

Bold troll in my room

The creature was built like a giant potato, with hair of a hippopotamus; burning eyes glowed across the room. It smelt like thrown up, rotten milk. It had a belly button shaped as a birds nest.

It was smaller than a human, but fatter than a house. His feet were as small as a computer screen. He had knobby arms, like a tree trunk.

His pants were as light as a feather. His mouth illuminated while he was drooling at me.

His bottom was glittering like stars in the sky. The skin was a swampy green colour with a pink tinge. His lips were as dry as a custard cream in the dessert.

He reminded me of an elephant stuffing himself with dark chocolate.

He held a club made from rocks and something brown to stick them together. His toe nails ripped the tiles on the roof as he climbed, because they were as sharp as a windmill point.

His teeth were as sharp as broken glass.

What I liked best

You've used some brilliant imagery. You are particularly good at coming up with colourful similes.

What would make it even better

Make sure your characters are practical. A troll that is fatter than a house is very funny, but you may be making hard work for yourself later down the line. For example, your troll will never be able to go *in* a house (at least not without causing considerable damage!)

Comment [RT1]: It's always good to pay attention to different senses, like smell. Well done.

Comment [RT2]: Ooh! That must be very hairy.

Comment [RT3]: Wow! That is one BIG troll.

Comment [RT4]: A glittery bottomed troll is very original.

Comment [RT5]: Well done for paying attention to the shade of green. These details really help make your description vivid.

Comment [RT6]: Did you mean 'desert' (those sandy hot places) or 'dessert' (a pudding)? You would be more likely to find a custard cream in a pudding, but it would probably not be very dry.

Comment [RT7]: Lucky elephant!