

Nursery Rhymes & Fables

**Star Light, Star Bright
&
Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star**

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Who will share about a time when
they looked at the stars at night and
what they know about stars?

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I am going to read a nursery rhyme about someone looking at a star. Listen carefully to find out what the character in the nursery rhyme says while looking at a star.

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Star light, star bright,
First star I see tonight,
I **wish** I may, I wish I might,
Have the wish I wish tonight.

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Star light, star bright,
First star I see tonight,
I **wish** I may, I wish I might,
Have the wish I wish tonight.

Wish means to hope for
something you want.

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Let's echo read:

Star light, star bright,
First star I see tonight,
I **wish** I may, I wish I might,
Have the wish I wish tonight.

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

What does the character in the rhyme say while looking at the star?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

What does the character in the nursery rhyme see?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

What does the character do when
seeing the star?

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Comprehension Questions:

Inferential

At what time of day is it easiest to see stars?

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Comprehension Questions:

Inferential

What else might you see in the sky
at night?

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Comprehension Questions:

Evaluative

Could this nursery rhyme really happen?

Think. Pair. Share.



I'm going to ask you a question. I will give you a minute to think about the question, and then I will ask you to turn to your neighbor and discuss the question. Finally I will call on several of you to share what you discussed with your partner.

Think. Pair. Share.

Evaluative:



If you saw the first star at night and could make a wish, what would you wish for?

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Rhyming words have different beginning sounds but end with the same sounds, like **cat** and **hat**.

I am going to reread the first line of “Star Light, Star Bright,” and want you to listen for rhyming words.

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Star light, star bright

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**Star light, star bright
First star I see tonight.**

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I am going to reread the first line of “Star Light, Star Bright,” and want you to listen for rhyming words.

**I wish I may, I wish I might.
Have the wish I wish tonight.**

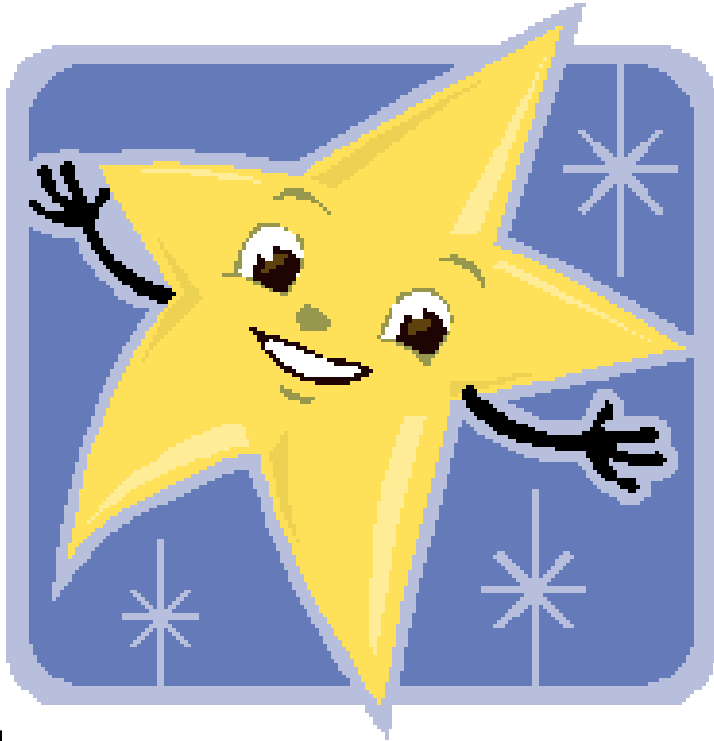
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Fill in the blanks, as I read:

Star light, star _____,
First star I see _____,
I **wish** I may, I wish I _____,
Have the wish I wish _____.

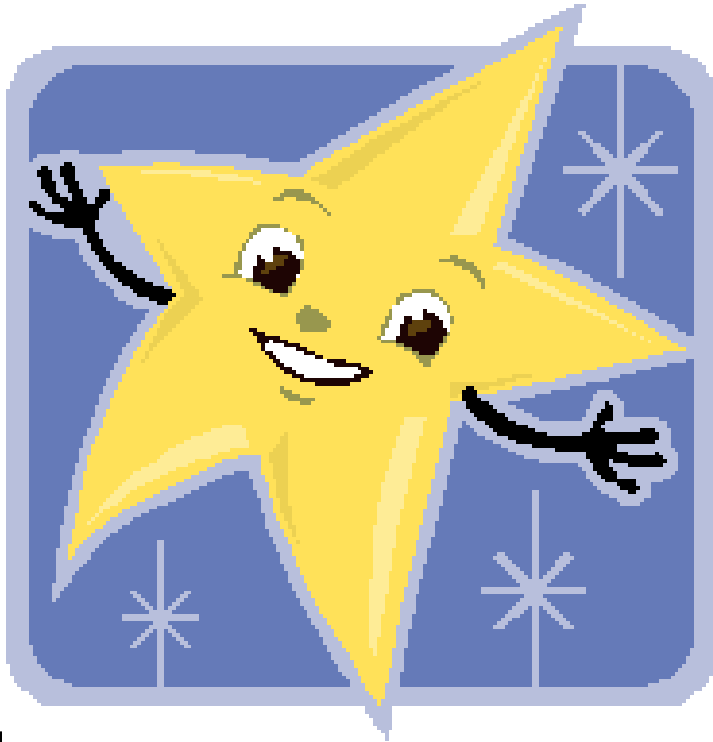
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Who remembers
what time of day the
nursery rhyme “Star
Light, Star Bright”
takes place?

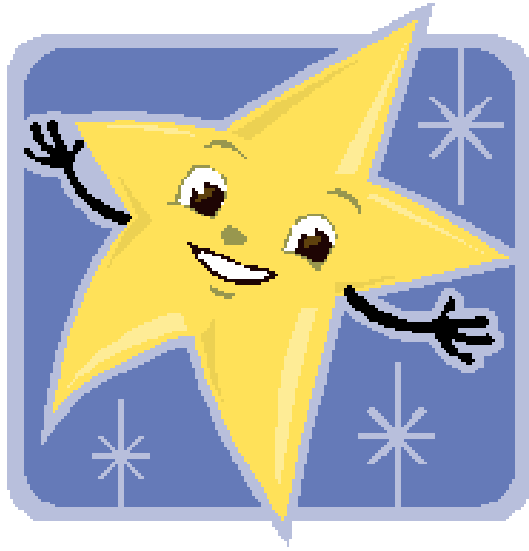
Can anyone recite
the poem?

Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star



I am going to read another nursery rhyme about a star at night. Listen carefully to find out how this nursery rhyme describes a star.

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Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
How I **wonder** what you are.
Up above the world so high,
Like a **diamond** in the sky,
Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
How I **wonder** what you are.

Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star



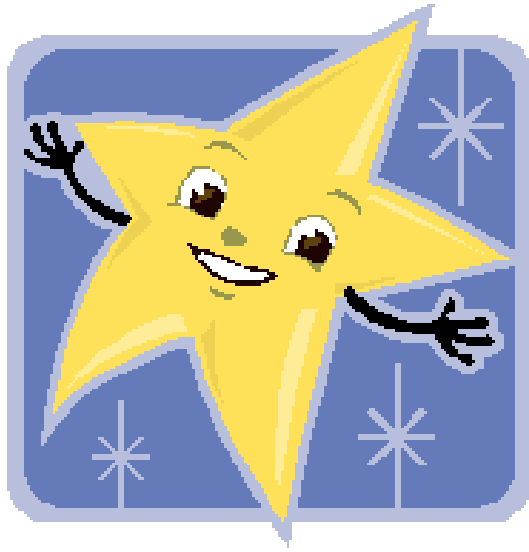
Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
How I **wonder** what you are.
Up above the world so high,
Like a **diamond** in the sky,
Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
How I **wonder** what you are.

Twinkle means to shine or sparkle.

Wonder means to think about.

A **diamond** is a sparkly jewel.

Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star



Let's echo read:

Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
How I **wonder** what you are.
Up above the world so high,
Like a **diamond** in the sky,
Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
How I **wonder** what you are.

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

What is the character in the nursery rhyme wondering about?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

How does the nursery rhyme describe the star?

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Comprehension Questions:



Inferential

How are stars like diamonds?

Think. Pair. Share.



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Think. Pair. Share.

Evaluative:



What other kinds of things twinkle or shine like stars and diamonds?

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In the nursery rhyme you heard, “**How I wonder what you are.**”

Say the word **wonder** with me.

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To wonder means to think about something you are curious about that you don't really know or understand.

**I wonder what it might be like
to travel in a spaceship.**

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Do you ever **wonder** about things?

Try to use the word wonder when you tell about it. “I wonder about... or I wonder what it would be like to...”

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**What's the word we have
been talking about?**

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I am going to name some situations. If I name something that you wonder about, Say, **“I wonder about that.”** If I name something that you already know about, say, **“I know that.”**

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What it's like to hear your name.

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What it's like to ride in a car.

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What it's like to ride on the back of an
elephant.

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What it's like to ride in an airplane.

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What it's like to eat a banana.