

Rodgers and Hammerstein

My Favorite Things Lyrics

Raindrops on roses and whiskers on kittens
Bright copper kettles and warm woolen mittens
Brown paper packages tied up with strings
These are a few of my favorite things

Cream colored ponies and crisp apple strudels
Door bells and sleigh bells and schnitzel with noodles
Wild geese that fly with the moon on their wings
These are a few of my favorite things

Girls in white dresses with blue satin sashes
Snowflakes that stay on my nose and eyelashes
Silver white winters that melt into Springs
These are a few of my favorite things

When the dog bites
When the bee stings
When I'm feeling sad
I simply remember my favorite things
and then I don't feel so bad.

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AIM: How Can We Format a Document that Illustrates a New Stanza for My Favorite Things?

Do Now: Log onto PC. Review tasks below and side bar lyrics to *Rodgers and Hammerstein's My Favorite Things*.

TASK A: Read and sing along to the lyrics in the sidebar as the song plays on the teacher station/smartboard.

TASK B: Answer all questions below. If necessary, use a Google search to help answer questions 1 - 3.

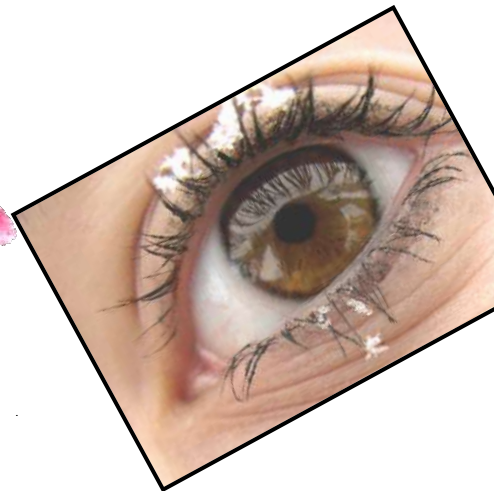
1. Who are Rodgers and Hammerstein?
2. In what movie did the song become popular?



3. What is schnitzel?
4. What do the lyrics "When the dog bites, When the bee stings" represent to in the song?
5. What are some of your favorite things? List at least 5.



6. Does "just thinking" about your favorite things change your mood? How so?



TASK C: Listen to the song and put each stanza in its proper order by numbering each line.

_____ Bright copper kettles
 _____ Raindrops on roses
 _____ And whiskers on kittens
 _____ And warm woolen mittens
 _____ Brown paper packages
 _____ These are a few of my favorite things.
 _____ Tied up with string



_____ Cream colored ponies
 _____ And schnitzel with noodles
 _____ Wild geese that fly
 _____ And crisp apple strudel
 _____ These are a few of my favorite things.
 _____ With the moon on their wings
 _____ Doorbells and sleighbells

_____ That melt into springs
 _____ Silver white winters
 _____ These are a few of my favorite things.
 _____ Snowflakes that stay
 _____ Girls in white dresses
 _____ On my nose and eyelashes
 _____ With blue satin sashes



_____ My favorite thing
 _____ When the bee stings
 _____ When the dog bites
 _____ I simply remember
 _____ And then I don't feel so bad.
 _____ When I'm feeling sad

TASK D: Sing these two parodies of the song 'My Favorite Things' keeping the same melody.

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zH7fx40kAAA>

Maalox and nose drops and needles for knitting, Walkers and handrails
 and new dental fittings, Bundles of magazines tied up in string, These
 are a few of my favorite things.

Cadillacs and cataracts and hearing aids and glasses, Polident and
 Fixodent and false teeth in glasses, Pacemakers, golf carts and porches
 with swings, These are a few of my favorite things.

When the pipes leak, When the bones creak, When the knees go bad, I
 simply remember my favorite things, And then I don't feel so bad.

Hot tea and crumpets, and corn pads for bunions, No spicy hot food or
 food cooked with onions, Bathrobes and heat pads and hot meals they
 bring, These are a few of my favorite things.

Back pains, confused brains, and no fear of sinner, Thin bones and
 fractures and hair that is thinnin', And we won't mention our short
 shrunken frames, When we remember our favorite things.

When the joints ache, when the hips break, When the eyes grow dim,
 Then I remember the great life I've had, And then I don't feel so bad.

Adrianne Kerman

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High fives in public and sweet smiling faces,
Dentists that nod and say "no need for braces,"
Rap songs that highlight appropriate things,
These are a few of my favorite things.



Q: Compare the 2 prodigy versions
 above. What can we tell about the
 people who wrote them?

Task E: Now write your own stanza to "My Favorite Things." Write about the things which are your favorite such as in the example below by Adrienne Kerman, but remember that you must keep the rhythm of the music.

_____ and _____

_____ and _____

These are a few of my favorite things....

Task F: Create a full flyer that highlights your Original stanza using Ms Word. Use both appropriately text and graphics.