



Unit 8 Chant

What can you see at the zoo? Write a chant about it. Complete the writing plan below with your own ideas.

| What to write? | | |
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| Big Topic | At the Zoo | |
| Smaller Topics — Animals at the zoo | Verse 1: a / an _____ | Verse 2: _____s |
| More about the animals | Where? _____ | Where? _____ |
| | What colour? _____ | What colour? _____ |
| How to write? | | |
| Sound words | _____ | _____ |
| Repeated sentences / words | 'What can you see?' ----- x 2 '_____, _____.' (repeat the sound word) ----- x 2 '_____, _____.' (repeat the sound word) ----- x 2 'Look over there.' ----- x 4 | |
| Similar lines | 'I can see...' ----- x 2 'What colour is / are...?' ----- x 2 | |
| Rhyming words | _____, _____ | _____, _____ |
| Any long lines? | ✓ | ✓ |
| Any short lines? | ✓ | ✓ |

You may use these words:

bird - street - tweet

frog - oak - croak

elephant - shore - roar

snake - lake - hiss

Date: _____

Now complete the chant with the help of the writing plan. Write at least 35 words.

At the Zoo

Begin with the sound words.

_____, _____.

Look over there.

What can you see?

I can see _____.

Where is the animal?
Use 'in', 'near', 'under' etc.

_____.

What colour is _____?

Tell more about
the animal.

It is _____.

_____, _____.

Repeat the
sound words.

Look _____.

Write a repeated sentence.

_____.

_____.

_____?

_____.

_____.

_____?

_____.

_____.

_____.

Follow the
structure of
Verse 1 to
complete Verse 2.