This is my favourite Irish poem!

Say it a few times every day (for a grown up) and you will be surprised when you wont be able to get it out of your head! Take one verse at a time!

It is about a bee called Buzzy !

Buzzy

Bhí Buzzy ag obair go dian (Buzzy was working hard)

In aice lena theach (Beside his house)

Nuair a chonaic sé rós álainn (When he saw a beautiful rose)

Agus d'eitil sé isteach (And he flew inside the rose)

Bhailigh sé an mhil (He collected the honey)

Sna malaí ar a chos (in the bags on his legs)

Bhí tuirse mhór ar Bhuzzy (Buzzy was very tired)

Ach ní raibh am aige do shos (But, he hadn't time to take a break)

Ach beach bheag ba ea Buzzy (But, Buzzy was a small bee)

'S sa ghairdín tar éis cúpla lá (And after a few days in the garden)

Thit Buzzy bocht i laige (Buzzy felt very weak)

Is ní raibh sé abalta Bzzz a rá (And he wasn't able to say Buzz)

Rewrite this or type it if you like, and draw some images (pictures) from the poem (or just draw Buzzy)!

This is a nice English poem, we would be doing in class.

Can you add some more verses?

Can you draw some images from the poem?

Can you use different adjectives to describe the animals?

100 Animals

I went to the zoo

And what did I see?

100 animals

Looking at me

They were….

Ten tall giraffes, eating from the trees

Ten silly monkeys, scratching on their knees

Ten sleeping snakes, lying in the sun

Ten munching elephants, eating peanuts one by one

Ten leaping tigers, performing in the shows

Ten pink flamingos, standing on their toes

Ten grouchy bears, trying to get some sleep

Ten happy hippos, in the water deep

Ten roaring lions, walking two by two

And ten galloping zebras, all living in the zoo.