## Writing a Limerick **Steps to Success**

- Pick a name of a person or place. 1.
- Find some rhyming words for that word. 2.
- Think of a few ideas for a funny ending to your poem. 3.
- 4. Write lines 1, 2 and 5 use rhyme words from your list.
- Check each of the lines follows the rhythm of three beats. 5.
- Now think of some actions for lines 3 and 4, with a different rhyme. 6.
- Check lines 3 and 4 follow the rhythm of two beats. 7.
- 8. Make sure line 5 flows on from line 4 it is OK to change it a little if you need to!

| Rhyme Set A | Rhyme Set B |
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## **My Limerick**



