

## LESSON PLAN

**LESSON:** Dumbo: I've Never Seen An Elephant Fly

**OBJECTIVES:** a. Practice pronunciation b. Learn vocabulary

**LEVEL:** Intermediate and above.

**TIME:** 30-40 minutes

**PRE-LISTENING:** Pronunciation tricks

- In pairs (or individual), students **write the meanings and/or example sentence** using the different vocabulary- 6-8 minutes
- **Review answers** and practice and sentences. (4-6 minutes)

**LISTENING:** Do these steps in whichever order you see works best for your class.

1. **Listen one time** and fill in the blanks. (without looking on the other page)
2. **Listen a second time** and finish the exercise.
3. **Review answers** together.

**POST LISTENING:** Correct grammar

- Correct the grammar in the song (present perfect)

**TIPS:**

- Students should do the listening exercise by listening and from memory of the expressions from exercise one.

Good luck! **Let me know how it works** for you and if you have any special touches that I can try in my classes:



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**I. DOUBLE MEANINGS: Write the various meanings for these words from the song.**

1. Well, I seen a horse fly. I seen a dragonfly. I seen a house fly.

Fly (v) - \_\_\_\_\_

Fly (n) - \_\_\_\_\_

2. I've seen a peanut stand.

Stand (v) - \_\_\_\_\_

Stand (n) - \_\_\_\_\_

3. I heard a rubber band.

Band (n) – an elastic string

Band (n) – a musical group

I seen a needle that winked its eye.

Eye (n) - \_\_\_\_\_

Eye (n) - \_\_\_\_\_

I seen a front porch swing.

Swing (n)(v) – type of music and dancing

Swing (n) (v) - \_\_\_\_\_

I heard a diamond ring.

Ring (n) - \_\_\_\_\_

Ring (v) - \_\_\_\_\_

I seen a polka-dot railroad tie

Tie (n) - \_\_\_\_\_

Tie (n) - \_\_\_\_\_

I saw a clothes horse rear up and buck.

Clothes horse (n) - \_\_\_\_\_

Rear up and buck (v) – the aggressive or scared movements a horse makes

I heard a fireside chat.

Meaning one: subject + verb

Meaning two: adjective + noun

**II a. Listen to the song and fill in the blanks**

**II b. Correct grammar in the song.**

**When I See An Elephant Fly**  
**Dumbo**

I seen a peanut \_\_\_\_\_, heard a rubber \_\_\_\_\_

I seen a needle that winked its \_\_\_\_\_

But I be done seen about everything

When I see an \_\_\_\_\_

(What'd you say, boy?)

I said, when I see an elephant fly

I seen a front porch \_\_\_\_\_, heard a diamond \_\_\_\_\_

I seen a polka-dot railroad \_\_\_\_\_

But I be done seen about everything

When I see an elephant fly

I saw a clothes horse rear up and buck

And they tell me that a man made a vegetable \_\_\_\_\_

I didn't see that, I only heard

Just to be \_\_\_\_\_, I'll take your word

I heard a fireside chat, I saw a baseball \_\_\_\_\_

And I just laughed till I thought I'd die

But I be done seen about everything

When I see an elephant fly

But I be done seen about everything

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