

# Hong Kong Children Speech Competition 2021

## Kindergarten K1 & 2 Solo Verse Speaking in English

### What Does the Bee Do ?

By Christina Rossetti

What does the bee do ?  
Bring home honey.  
And what does Father do ?  
Bring home money.  
And what does Mother do ?  
Lay out the money.  
And what does baby do?  
Eat up the honey.

**OR**

### A Happy Child

By Anonymous

My house is red - a little house  
A happy child am I.  
I laugh and play the whole day long,  
I hardly ever cry.

I have a tree, a green , green tree,  
To shade me from the sun;  
And under it I often sit,  
When all my play is done.

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## Kindergarten K3 Solo Verse Speaking in English

### **The Rainbow** **By Christina Rossetti**

Boats sail on the rivers ,  
And ships sail on the seas ;  
But clouds that sail across the sky  
Are prettier than these.

There are bridges on the rivers,  
As pretty as you please;  
But the bow that bridges heaven,  
And overtops the trees,  
And builds a road from earth to sky,  
Is prettier far than these.

**OR**

### **The Happiest !** **By Anonymous**

Mother gives me love and care.  
Father shows me how to fare.  
Friends give me joy and fun.  
Uncles buy me toys that run.  
Granny tells me tales at night.  
Brother spares his bike and kite.  
Sister plays some tricks that please.  
Teachers help me learn with ease.  
I am the happiest you can see.  
To have them all here with me.

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## Primary P1 & P2 Solo Verse Speaking in English

### Standing on a Chair

By Anonymous

I'm standing on a chair !  
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I don't know why Mom's worried  
I'm just standing on a chair!

You'd think she'd be freaked out  
By the lion in my room  
But seeing shoes on fabric  
Is what really makes her fume.

I bath with toxic jellyfish.  
I ride a crocodile.  
But if I'm on the sofa then  
Her mood becomes hostile.

I often sleep with scorpions  
And wrestle with a bear  
I don't know why Mom's worried.  
I'm just standing on a chair !

**OR**

**The Swing**  
**By Robert Louis Stevenson**

How do you like to go up in a swing,  
Up in the air so blue?  
Oh, I do think it the pleasantest thing  
Ever a child can do !

Up in the air and over the wall,  
Till I can see so wide,  
Rivers and trees and cattle and all  
Over the countryside- -

Till I look down on the garden green,  
Down on the roof so brown - -  
Up in the air I go flying again ,  
Up in the air and down !