The Funny Bird

Grace has a pet parrot. The pet parrot’s name is Rose.

Rose screams for dinner. Grace gives Rose beans. Rose makes a face.

Grace gives Rose rice. Rose shakes her beak.

Then, Grace gives Rose a handful of pumpkin seeds. Rose eats the seeds. She says, “More seeds, please.”

Grace says, “Yes, you may have more pumpkin seeds. But did you know? Beans and rice are seeds too.”

Rose turns her back to Grace. She does not want to know. All she wants are pumpkin seeds.