

THEATRE ONE ARTICULATION EXERCISE

TEKS – (1) develop and practice theatre preparation and warm-up techniques;
(2) develop and practice effective voice and diction to express thoughts and feelings;

A tutor who tooted a flute

Tried to tutor two tooters to toot.

Said the two to the tutor,

“Is it harder to toot, or

To tutor two tooters to toot?”

Winnie and Jenny went down to the sea.

There was plenty of time to swim before tea.

Winnie was skinny, and Jenny was not.

Jenny dipped-skinny, but Winnie got caught.

That evening when Winnie went home to tea,

She swore she would never go swimming with
me.

Sitting in solemn silence on a dull, dark dock

In a pestilential prison with a life-long lock.

Awaiting the sensation of a short, sharp shock

From a cheap and chippy chopper on a big, black block.