



Writing genre: Writing a poem

Write an 'Imagine if ...' poem.

1. Read the poem on page 72 again.
2. Choose a new poem topic. Examples:
 - People (babies, teachers, friends, sportspeople)
 - Nature (sun, sky, sea, moon, trees, flowers, rain, clouds)
 - Animals (cats, dogs, sheep, lions)
 - A topic of your choice
3. Use a word web to think of ideas for your poem.
4. Write two verses of your poem.
5. Read your poem. Could you change any words?



Oral language: Performing a poem

With a partner, perform the poem on page 72.

1. Practise reading the poem. Think about:
 - Which parts you can read loudly or quietly
 - Which parts you can read fast or slowly
 - Adding actions as you read
2. Decide who will read each verse.
3. Perform your poem to the class or to another pair.

