



A Gooney Mess

Sam wants to make something fun.

She asks a grown-up.

The grown-up says, "Yes."

Sam gets water.

She gets a red drink mix.

She puts them in a dish.

Sam adds cornstarch, too.

Sam mixes it all up.

Soon, it is goo.

She dips her fingers in the dish.

She puts the goo on her chin.

Sam runs to her brother's room.

He sees Sam's sticky chin.

He yells, "Ahh!"

He runs away.

But then he comes back.

"Can I have some, too?" he asks.



A Loud Pop

Raj went to the top of the hill.
He had a rest under a bush.
Then, Raj heard a loud pop.
He jumped up.
What was the loud pop?

Raj ran down the hill.
He saw Bob.
Bob was blowing up balloons.

A balloon had popped!
Bob said, "The balloons were for you.
It was a surprise!"

Raj said, "You did surprise me!
The pop was very loud!"



A Muddy Mess

Ava and Ben love to play outside.
They find a big muddy spot.
They jump in!
They make mud pies.

Mud is all over them.
They have mud on their faces.
They have mud on their feet.
They don't mind the mess.

But Ben's dad minds the mess.
Ben and Ava go inside for a snack.
Ben's dad says, "That's too much mud.
You must scrub up before you have a snack."



Ant Attack

Will and Robin were going on a picnic.
Will got cups and two bottles of pop.
Robin got chips and dip.
The cups, pop, and snack went into some sacks.

Robin and Will ran up a hill.
They got to the top.
They put down the sacks on a rock.
Then, Will and Robin had a game of tag.

Soon, they were ready to eat.
“Let’s get our snack and pop,” they said.
Will and Robin went back to the rock.
They saw their sacks.

Ants were all over the chips and dip.
Ants were in the cups, too.
“This is not good,” said Robin.
“I don’t want ants on my snacks,” said Will.

Will and Robin put the chips and dip into the trash.
Then, they ran back down the hill.
They got a snack at home!



Band Practice

Dan, Finn, Jax, and Bett have a band.
The band will play at school on Friday.
They need to get good.

On Monday, they play at Dan's house.
But Dan has a baby sister.
She cries and cries when they play.

On Tuesday, they play at Finn's house.
But Finn has a dog.
She barks and barks when they play.

On Wednesday, they play at Jax's house.
But Jax's dad is working.
He tells them to stop.

On Thursday, they go to Bett's house
Bett's house has a basement.
They can play and play all day long!

On Friday, the band plays at school.
Everyone claps and cheers.



Beat the Bell

Jenna got up.
Jenna saw the time.
It was ten. She was late!

Jenna got her bag.
Jenna had to run.
Or she would not get to school on time.

Jenna ran by a man with a cat.
Jenna wanted to pat the cat.
But she did not stop.

Jenna ran by a band.
She wanted to hear the band play.
But she did not stop.

Jenna ran up a big hill.
At the top, she wanted a drink of water.
But she did not stop.

Jenna ran down the hill.
She ran as fast as she could go.
She did not stop.

Finally, she got to the school gate.
Just then, the bell rang.
Jenna got to school on time!



Box of Socks

Lee has a lot of socks.
They are red, green, and yellow.
She keeps them in a box.

Lee loves her socks.
The red socks are great for hopping.
The green socks are great for dancing.
The yellow socks are great for walking.

One day there is a mix up.
Lee puts on one red sock and one yellow sock.
And guess what?
She hops on one foot all the way to school!



Buddy's Friend

Buddy the dog loves to jump and play.
But he feels sad.
Buddy wishes he had a friend.

One day, Buddy sees a frog.
The frog sits on a log.
“Come and play with me,” calls Buddy.

The frog jumps off the log.
He jumps to Buddy.
Then, the frog jumps onto Buddy's back.

Now, Buddy has a friend!
They play all day until the sun sets.



Camping Out

Nico and Leah want to camp in the woods. Nico's dad asks, "Why not camp at home first?"

Nico and Leah set up a tent in the yard. They get into their sleeping bags. But then they hear a loud bang. Nico and Leah slip down into their sleeping bags.

Bang! Bang!
The sound rings out.
Leah and Nico run back to the house.

There is Nico's dad.
He says, "It was just the lid of the trash can. It bangs when the wind blows!"

Nico and Leah say, "We'll still sleep inside tonight!"



Carrot Munch

A rabbit and some hamsters play.
They run and jump.
The rabbit hops.

But the hamsters cannot hop.
The hamsters sit.

Then, the hamsters spot some carrots.
They run to the carrots.
Munch, munch!

The rabbit spots the carrots too.
She hops to the hamsters.
“Can I have some?” she asks.

“Yes!” say the hamsters.
They all munch on carrots.
What good friends they are!



Eggs and Hash Browns

Jim is a chef.

He cracks a lot of eggs.

Jim has to mix some eggs in a dish.
Then he has to fry the eggs in a pan.

Then, Jim adds hot hash browns.
He tops it off with toast and jam.

Jim's eggs and hash browns are good.
But his toast and jam are the best!



Fred Helps Out

Dad asks Fred to help.
Fred gets the dishes.
He sets the dishes on the table.

Next, Fred gets glasses.
He sets the glasses on the table.
He fills the glasses with water.

Everyone sits down for dinner.
Fred brings the fish.

But he trips.
The fish dish crashes.

Dad asks Fred to help once more.
But this time Fred gets the mop!



Let's Fix Dinner

Snap! Snap!
Dad snaps peas.

Clang! Clang!
Mom gets a pan.

Ping! Ping!
Dad drops all the peas.

Bang! Bang!
Mom drops the pan.

I think it's best if I help fix dinner!

Clap! Clap!
Clap! Clap!
Mom and Dad are happy.



Little Chicks

A mama bird sits on a nest.

The nest has some eggs.

One day, the shells of the eggs crack.

Little chicks peck out of the shell.

The little chicks are still.

Then, they begin to peep.

Soon, the chicks start to hop.

Peep! Hop! Peep! Hop!

The mama bird stays by the chicks.

She keeps her little chicks safe.



Moon Dance

Alex the Cat takes a nap.
He dreams of a big fish.
Soon, Alex wakes up.
He rubs his tummy.
“I am hungry,” he says.

Alex goes on a hunt.
He finds a gap in a fence.
Push! Pop!
Alex gets through the fence.
He spots a mouse!
Alex goes on tiptoes.
He sneaks up on the mouse.
He taps the mouse on the back.
The mouse says, “You’re here! I’m so glad!”
“You are?” asks Alex.
“Yes,” says the mouse.
And he starts to dance.
Alex can’t help but clap.
The mouse holds out his paw to Alex.
Alex joins the mouse.
They dance and dance under the moon.



On the Bus

Pam got on the bus with a bag.

But Pam's bag had a rip.

A cat jumped out of the rip in the bag.

Ted got on the bus with a box.

But Ted's box had a hole.

A dog jumped out of the hole in the box.

The cat ran after the dog.

Pam ran after her cat.

Ted ran after his dog.

The bus driver stopped the bus.

Pam and Ted got their pets back.

They want to go back to their spots.

But the driver said, "No, not on my bus."

The dog, the cat, Pam, and Ted all got off.

They were far from home.

It was a long walk home for Pam and Ted
and their pets.



Riddles

What is it?
It has a sink.
It has a fridge.
It has dishes.
It has glasses.
It is a kitchen!

Who has two chins?
Who has four lips?
Who has four wrists?
Who has four hands?
Who has skin all over?
And who has a toothbrush?

It is you as you brush your teeth in the mirror!



The Old Shed

Emma goes into the old shed.
It is full of junk.
The old shed is full of dust too.

Emma has a big job to do.
She has to clean the shed.

Emma gets a rag.
She starts to dust.

“Achoo!” says Emma.
“Achoo! Achoo! A-ch-oooooo!”

Emma cannot stop!
She runs out of the old shed.
She says, “That shed has too much dust!
It’s not the job for me.”



Time to Pack

We will take a trip!
Now, we must pack a bag.
What will we bring?

I will bring my tan pants.
My pink shirt is good too.
I may need a cap.

My little brother needs some things.
He wants to bring his black socks.
He wants to pack his red jacket, too.

I pack my things in the bag.
I zip the bag up.
Now I'm all set.

But, wait, what did I forget?
I almost forgot my little brother!



Who's It?

Ten kids meet to play.
“Let’s play tag!” Ani yells.

Liv is it.
The rest run away.

Liv spots Ani.
“Tag, you are it,” she says.

Ani tags 7 more friends.
They add up who is left.
Seven kids plus Ani and Liv makes 9.

One kid is missing.
Who is it?
It is Dom.

Nine kids look for Dom.
“I see him,” yells Liv.
Dom naps under a bush.



Yummy Pizza

We make pizza.

We put on the sauce.

The cheese comes next.

Now, we add toppings.

Mia adds ham.

Wen adds peppers.

The pizza goes in the oven.

Soon it is ready to eat.

Let's cut it!

We take a bite.

It is hot.

It is yummy.

Pizza is the best