

STEAM Powered Poetry Videos

What Does the Foreman Say?

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Saw goes BUZZ!
Hammer goes BANG!
And the carpenter says, "OW!"

[Hits thumb with a hammer.]

Wrench goes SQUEAK!
Pipes go CLUNK!
And the plumber says, "OW! OW!"

[Bumps head under the sink.]

Buzz-buzz, BANG!
Squeak-squeak. HEY—
Here comes the Foreman.
What does he say?

“Where's your equipment?
Find it now.
Put safety first
and you won't say "OW!"”



Mortar goes GLOP!
Bricks go THUNK!
And the bricklayer says, " OW!"

[Drops brick on bare toes or stubs bare toes.]

Cutters go SNIP!
Wire goes HISS!
The electrician says, "OW! OW!"

[Dodges flying sparks.]

Buzz-buzz, BANG!
Squeak-squeak, CLUNK!
Hiss-hiss, SNIP!
Glip-glop, THUNK!

Listen to the Foreman!
“Get hats and boots now!
Wear goggles and gloves
And you won't say, "OW!"”

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