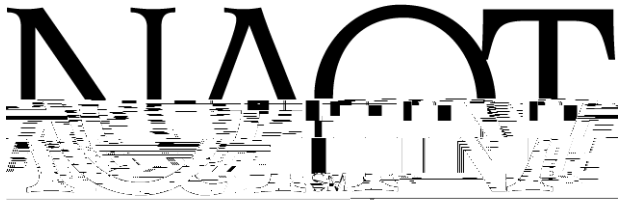


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9. This poem's title character advises " He prayeth best who loveth best / all things both great and small." For 10 points each—
- A. Name this poem whose title character describes how a dead albatross that he killed with a crossbow was placed around his neck.

answer: The







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24. The Chinese zodiac assigns an animal to each year, based on a repeating cycle. For 10 points each—

A. There are this many animals in the cycle of the Chinese zodiac, who were placed in order after competing in a race organized by the Jade Emperor.

answer: 12

B. February 1, 2022 marked the beginning of the year of this big cat with orange and black stripes.

answer: tiger (or Panthera tigris; accept Year of the Tiger)

C. This animal, the first in the zodiac, won the Jade Emperor's race by treacherously riding across a river on the ox's back with the cat, then pushing the cat into the water to drown and running ahead of the ox.

answer: rat (accept mouse)

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