Emperor Penguins

(Tune: The Mulberry Bush Lyrics: Cherry Carl)

Emperor penguins live on ice, And they're the best; they're oh, so nice. They huddle together, the young and old, As they take turns against the cold.

Emperor penguins live on ice. The papa's the best; he's oh, so nice. He stands alone for 65 days, And tends the egg the mother lays.

He doesn't eat a thing at all. While standing there, he's oh, so tall. He keeps that egg upon his feet, While mama penguin goes to eat.

When mama penguin comes back home, It's papa's turn to eat and roam. He fishes and swims in the icy sea, And he's as happy as can be.

As the baby chicks begin to grow, The parents fish; they come and go. And all the chicks just stay behind, But as a group they never mind!

Write a Word!

Look at the rhyming pairs from the poem. Write other words that rhyme.

ice nice	old cold	grow go	all tall	feet eat

Rhyme Time

Look at today's poem and find all of the rhyming pairs. Do they sound the same and look the same or do they have different spelling at the end? Write the rhyming pairs under the correct heading.

Sound the same Look the same		Sound the same Look different		