

Imagine if ...

Imagine if ...

Kittens were **slimy**
 Rabbits were **prickly**
 Crocodiles were cuddly
 Tigers were tickly!



Imagine if ...

Dogs had **webbed** feet
 Penguins had **antlers**
 Snakes had feathers
 Ducks had trunks!



Imagine if ...

Elephants could hop
 Birds could bark
 Pigs could dance on one **trotter**
 Hippos could swing from tree to tree!

Imagine how funny
 the world would be!

Roger McGough





Comprehension

A Answer the questions.

1. What is the first animal mentioned in the poem?
2. What do rabbits usually feel like?
3. Which words are repeated in the poem?
4. Find two words in the poem that rhyme.
5. Which animals usually have antlers?
6. Why is it funny to imagine elephants hopping?



Which idea in the poem do you think is the funniest? Why?

B Complete the activities.

1. Think of an 'imagine if ...' idea for fish. Draw it and write a caption using the words 'imagine if'.
2. Imagine if food looked and tasted different. Write three 'imagine if...' sentences about food.



a
b c

Vocabulary

Use the words below to complete the sentences.

imagine slimy prickly webbed antlers trotter

1. The mud was wet and _____.
2. Ducks have _____ feet.
3. Reindeer have _____.
4. Hedgehogs are _____.
5. A pig's foot is called a _____.
6. I can _____ a monkey with wings.



Write a sentence using **imagine**.