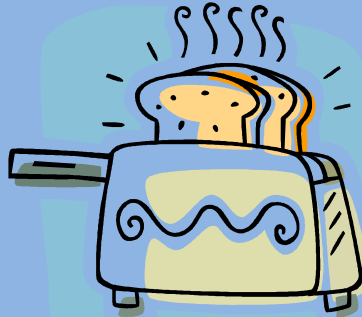


'The Sound Collector'

by Roger McGough

What sounds are in the poem?





Did you notice a pattern in the poem?

Can you explain the pattern?



The **turning** of the **lock**

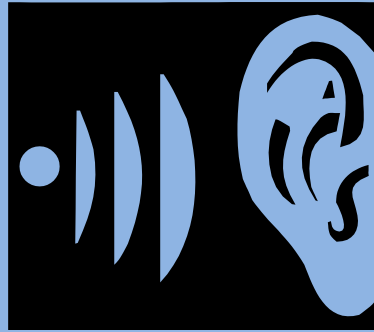
The **purring** of the **kitten**

The **ticking** of the **clock**

The **..... (sound)** of the **..... (object)**

Before we write our own poem....

Shhhhhhh! Listen for a minute..... what sounds can you hear?



What other sounds might you hear in different rooms of your house? What sounds can you hear in your garden? Discuss this with your adult.

Activity

Write your own poem and come up with an action or sound effect for each line. Your poem **does not** have to rhyme.

Remember:

- Think about the sounds made by objects around your home and outdoors.
- Follow the poem's pattern: "the of the"
- Think of an action or sound effect to go with each line.
- Practise performing your poem.