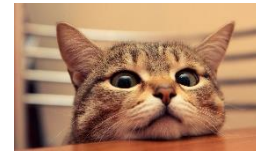


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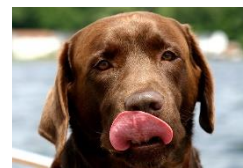
We have a great big Rottweiler
Pusskins is his name.
When we call him at the park
I can feel his shame.



I blame my little sister
Who was desperate for a cat,
But Mum's allergic to felines
So that put an end to that.



I tell Pusskins it could be worse,
Pop called his dog Willy Wonkas.
So when he calls him at the park
He sounds completely bonkers.



My Aunty Bea is poodle mad -
Her latest pet is Mimi.
She sounds ridiculous when she calls
"Here Mi-mi, Mi-mi, Mi-mi."



My Uncle Tim's completely mad,
He has a pug named Woof.
Imagine standing in the park
Shouting, "Woof woof woof woof woof."



Our neighbour got a fluffy dog
And went and called her Tracy.
What a silly name to give a dog,
Imagine what they'll call their baby!



- *Make a list of funny names for children e.g. Hortensia*
- *Have a classroom competition by making up a funny name for a dog e.g. Bumsquattle, Nibblyears.*
- *Act out calling these dogs at the park, others can react.*