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# The Rhyme Game

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Bella and James sat on the grass.

"Let's play the rhyme game," Bella said. "First, you say a word. Then, I'll say a word that rhymes."

James nodded. "Truck," he said.

"Duck," Bella rhymed.

"House," James said.

"Mouse," Bella rhymed.

"Dog," James said.

"Frog," Bella rhymed.

"Can I do the rhyming now?" James asked.



"No," Bella said, laughing harder. "No, no, no."

"Go." James rhymed. "Go, go, go."

Bella laughed so hard she rolled on the grass.

James rolled next to her. Rhyming was fun!



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- 1. Where does this story take place?
  - a. on a sunny day
- **b.** outside
- c. at the beach
- d. in the morning



2. Whose idea was it to play the rhyme game?



4. Why did Bella keep laughing at James' rhymes?

Now try this: Play the rhyming game with a friend.

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Draw lines to match the words from the story with their meanings.



- 1. grass

small furry animal

2. nodded

large animal that makes milk

3.

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5. laugh

4.

opposite of stop

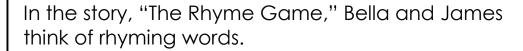
**6.** go

Ha, ha, ha!

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Write three sentences with rhyming words. Use a pair of rhymes in each.

examples: A mouse is in my house.

My dog chased a frog.

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3.

#### **ANSWER KEY**

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