Year 1 Home and In School Learning

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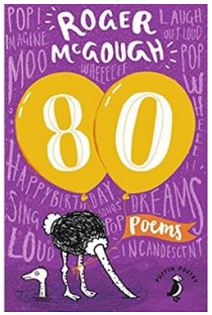


This week we are going to be looking at a Poem called 'The Sound Collector' by Roger McGough. The poem uses lots of different words to describe sounds (onomatopoeias). We are going to listen to the sounds around us to create our own version of the poem.

Key objectives

- Use simple word choice that helps to convey ideas.
- Use –ing endings
- Write a simple sentence- compose a sentence orally before writing it, and re-read what is written to check it makes sense
- To use capital letters, finger spaces and full stops in my writing.

Monday

Listen to the poem 'The Sound Collector'

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ECf65uKJLfs

There is also a copy of the poem below.

The poet uses lots of great words to describe the sounds that different objects make. Have a go at matching some of the objects and sounds from the poem on the sheet below. (This has also been set as an activity on Seesaw).

Tuesday

Today we are going to use our listening skills to be sound detectives. Listen very carefully to the sounds on the clip below. Can you guess what the sounds are? Can you come up with a word to describe the sound you hear? Eg pen **clicking**, toilet **flushing**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n1m4h79JZso

Thursday

Today you are going to collect your own sounds! You can search for sounds in your house (like in the poem) or you can go outside. The garden, the village or the beach are all great places to hear lots of different sounds. Use the template below to record down all the sounds that you can hear as we are going to use them to create our own poem tomorrow.

Friday

Watch the Seesaw clip and then, using the template below and the sounds you heard yesterday, create your very own 'Sound Collector' poem. As poems are meant to be performed – why not upload a clip of yourself reading your poem on Seesaw?

Remember to share anything you have done on SeeSaw!

The Sound Collector

A stranger came this morning
Dressed all in black and grey
Put every sound into a bag
And carried them away
The whistling of the kettle
The turning of the lock
The purring of the kitten
The ticking of the clock

The popping of the toaster
The crunching of the flakes
When you spread the marmalade
The scraping noise it makes

The hissing of the frying-pan
The ticking of the grill
The bubbling of the bathtub
As it starts to fill

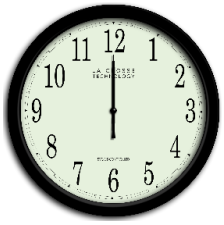
The drumming of the raindrops
On the window-pane
When you do the washing-up
The gurgle of the drain

The crying of the baby
The squeaking of the chair
The swishing of the curtain
The creaking of the stair

A stranger called this morning
He didn't leave his name
Left us only silence
Life will never be the same.

by Roger McGough

Monday



Gurgling

Bubbling

Purring

Crying

Popping

Ticking

Hissing

Try to read each word **independently**. Match each picture to the sound it makes. The first one has been done for you!

Object (Noun)	Sound
Eg. bird	tweeting

Thursday

Friday

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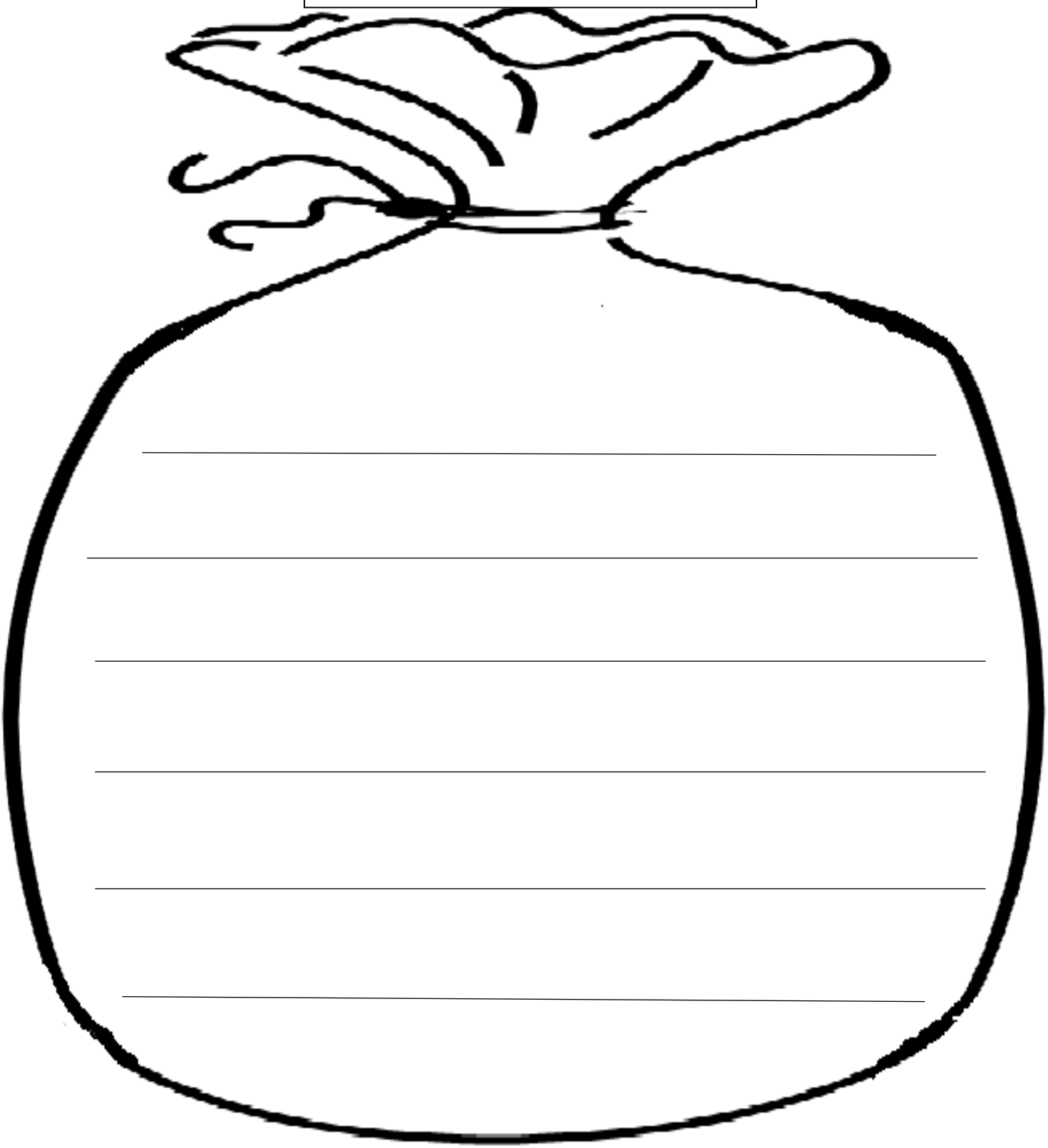
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