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# SUMMER SUMMER

Summer, Summer  
Is almost here  
Time for fun  
And swimming gear

Trips to the beach  
Are always such fun  
Along with baseball  
And games where we run

Summer, Summer  
Is almost here  
I can hardly wait  
Let's give a big CHEER!!!





## SUMMER FACTS...

The "**dog days of summer**" refer to the weeks between July 3 and August 11 and are named after the Dog Star (Sirius). The ancient Greeks blamed Sirius for the hot temperature, droughts that occurred during summer.

Summer in the Northern Hemisphere begins on June 21 and ends on September 23. When it's summer in the Northern Hemisphere, it's winter in the Southern Hemisphere, and vice versa.

The word "**summer**" is from the proto-Indo European root "**sam-**" means "**together**"



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## SUMMER SPELLING



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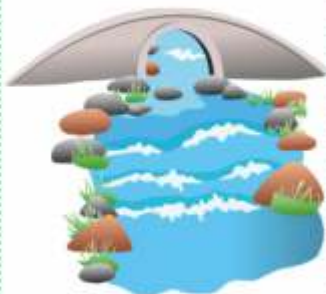
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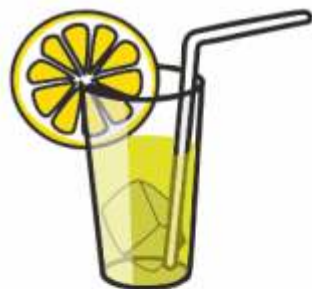
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## CHILDREN'S JOKE

**Teacher:** Maria, go to the map and find North America

**Maria:** Here it is

**Teacher:** Correct. Now, Class, who discovered America?

**Class:** Maria



**Teacher:** Donald, what is the chemical formula for water?

**Donald:** H I J K L M N O

**Teacher:** What are you talking about?

**Donald:** Yesterday you said it's H to O

**A snake kid asks his mom** "Mom, are we poisonous?>>

**His mother says,** "Why do you want to know?>>

**The snake kid says,** "because I just bit my tongue."



**Jim:** Brother why are elephants so wrinkled?

**Brother:** Hmm... Because they take too long to iron



## HOW TO BE MORE POLITE?

**X** Don't say

**V** Say

**X** Give me a water

**V** could you give me water?

**X** I want a sandwich

**V** I would like sandwich

**X** Open the door

**V** can you open the door, please

**X** You are wrong

**V** I think you might be mistaken

**X** That's a bad idea

**V** I'm not sure that's a good idea





# ANTI ANTONYMS



day •



• short



long •



• small



beautiful •



• night

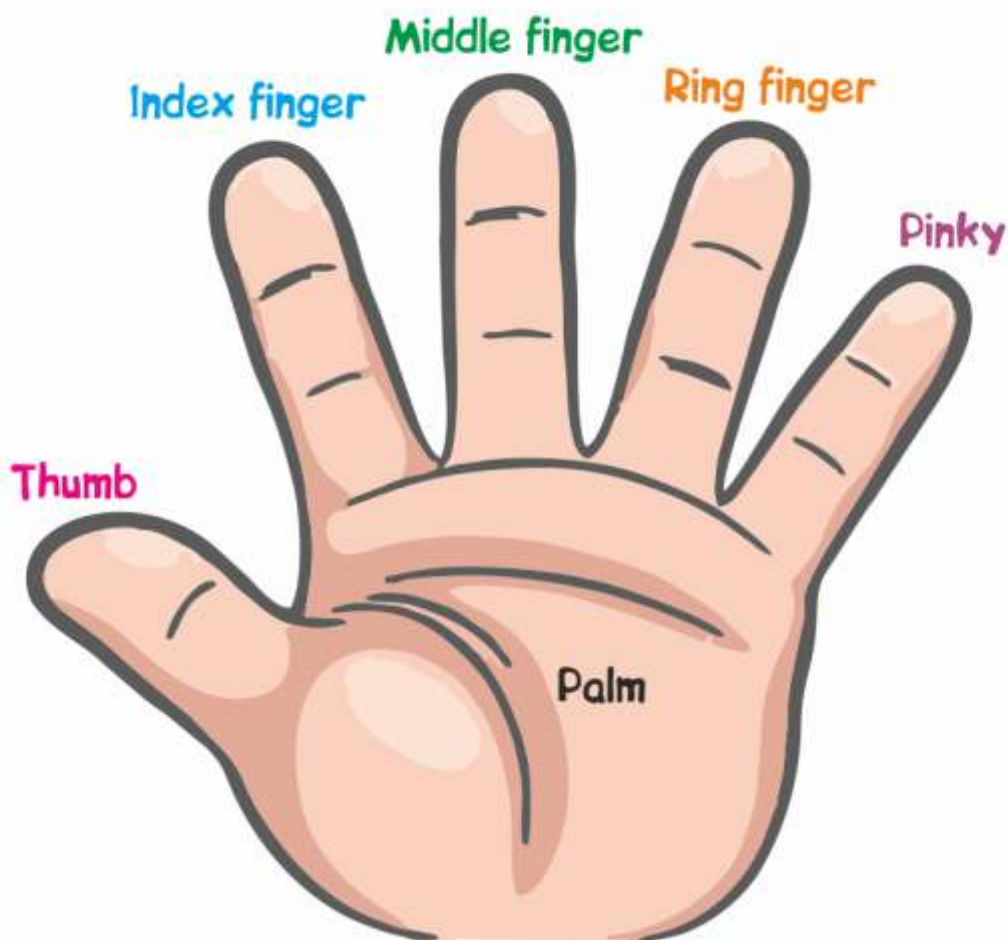


big •



• ugly





## TONGUE TWISTER

I scream, you scream, we  
all scream for ice-cream



Flies fly but a fly flies



Red lorry, yellow lorry





**AT THE PARK!**

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At the park, it's so much fun.  
For you, for me, for everyone!  
Play on the seesaw,  
Play in the pool.

Eat an ice cream,  
It's nice and cool.  
Play with a frisbee,  
Play with a ball.

Play on the slide,  
It's fun for all.  
At the park, It's so much fun.  
For you, for me, for everyone!



## THE CUNNING FOX AND THE CLEVER STORK

Once upon a time, there lived a very cunning fox. He used to speak to other animals sweetly and gain their trust, before playing tricks on them.

One day the fox met a stork. He befriended the stork and acted like a very good friend. Soon, he invited the stork to have a feast with him. The stork happily accepted the invitation.

The day of the feast came, and the stork went to the fox's house. To her surprise and disappointment, the fox said that he could not make a big feast as promised, and just offered some soup. When he brought the soup out of the kitchen, the stork saw that it was in a shallow bowl!

The poor stork could not have any soup with its long bill, but the fox easily licked the soup from the plate. As the stork just touched the soup with the tip of its bill, the fox asked her, "How is the soup? Don't you like it?"

The hungry stork replied, "Oh it is good, but my stomach is upset, and I can't take any more soup!"

"I'm sorry for troubling you," said the fox.

The stork replied, "Oh dear, please don't say sorry. I have some health problem and cannot enjoy what you offer."

She left the place after thanking the fox, and inviting him to her house for dinner.

The day arrived and the fox reached the stork's place. After exchanging pleasantries, the stork served soup for both of them, in a narrow jar with a long neck. She was able to have the soup very easily with her long bill, but the fox obviously could not.

After finishing hers, the stork asked the fox if he was enjoying the soup. The fox remembered the feast he himself had given the stork, and felt very ashamed. He stammered, "I...I'd better leave now. I have a tummy ache."

Humiliated, he left the place running.

**Moral: One bad turn  
begets another.**



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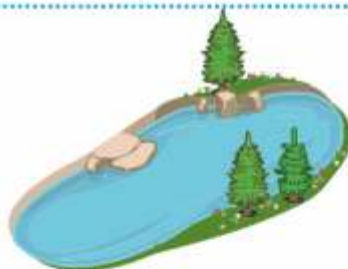
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Cherry

☒ Tree☐ Bush

Boat

☐ Pool☐ Lake

Sandcastle

☐ Beach☐ Desert

Car

☐ Corridor☐ Garage

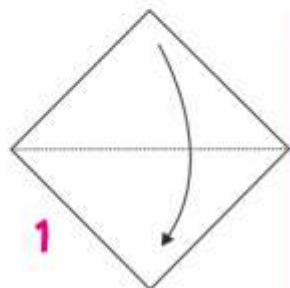
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☐ Rooster☐ Hen

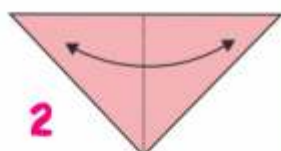




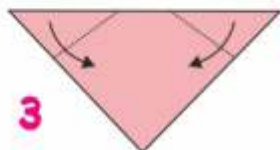
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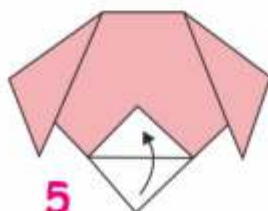
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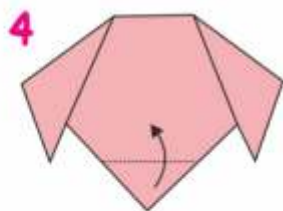
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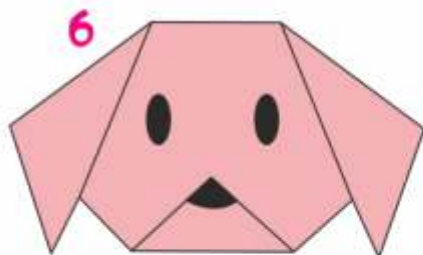
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