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He sings a tune all day long in the summer. He likes to shout and moan in the winter.

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## Read Together Quick Questions



1. Where does the whoopsit live?

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2. Do you think that the whoopsit is happier in the summer or in the winter?

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3. Find and copy one word that describes how some people feel about the whoopsit.

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4. What do you think that the child and the whoopsit might play if they met?

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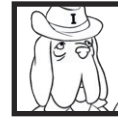
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## Answers



1. Where does the whoopsit live?  
**The whoopsit lives in a dark cave at the top of a hill.**



2. Do you think that the whoopsit is happier in the summer or in the winter?  
**Pupils' own responses, such as: I think that the whoopsit is happier in the summer because he sings all day and he moans in the winter.**



3. Find and copy one word that describes how some people feel about the whoopsit.  
**afraid**



4. What do you think that the child and the whoopsit might play if they met?  
**Pupils' own responses, such as: I think that the child and the whoopsit might like to play hide and seek if they meet.**