

**noun: microscope slide** - a small flat rectangular piece of glass on which specimens can be mounted for microscopic study.

**noun: magic slide** – a small flat rectangular piece of glass that holds secrets.

### 1 If the Sun is Shining Bright and Cheery

- Find that happy window where the light streams in.
- Face the sun.
- Don't look at the sun. Nope. Not good for your eyes.
- Hold your magic slide at arms length and belt high.
- Hold it horizontal (mostly).
- Tilt it. Rock it. Roll it. Tilt, rock, and roll!
- Hula-hoop your hips.
- Yeah baby. Gyrate them hips!
- Look for sparkle. Sparkly sparkle.
- Whoa baby. Look who's talking!

### 2 On a Day that is Dark and Dreary

- Find a good dark room.
- Find a yard high table in that good dark room.
- Place a good thick book on the yard high table in that good dark room.
- Lean your magic slide against the edge of the book at an angle of  $\pi/4$ . (On the yard high table in the good dark room.)
- Step back a yard from the table in the good dark room.
- Now. Place a single bright white LED on top of your head.
- One single LED. Not two. Not five. Not million. Single.
- Turn it on.
- Shine the light onto your magic slide that is leaning against the book on the yard high table one yard away in the good dark room.
- Hula-hoop your hips.
- Yeah baby!
- Make the sparkle sparkle.
- Whoa baby. Look who's talking!

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