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Slow-Mo Twisters

Directions: Take a deep breath before you begin. Read each tongue twister **very slowly**, stretching out each sound (example: *Sss-aaa-mmm sss-aaa-nggg*). Focus on **clear pronunciation** of every single letter and sound. After your slow-motion read, try reading it once more at a normal pace. Circle or underline the words that were hardest to say slowly.

Tongue Twisters for Practice

1. Molly's many monkeys made messy music Monday morning.
2. Frank's funny frogs flipped freely from flat flowers.
3. Shiny shoes should stay spotless on smooth stone steps.
4. Billy's big brown bears baked blueberry bread briskly.
5. Tiny trains trundled through tall tunnels tonight.

Reflection Questions

1. Which tongue twister was **the easiest** to read in slow motion? Why?

2. Which tongue twister was **the hardest** to read in slow motion? Why?

3. Did stretching out the sounds make the normal-speed reading easier or harder? Explain.
