

The background is a bright blue sky with a large yellow sun in the upper left corner. Several white, fluffy clouds are scattered across the sky. Numerous thin, light blue lines radiate from the sun, creating a sunburst effect. The overall texture is slightly grainy, giving it a hand-drawn or painted appearance.

Unit 9

Chapter 9

Sing a song of people(Poem)

By Lois Lbnski

**Everybody seems to be in such a hurry these days!
I wonder why?**



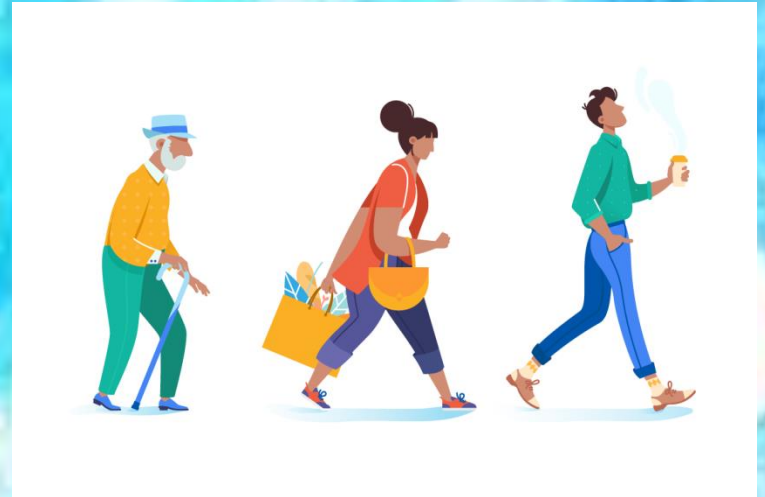
Introduction of the poem

This poem' Sing a song of people' has been composed by LOIS LBNSKI. In this the poet describes how people are in such a hurry these days. Wherever they are, they are in a hurry.

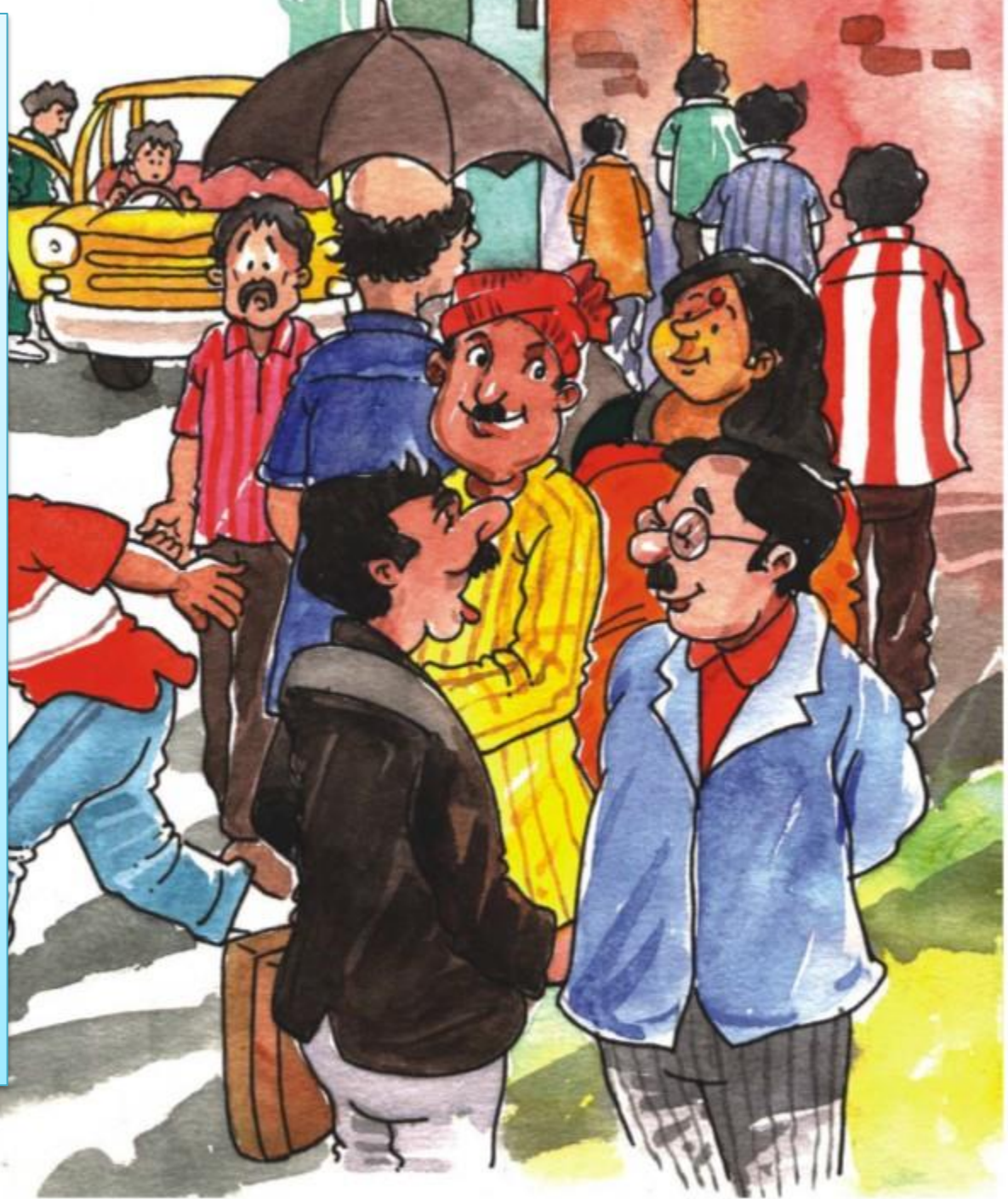
Let us read the poem

**Sing a song of people
Walking fast or slow;
People in the city,
Up and down they go.**

**People on the side walk,
People on the bus;
People passing, passing,
In back and front of us.**

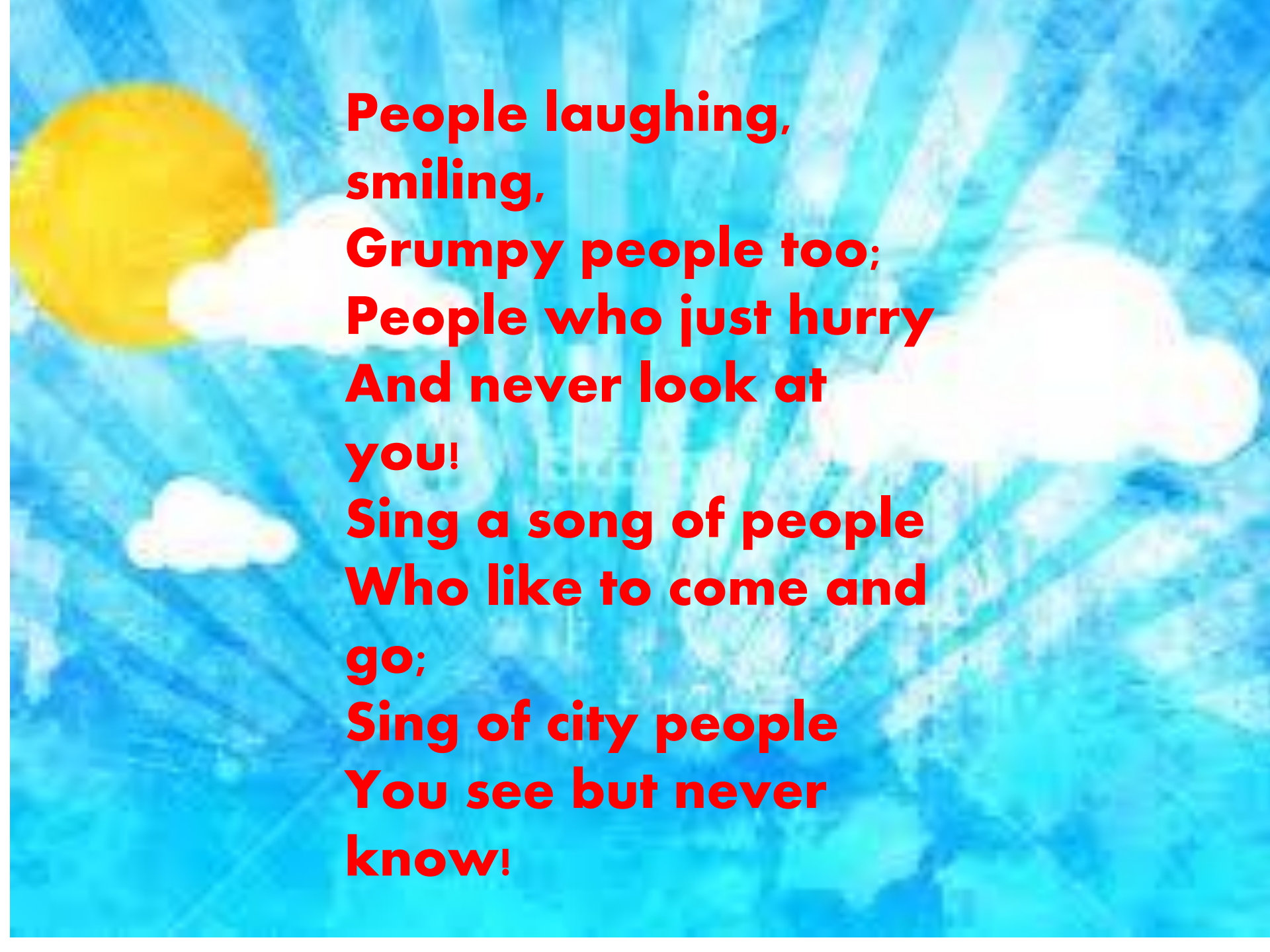


**People on the
subway
Underneath the
ground;
People riding
taxis
Round and round
and round.
People with their
hats on,
Going in the
doors;
People with
umbrellas
When it rains and
pours.**



People in tall buildings
And in stores below;
Riding elevators
Up and down they go.
People walking singly,
People in a crowd;
People saying nothing,
People talking loud.

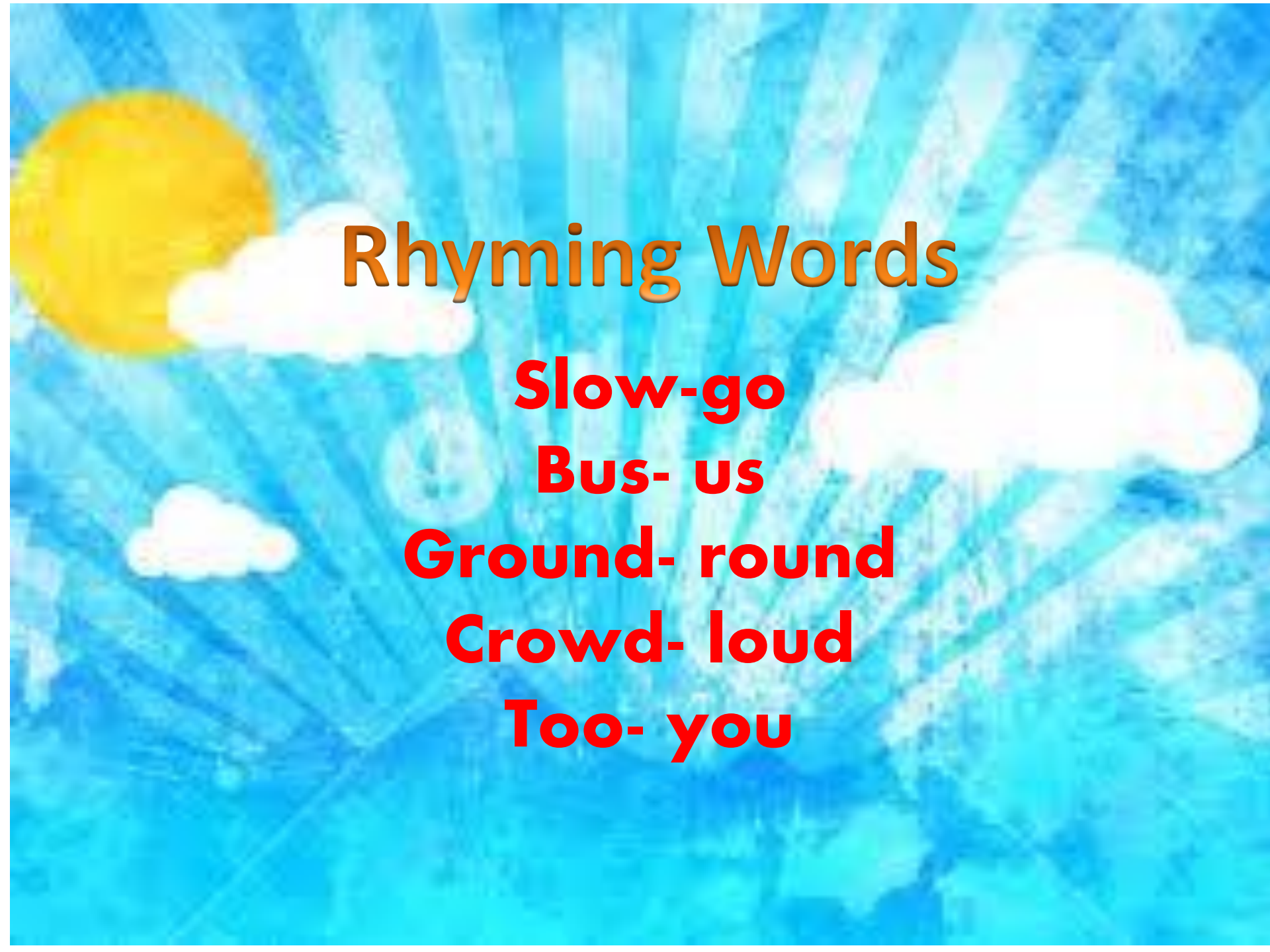




**People laughing,
smiling,
Grumpy people too;
People who just hurry
And never look at
you!
Sing a song of people
Who like to come and
go;
Sing of city people
You see but never
know!**

New words

- 1.subway : underground passage
for people to cross
- 2.underneath : below
- 3.elevators : lift
- 4.grumpy : ill-tempered



Rhyming Words

Slow-go

Bus- us

Ground- round

Crowd- loud

Too- you

Summary

This poem describes how people are in such a hurry these days. Wherever they are, they are in a hurry. They go here and there hurriedly. They can be seen on the subway. They can be seen with umbrellas in rains. They can be seen rushing for the taxis and riding elevators. Although they are walking singly, they are in a crowd everywhere. Some people are silent, while some are talking loudly. They can laugh and smile but they don't have time to look at others. It is because they are in a hurry.



Thanks