

Hi everyone,

I hope you got on ok with Monday's work - the answers should be going up for you to check against today. The BBC Bitesize website hasn't put up Tuesday's lesson yet, so I thought we could have some fun with an alliteration tongue twister competition. If you remember, alliteration is where you make your writing interesting by choosing to put some words close together that begin with the same letter or letter string. It's a bit like rhyming, only you think about the start of the word and not the end of the word. Here are some examples:

Alliteration in TONGUE TWISTERS



Can you wrap your tongue around these alliteration-packed tongue twisters?

Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers.
A peck of pickles Peter Piper picked
If Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers,
How many pickled peppers did Peter Piper pick?

How much wood would a woodchuck chuck
If a woodchuck would chuck wood?
A woodchuck would chuck all the wood he could chuck
If a woodchuck would chuck wood.

A tutor who tooted the flute
Tried to tutor two tooters to toot
Said the two to the tutor
"Is it tougher to toot
Or to tutor two tooters to toot?"

A certain young fellow named Beebee
Wished to marry a lady named Phoebe
"But," he said. "I must see
What the minister's fee be
Before Phoebe be Phoebe Beebee"

I thought a thought.
But the thought I thought wasn't the thought
I thought I thought.
If the thought I thought I thought had been the thought
I thought, I wouldn't have thought so much.

A skunk sat on a stump.
The stump thought the skunk stunk.
The skunk thought the stump stunk .
What stunk the skunk or the stump?

Silly Sally swiftly shooed seven silly sheep.
The seven silly sheep Silly Sally shooed
shilly-shallied south.
These sheep shouldn't sleep in a shack;
Sheep should sleep in a shed.

The doctoring doctor doctors the doctor the way
The doctoring doctor wants to doctor the doctor.
Not the way the doctored doctor wants to be doctored.

Mr. See owned a saw.
And Mr. Soar owned a seesaw.
Now See's saw sawed Soar's seesaw
Before Soar saw See,
Which made Soar sore.
Had Soar seen See's saw
Before See sawed Soar's seesaw,
See's saw would not have sawed
Soar's seesaw.
So See's saw sawed Soar's seesaw.
But it was sad to see Soar so sore
Just because See's saw sawed
Soar's seesaw!

I cannot bear to see a bear
Bear down upon a hare.
When bare of hair he strips the hare,
Right there I cry, "Forbear!"

Did Dick Pickens prick his pinkie
Pickling cheap cling peaches in an inch of Pinch
Or framing his famed French finch photos?

Dr. Johnson and Mr. Johnson,
After great consideration,
Came to the conclusion
That the Indian nation
Beyond the Indian Ocean
Is back in education
Because the chief occupation is cultivation.

A tree toad loved a she-toad
Who lived up in a tree.
He was a two-toed tree toad
But a three-toed toad was she.
The two-toed tree toad tried to win
The three-toed she-toad's heart,
For the two-toed tree toad loved the ground
That the three-toed tree toad trod.
But the two-toed tree toad tried in vain.
He couldn't please her whim.
From her tree toad bower
With her three-toed power
The she-toad vetoed him.

Challenge your friends!

Here is a fun quiz to help you work on your alliteration skills:

<https://www.educationquizzes.com/ks2/english/alliteration/>

TASK

I would love you to write your own silly tongue twister, using as much alliteration as you can. Then practise saying it out loud yourself - how fast can you go? Challenge your family to beat you!

Here is a clip about alliteration and tongue twisters which shows you how to build up a list of words that alliterate, to create your own funny poem or tongue twister:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xXBTyBeEJYM>

I'd love to see your work so you could take a photo of your tongue twister and email it in to the office and challenge us at school to learn to say it! Who do you think will be the fastest? Email office@ivingswoodacademy.org

Looking forward to speaking to you all again soon - maybe you could perform your tongue twister for me?

Miss Smith