



ABOUT YOU

Answer the questions and talk about your ideas.

- 1 What do we use keys for? Make a list.
- 2 How many keys do you use?
- 3 Do you think it is nicer to live in a town or a city?

This is a typical song for children from around 200 years ago. Nobody knows who wrote it.

- 1 Read the text. As you read, think about this question.
What does the song look like?

'This is the Key of the Kingdom' (a song)

This is the key of the **kingdom**
In that kingdom there is a city.

In that city there is a town.

In that town there is a street.

In that street there is a **lane**.

In that lane there is a **yard**.

In that yard there is a house.

In that house there is a room.

In that room there is a bed.

On that bed there is a **basket**.

In that basket there are some flowers.

Flowers in a basket,

Basket on the bed,

Bed in the room,

Room in the house,

House in the yard,

Yard in the lane,

Lane in the street,

Street in the town,

Town in the city,

City in the kingdom.

Of that kingdom this is the key.



GLOSSARY

kingdom	a country with a king or queen
lane	a small road, usually in the countryside
yard	an area of land in front of or behind a house
basket	a container with a handle

