



Finger Play Fun

Baby Bumble Bee

Read the poem aloud, making the gestures in parentheses as you read.

I'll catch a baby bumble bee.

(Pretend to hold hands out for a bee to land on.)

Won't my family be so proud of me!

(Hold your hands over your heart.)

**I'll bring home a baby bumble bee,
then it can bring me sweet honey!**

(Rub your belly.)



But if I do this, it won't be free,

as all creatures wish to be.

(Flap your arms as wings.)



**Perhaps I'll enjoy the mystery
of creatures like the bumble bee,
and continue on most peacefully,
as I think life ought to be.**

(Hold your hands over your heart.)

Reflection Questions:

How many words are there in the first line of the poem?

Tell me some rhyming words that you hear.

Where are the rhyming words located in each line of the poem?

Which words have the same beginning sound?

