away I run,*

*Disappearing into the trees.*

*The snake draws back its patterned head,*

*I close my eyes and leap,*

*This time I was lucky,*

*I sigh in relief.*

*The tall trees loom above me,*

*Casting shadows in every shape,*

*A city of bleak tower blocks,*

*Impossible to escape.*

*I am a monkey.*

*Lorna – Year 6*

