

The Name Game!

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Shirley:

Shirley, Shirley, bo-birley

Banana-fana fo-firley

Fee-fi-mo-mirley

Shirley!

Lincoln:

Lincoln, Lincoln, bo-bincoln

Banana-fana fo-fincoln

Fee-fi-mo-mincoln

Lincoln!

Come on, everybody, I say now, let's play a game / I betcha I could make a rhyme out of anybody's name / The first letter of the name I treat it like it wasn't there / But a "B" or an "F" or an "M" will appear / And then I say "bo", add a "b", then I say the name / Then "banana-fana" and "fo" and then I say the name again with an "f" very plain / Then a "fee-fi" and "mo" and then I say the name again with an "m" this time / And there isn't any name that I can't rhyme.

Arnold:

Arnold, Arnold, bo-barnold

Banana-fana fo-farnold

Fee-fi-mo-marnold

Arnold!

But if the first two letters are ever the same / I drop them both, then say the name: / Like Bob, Bob, drop the B's: Bo-ob / Or Fred, Fred, drop the F's: Fo-red / Or Mary, Mary, drop the M's: Mo-ary / That's the only rule that is contrary

Okay, now say "bo" -- (Bo!)

Now Tony with a "B" -- (Bo-ny!)

Then banana fana and fo -- (Banana fana-fo!)

Then you say the name again with an "f" very plain (Fo-ny!)

Then a fee-fi and mo -- (Fee-fi-mo!)

Then you say the name again with an "M" this time -- (Mo-ny!)

And there isn't any name that you can't rhyme

Everybody do Tony:

Tony, Tony, bo-bony

Banana-fana fo-fony

Fee-fi-mo-mony

Tony!

Pretty good, let's do Billy:

Billy, Billy, bo-illy

Banana-fana fo-filly

Fee-fi-mo-milly

Billy!

Very good, now let's do Marsha:

Marsha, Marsha, bo-barsha

Banana-fana fo-farsha

Fee-fi-mo-arsha

Marsha!

A little trick with Nick:

Nick, Nick, bo-bick

Banana-fana fo-fick

Fee-fi-mo-mick

Nick!

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(Elis Sherley: [The Name Game](#))

Ihre Aufgabe: erstellen Sie Ihre eigene Strophe (und genießen Sie die kleine Zeireise in die Sechziger).