



I like my bangs THIS SIZE

ACTIVITY SHEET

“I LIKE MY BANGS THIS SIZE”

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I like my bangs this size
I like them down to here
I like them in my eyes
When I look in the mirror

I like my clothes to clash
And colors to go strange
I'm starting a new fashion,
So please don't say to change

And what's a little dirt?
It shows I BEEN someplace!
I KNOW soap doesn't hurt,
But use it on my sister's face

'Cause I like mine MY way!
I look just fine, I say!
And if you disagree
That's just 'cause you're not ME!

I like mine MY way!
I like my looks like this!
Now show me it's OK –
Give me a big fat kiss!

I like my shirt this small
Who cares what people think!
I'd like it if ALL
My silly t-shirts shrink, shrink,
SHRINK!

I like my jeans with holes
The breeze makes my knees smile
And I like open toes!
It's my new sneaker style!

I don't want a tattoo
Or earring in my nose
All I want to do
Is pick out my own clothes!

You shouldn't shake you head,



You shouldn't laugh at me –
To dress myself I thought you said
Was MY responsibility!

Someday when it's a fad,
You'll brag to all your friends,
“Well, MY child used to dress like that
When it still wasn't IN!”

“Yes, she ‘expressed’ herself like that
When she was only ten!”



TODAY'S RE-BOP TOPIC APPEARANCES AND PARENTAL DISAPPROVAL

THINK ABOUT IT

Does your parent or anybody else give you grief or make fun of you for the way you dress or wear your hair or look? What do you wish you could explain to them?

RUNNING AWAY WITH YOUR IMAGINATION

Go wild and make a picture of yourself in a favorite outfit and hairdo that your grown-up would probably have a fit about!