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Clown is a Noun

by Lill Pluta

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A clown in a car zips off to the zoo.

He meets his friend, Sue. Sue is a gnu.

Sue hops in the car with her buddy, Jack.

Jack is so shaggy. Jack is a yak.

The three zoom away without looking back.

The next stop they make is Sal's Silly Store.

Sal asks the group, "Is there room for one more?"

"Yes!" they all say, as they head for the shore.

The four soon arrive at Sandy Beach Bay,

Where they meet a crab, whose name is José.

They shout, "Let's be friends!" José says, "Okay!"

Five pals in a car drive back into town.

Now it's your job to point out each noun.

But first name the clown. Quick! Write it down!



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