

## Dodoitsu

### The Easter Bunny Drops the Basket

Easter Bunny sprained ankle  
thrust paw in left-over snow..  
Swollen, aching seeks baskets,  
yells for helpers to get eggs.

Easter Bunny hopping mad.  
“Any bunny go instead?”  
Eggs askew await baskets  
Bunnies choose to go on strike.

“Think of all the sad children”  
Easter Bunny sorely pleads.  
“Oh let their parents step up  
Let’s vacation in the sun.”

Easter Bunny changes heart.  
Time to retire. Holiday  
Just too much effort. Relax.  
Fewer eggs to cook and dye.

“Let’s celebrate in new ways.  
I’m putting my sprained paw up.”  
All bunnies cheered their leader  
hopping-along south this year.

### **Dodoitsu:**

1. 28 syllables in four lines.
2. Four lines of seven syllables