Ages: 4-5

What if…

3 min



What to do:

1. State a fantasy situation: "What if the sun shone at night?"
2. Listen to the child's answers. Don't judge - accept every answer.
3. After each answer add: "And what else would happen?"

Try this too:

Your own versions: "What if we had wings? And what if everyone could only whisper?"

On repeat in 2 months:

"Remember how we imagined the sun shining at night? Today let's think of something else unusual - what would happen if…"

What we practised:

„What if" is an exercise for the imagination and, at the same time, for hypothetical thinking. For 4-5-year-olds it's still fantasy, but for 8-year-olds it's already the basis of scientific thinking."