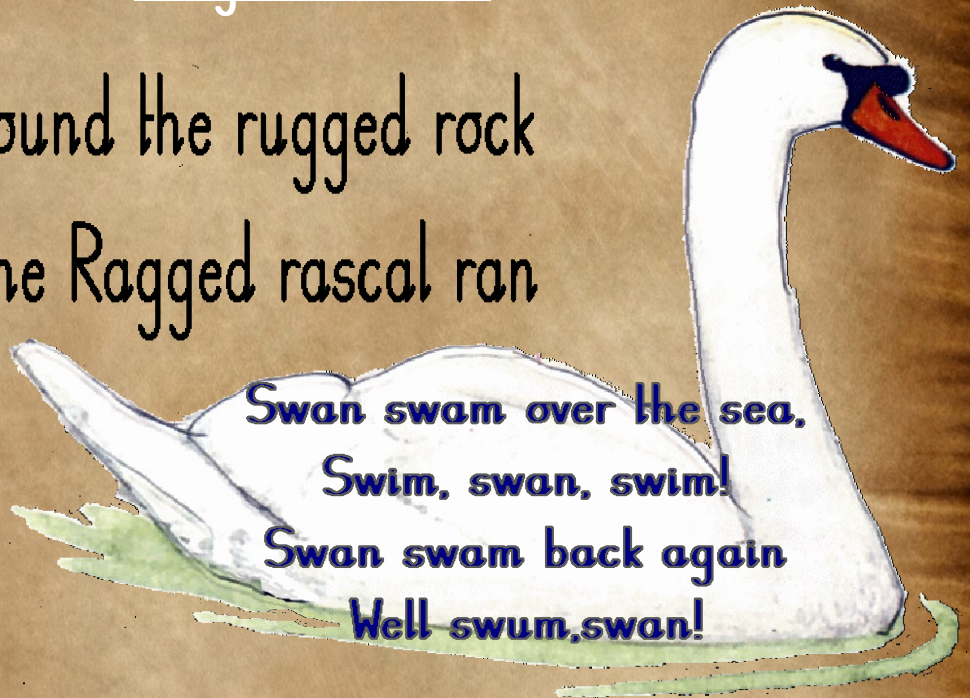


Playing with Words

Tongue Twisters

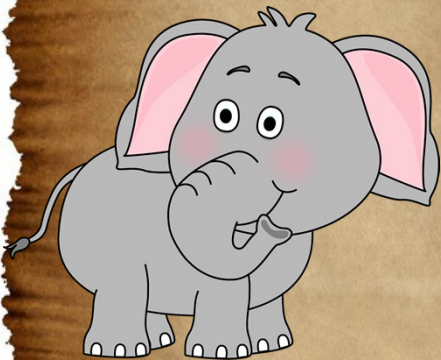


Round the rugged rock
the Ragged rascal ran



Swan swam over the sea,
Swim, swan, swim!
Swan swam back again
Well swum, swan!

Humorous Rhymes



The elephant carries a great big trunk,
But he never packs it with clothes;
It has no lock and has no key,
But he takes it wherever he goes.



One fine October morning
In September, last July,
The moon lay thick upon the ground,
The snow shone in the sky.
The flowers were singing merrily
The birds were full of bloom
I went down to the cellar
To sweep the upstairs room.



Riddles

What am I?

My first is in CAT but not in DOG,
My second is in SNOW and also in FOG,
My last is in WHY and also in HOW,
My whole is an animal known as a _ _ _.

I have four legs but cannot walk.

What gets wet when drying?

What belongs to you but others use it more than you?

The more you take away, the larger I become

Answers:

The animal is a cow A chair A towel Your name A hole

Text

- 1 - Do you think tongue twisters is a good name for the two examples on the reading page? Why?
- 2 - Which tongue twister did you like best? Why?
- 3 - Which riddle was the hardest to work out?
- 4 - What is a riddle?
- 5 - What does 'humorous' mean?
- 6 - The second humorous rhyme is called a nonsense poem. Why is this?
- 7 - Which words in this poem rhyme?

Word

- 1 - Find other words that mean the same as:

big shut happy good shout small

- 2 - Write a word that means the opposite of:

hot near thin up left empty

Sentence

- 1 - can you write a riddle?
- 2 - do you know any tongue twisters?