

## Worksheet 1

# What's that smell?

## Who's to Blame

Would your Mum or Dad let you call a pet 'King of Farts'?! The family dog in this story certainly deserves his name. He gets the blame but that's because he deserves it!

Think about your family pet or create an imaginary one.

Write a **story** or create a simple **comic strip** or compose a **short play** based on the heading '**Blame the Pet!**'

What sorts of things do you think your pet could be blamed for?

**For example:**

The washing on the clothesline keeps disappearing, the neighbours roses are dug out over and over again, there's giant teeth marks on the bird seed block, something keeps leaving muddy footprints on the shiny bonnet of Mum's new car etc...

And is the right thing getting the blame?

Is it really the pet or is little brother trying out Dad's gardening tools?

Is the possum that visits at night really eating his fruit on the bonnet of Mum's car?

Solve the mystery or blame the pet!

