

Yankee Doodle, keep it up
Yankee Doodle dandy
Mind the music and the step
and with the girls be handy!
Father and I went down to camp
Along with Captain Gooding
And there we saw the men and boys
As thick as hasty pudding.

Chorus

And there was Captain Washington
And gentle folks about him
They say he's grown so tarnal proud
He will not ride without them.

Chorus

Z is for Zoo

(sung to "Wheels on the Bus")

Oh, the bear at the zoo goes
Grr, grr, grr,
Grr, grr, grr.

Oh, the bear at the zoo goes
Grr, grr, grr,
All day long.

Repeat additional verses:

Monkey at the zoo... ooo, ooo, ooo

Snake at the zoo.... hiss, hiss, hiss

Lion at the zoo....raar, raar, raar ...etc.

Z is for Zoom

Zoom, zoom zoom,
We're going to the moon.
Zoom, zoom, zoom,
We'll be there very soon.
So if you'd like to take a trip
Just step inside my rocket ship.

Zoom, zoom, zoom,
We're going to the moon.
Zoom, zoom, zoom,
We'll be there very soon.

10 - 9 - 8 - 7 - 6 - 5 -

4 - 3 - 2 - 1 - BLAST OFF!

A Counting We Will Go

A counting we will go
A counting we will go
1, 2, 3, 4 and 5
A counting we will go.
We're counting as we clap (clap)
We're counting as we jump (jump)
We're counting as we march (march)
We're counting as we spin (turn around)

Acka Backa

Acka backa soda cracker,
Acka backa boo.
Acka backa soda cracker,
Up goes you!
Acka backa soda cracker,
Acka backa boo.
Acka backa soda cracker,
I love you!

Ants Go Marching

The ants go marching one by one, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching one by one, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching one by one,
The little one stops to suck his thumb
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!
The ants go marching two by two, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching two by two, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching two by two,
The little one stops to tie his shoe
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!
The ants go marching three by three, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching three by three, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching three by three,
The little one stops to climb a tree
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!
The ants go marching four by four, hurrah, hurrah

The ants go marching four by four, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching four by four,
The little one stops to shut the door
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

The ants go marching five by five, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching five by five, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching five by five,
The little one stops to take a dive
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

The ants go marching six by six, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching six by six, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching six by six,
The little one stops to pick up sticks
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

The ants go marching seven by seven, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching seven by seven, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching seven by seven,
The little one stops to go to heaven
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

The ants go marching eight by eight, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching eight by eight, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching eight by eight,
The little one stops to shut the gate
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

The ants go marching nine by nine, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching nine by nine, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching nine by nine,
The little one stops to scratch his spine
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

The ants go marching ten by ten, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching ten by ten, hurrah, hurrah
The ants go marching ten by ten,
The little one stops to say "the end"
And they all go marching down to the ground to get out of the rain
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

(raise hands and wiggle fingers)
Wiggle low
(lower hands and wiggle fingers)
Wiggle left
(wiggle fingers to the left)
Wiggle right
(wiggle fingers to the right)
Wiggle fingers out of sight
(wiggle fingers behind back)

Working on the Railroad

I've been working on the railroad
All the live long day
I've been working on the railroad
Just to pass the time away
Can't you hear the whistle blowing
Rise up so early in the morn
Can't you hear the whistle blowing
Dinah, blow your horn
Dinah won't you blow
Dinah won't you blow
Dinah, won't you blow your horn
Dinah, won't you blow,
Dinah, won't you blow,
Dinah, won't you blow your horn
Someone's in the kitchen with dinah
Someone's in the kitchen i know
Someone's in the kitchen with dinah
Strumming on the old banjo
Fee fie fiddle eell o
Fee fie fiddle eell o
Fee fie fiddle eell o
Strumming on the old banjo

Yankee Doodle

Yankee Doodle went to town
A-riding on a pony
He stuck a feather in his hat
And called it macaroni
Chorus:

Off of our hands,
We're gonna wash that dirt right
Off of our hands,
We're gonna wash that dirt right
Off of our hands,
And send it on its way.

Repeat with additional verses:

Off of our face, out of our hair

Wash the Dishes

Wash the dishes,
Wipe the dishes,
Ring the bell for tea.
Three good wishes,
Three good kisses,
I will give to thee.

Wee Willie Winkie

Wee Willie Winkie runs through the town,
Upstairs and downstairs in his nightgown,
Rapping at the window, crying through the lock,
Are the children all in bed, for now it's eight o'clock?

Wheels on the Bus

The wheels on the bus go round and round.,
Round and round, round and round,
The wheels on the bus go round and round,
All around the town.

The wipers on the bus go swish, swish, swish...
The driver on the bus says "move on back"...
The people on the bus go up and down...
The babies on the bus go "wah, wah, wah"...
The parents on the bus go "ssh, ssh, ssh"...

*(Adaptations: the horse on the farm goes "neigh, neigh, neigh;"
cow, lamb, pig, etc.)*

Wiggle Fingers

Wiggle fingers, wiggle so
(wiggle fingers)
Wiggle high

Apple Harvest

Up in the green orchard, there is a green tree,
The finest of pippins that ever you see;
The apples are ripe and ready to fall,
And Richard and Robin shall gather 'em all.

Apple Tree

Way up high in an apple tree,
(Hold arms above head, fingers spread)
Two little apples did I see.
(Make fists)
So I shook that tree as hard as I could,
(Wiggle entire body)
Down, came the apples.
(Lower arms)
Mmmmmmmm, they were good!
(Rub tummy)

Are You Sleeping?/ Frère Jacques

Are you sleeping, are you sleeping?
Brother John, Brother John?
Morning bells are ringing, morning bells are ringing
Ding ding dong, ding ding dong.
Frère Jacques, Frère Jacques,
Dormez-vous? Dormez-vous?
Sonnez les matines, sonnez les matines
Ding ding dong, ding ding dong.

Baa, Baa, Black Sheep

Baa, baa, black sheep have you any wool?
Yes, sir, yes, sir, three bags full.
One for the master, and one for the dame,
And one for the little boy who lives down the lane.

Baby Shark

(Make mouth with finger and thumb)

Baby shark, doo doo doo, doo doo doo doo doo.
Baby shark, doo doo doo, doo doo doo doo doo.
Baby shark, doo doo doo, doo doo doo doo doo.

Baby shark.

Repeat additional verses:

*Mama shark (mouth with hands), Papa shark (mouth with arms),
Grandma shark (mouth with fists), Grandpa shark (mouth with
arms, fists closed), Let's go hunt (pointed hands over head), Run
away (running motion), Safe at last (hand across forehead), It's the
end (shake hands in the air)*

Beehive

(Hold up fist)

Here is the beehive
Where are the bees?
Hidden away where nobody sees.
Watch as they come out of the hive.
One, two, three, four, five
(Put up appropriate number of fingers)
Oh no, they're alive!!!
(Buzz fingers all around)

BINGO

(clapping song)

There was a farmer, had a dog and Bingo was his name-o.

B-I-N-G-O,

B-I-N-G-O,

B-I-N-G-O,

And Bingo was his name-o.

There was a farmer, had a dog and Bingo was his name-o.

(Clap)-I-N-G-O,

(Clap)-I-N-G-O,

(Clap)-I-N-G-O,

And Bingo was his name-o.

(Repeat until you clap for all the letters.)

Bumblebee

I'm bringing home a baby bumblebee.
Won't my mommy be so proud of me?
I'm bringing home a baby bumblebee.
Buzzzzzz. Ouch! She bit me!
(Make fingers into bee and nip at child's arm)

Three Little Kittens

Three little kittens,
Have lost their mittens,
And they began to cry,
"Oh, mother dear,
We sadly fear,
Our mittens we have lost!"
Three little kittens,
They found their mittens,
And they began to cry,
"Oh, mother dear,
See here, see here,
Our mittens we have found!"

Tommy Thumbs Up

(follow actions using thumbs)

Tommy Thumbs up and Tommy Thumbs down,
Tommy Thumbs dancing all around the town.
Dance them on your shoulders,
Dance them on your head.
Dance them on your knees and
Tuck them into bed.

Two Blackbirds

There were two blackbirds sitting on a hill,
The one named Jack, the other named Jill.
Fly away, Jack! Fly away, Jill!
Come back, Jack! Come back, Jill!

Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star

Twinkle, twinkle little star.
How I wonder what you are.
Up above the world so high,
Like a diamond in the sky.
Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
How I wonder what you are.

Washing

We're gonna wash that dirt right

This Is the Way

(sung to "Here We Go Round the Mulberry Bush")

This is the way we clap our hands,

Clap our hands, clap our hands.

This is the way we clap our hands,

So early in the morning.

Repeat with additional verses:

tap our toes, touch our nose, stomp our feet

This Little Piggie

This little piggie went to market.

This little piggie stayed home.

This little piggie had roast beef.

This little piggie had none.

And this little piggie cried, "Wee! Wee! Wee!"

All the way home.

This Old Man

This old man, he played one, he played knick knack

On my drum, with a knick knack patty whak,

Give a dog a bone,

This old man came rolling home.

Repeat with additional verses: 2-shoe, 3-knee, 4-door, 5-hive,

6-sticks, 7-up in heaven, 8-gate, 9-spine, 10-once again

Three Blind Mice

Three blind mice,

Three blind mice

See how they run,

See how they run!

They all ran after

The farmer's wife

She cut off their tails

With a carving knife

Did you ever see

Such a sight in your life

As three blind mice?

Bright Sun

(sung to "Row, Row, Row Your Boat")

Bright sun shining down,
Shining on the ground.
What a lovely face you have,
Yellow, big and round.

Car Song

(sung to "The Farmer in the Dell")

We're riding in the car,
We're riding in the car,
Hi-ho, away we go,
We're riding in the car.
We're riding, oh, so far,
We're riding, oh, so far,
Hi-ho, away we go,
We're riding, oh, so far.

Choo-Choo Train

This is a choo-choo train,
(Bend arms at elbows)
Puffing down the track.
(Rotate arms in rhythm)
Now it's going forward,
(Step forward)
Now it's going back.
(Step back)
Now the bell is ringing,
(Pull bell cord with closed fist)
Now the whistle blows.
(Hold fist near mouth and nose)
What a lot of noise it makes,
(Cover ears)
Everywhere it goes.
(Stretch out arms)

Clap, Tap, Bend

I take my little hands and go
Clap, clap, clap.

I take my little hands and go

Clap, clap, clap.

I take my little hands and go

Clap, clap, clap.

Clap, clap all day long.

Repeat with additional verses:

I take my little feet and go tap, tap, tap...

I take my little knees and go bend, bend, bend...

Clap Your Hands

Clap, clap, clap your hands,

Clap your hands with me,

(Clap hands together)

Clap them fast *(increase speed)*

Clap them slow *(dramatically slower)*

Clap your hands with me.

Repeat with additional verses:

stomp your feet, pat your knees, sway your arms

Clap Your Hands

(Action rhyme)

Clap your hands,

Touch your toes

Turn around and

Put your finger on your nose.

Flap your arms

Reach up high,

Wiggle your fingers,

And stretch to the sky.

Closing Song

The more we get together,

Together, together,

The more we get together,

The happier we'll be.

'Cause your friends are my friends,

And my friends are your friends.

The more we get together,

The happier we'll be.

Repeat with additional verses:

read together, sing together

Wiggle, wiggle, wiggle your fingers.
Wiggle then make them stop.

Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear

(sung to "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star")

Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Turn around.
Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Touch the ground.
Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Reach up high.
Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Touch the sky.
Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Touch your shoe.
Teddy bear, teddy bear,
I love you!

Ten Little Fingers

I have ten little fingers,
And they all belong to me.
I can make them do things,
Would you like to see?
I can shut them up tight,
Or open them wide.
I can put them together,
Or make them all hide.
I can make them jump high.
I can make them go low.
I can fold them up quietly,
And hold them just so.

There was an Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe

There was an old woman
Who lived in a shoe.
She had so many children
She didn't know what to do.
She gave them some broth
Without any bread.
She gave them all kisses,
And sent them to bed.

Flies in the sugar bowl, shoo, shoo, shoo...

(Shoo fly away)

Train is a coming, choo, choo, choo...

(Move engine like blowing train whistle)

Somebody's hiding, boo, boo, boo...

(Peek-a-boo)

Slowly, Slowly

Slowly, slowly, very slowly

Creeps the garden snail.

Slowly, slowly, very slowly

Up the wooden rail.

Quickly, quickly, very quickly

Runs the little mouse.

Quickly, quickly, very quickly

'Round about the house.

Star Light, Star Bright

Star light, star bright,

First star I see tonight,

I wish I may, I wish I might,

Have the wish I wish tonight.

Sunshine

You are my sunshine, my only sunshine,

You make me happy when skies are gray,

You'll never know, dear, how much I love you,

Please don't take my sunshine away.

Swing Your Arms

Swing, swing, swing your arms.

Swing them just like this.

Swing, swing, swing your arms.

Swing them both and stop.

March, march, march your feet.

March them just like this.

March, march, march your feet.

March them now and stop.

Wiggle, wiggle, wiggle your fingers.

Wiggle them just like this.

Cobbler, Cobbler

Cobbler, cobbler, mend my shoe.
Give it one stitch, give it two,
Give it three, give it four,
And if it needs it, give it more.

Cows in the Barn

(sung to "The Wheels on the Bus")

The cows in the barn go moo, moo, moo,
Moo, moo, moo,
Moo, moo, moo.
The cows in the barn go moo, moo, moo,
Moo, moo all day long.

Repeat with additional verses:

*ducks in the pond go quack, quack, quack...
sheep in the field go baa, baa, baa...
piggies in their pens go oink, oink, oink...*

Criss, Cross, Applesauce

Cross, cross, applesauce
(Draw an X on child's back with finger)
Spiders running up your back.
(Walk fingers up child's back)
Cool breeze,
(Blow gently on child's neck and back of head)
Tight squeeze,
(Give child a big hug)
Now you've got the shivers!
(Tickle child gently all over)

Crooked Man

There was a crooked man
And he walked a crooked mile.
He found a crooked sixpence
Against a crooked stile.
He bought a crooked cat
Which caught a crooked mouse.
And they all lived together
In a crooked little house.

Do Your Ears Hang Low?

Do your ears hang low?
Do they wobble to and fro?
Can you tie them in a knot?
Can you tie them in a bow?
Can you throw them over your shoulder
Like a continental soldier?
Do your ears hang low?
Do your ears stand high?
Do they reach up to the sky?
Do they droop when they are wet?
Do they stiffen when they're dry?
Can you wave them at your neighbor
With a minimum of labor?
Do your ears stand high?
Do your ears flip-flop?
Can you use them as a mop?
Are they stringy at the bottom?
Are they curly at the top?
Can you use them for a sweater?
Can you use them for a blotter?
Do your ears flip-flop?
Do your ears stick out?
Can you waggle them about?
Can you flap them up and down
As you fly around the town?
Can you shut them up for sure
When you hear an awful bore?
Do your ears stick out?

Down by the Station

Down by the station, early in the morning,
See the little puffer-bellies all in a row;
See the station master pull the little handle -
Chug, chug, toot, toot, off we go!

The Engine

Here is the engine
That runs on the this track.

(Use left arm for track and right hand for engine that runs up arm)

She'll be wearing red pajamas when she comes
She'll be wearing red pajamas when she comes
She'll be wearing red pajamas, she'll be wearing red pajamas,
She'll be wearing red pajamas when she comes
She will have to sleep with Grandma when she comes (Snore)
She will have to sleep with Grandma when she comes (Snore)
She will have to sleep with Grandma, she will have to sleep with
Grandma,
She will have to sleep with Grandma when she comes. (Snore)
We'll be singing Hallelujah when she comes.
We'll be singing Hallelujah when she comes.
We'll be singing Hallelujah, we'll be singing Hallelujah
We'll be singing Hallelujah when she comes.
We will all have chicken and dumplings when she comes.
(Yum yum)
We will all have chicken and dumplings when she comes.
(Yum yum)
We will all have chicken and dumplings, we'll all have chicken
and dumplings.
We will all have chicken and dumplings when she comes.
(Yum yum)

Sing a Song of Sixpence

Sing a song of sixpence, a pocket full of rye;
Four and twenty blackbirds baked in a pie.
When the pie was opened, the birds began to sing;
Wasn't that a dainty dish to set before the king?
The king was in the counting house, counting out his money.
The queen was in the parlor, eating bread and honey.
The maid was in the garden, hanging up the clothes,
When down came a blackbird and snipped off her nose.

Skip, Skip, Skip to My Lou

Skip, skip, skip to my Lou,
(*Skip in place*)
Skip, skip, skip to my Lou,
Skip, skip, skip to my Lou,
Skip to my Lou, my darling.
Cows in the meadow, moo, moo, moo...
(*Fingers make horns and nod on moo*)

Sally Go Round the Sun

Sally go round the sun,
Sally go round the moon,
Sally go round the chimney pots
On a Saturday afternoon.

Shake My Sillies Out

Gotta shake, shake, shake my sillies out,
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out,
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out,
And wiggle my waggles away.
Repeat with additional verses:
Clap, clap, clap my crazies out
Jump, jump, jump my jiggles out
Yawn, yawn, yawn my sleepies out

Shapes

(sung to "Do You Know the Muffin Man?")

Do you know what shape this is,
What shape this is,
What shape this is?
Do you know what shape this is,
I'm holding in my hand?

She'll be Comin' Round the Mountain

She'll be coming round the mountain when she comes
She'll be coming round the mountain when she comes
She'll be coming round the mountain, she'll be coming round
the mountain,
She'll be coming round the mountain when she comes
She'll be driving six white horses when she comes (Hee Haw)
She'll be driving six white horses when she comes (Hee Haw)
She'll be driving six white horses, she'll be driving
six white horses,
She'll be driving six white horses when she comes (Hee Haw)
Oh, we'll all go out to meet her when she comes (Hi, Babe)
Oh, we'll all go out to meet her when she comes (Hi, Babe)
Oh, we'll all go out to meet her, we'll all go out to meet her,
We'll all go out to meet her when she comes (Hi, Babe)

It whistles - "Toot Toot"
And then it runs back.
(Run fingers back down)

The Farmer in the Dell

The farmer in the dell
The farmer in the dell
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The farmer in the dell
The farmer takes a wife
The farmer takes a wife
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The farmer takes a wife
The wife takes the child
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The wife takes the child
The child takes the nurse
The child takes the nurse
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The child takes the nurse
The nurse takes the cow
The nurse takes the cow
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The nurse takes the cow
The cow takes the dog
The cow takes the dog
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The cow takes the dog
The dog takes the cat
The dog takes the cat
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The dog takes the cat
The cat takes the mouse
The cat takes the mouse
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The cat takes the mouse
The mouse takes the cheese
The mouse takes the cheese
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The mouse takes the cheese

The cheese stands alone
The cheese stands alone
Hi-ho, the derry-o
The cheese stands alone

Five Green and Speckled Frogs

Five little speckled frogs
Sit on a speckled log
(Hold up five fingers)
Eating some most delicious bugs
YUM, YUM!
(Pat tummy)
One jumped into the pool,
where it was nice and cool
Now there's only four green speckled frogs
Glub, glub.
(Repeat with 4, 3, 2, 1 frogs)
Now there are no more speckled frogs - glub, glub.

Five Little Ducks

Five little ducks that I once knew,
Fat ones, skinny ones there were too.
But the one little duck with the feather on his back,
He led the others with a quack, quack, quack.
Quack, quack, quack
Quack, quack, quack.
He led the others with a quack, quack, quack.
Down to the meadow they would go
Wibble, wobble, wibble, wobble to and fro
But the one little duck with the feather on his back...
(Repeat refrain)

Five Little Ducks Went Out to Play

Five little ducks went out to play
(Hold up five fingers)
Over the hill and far away
(Make hand go over hill and hold hand up to shade eyes)
Mother duck said, "Quack, quack, quack, quack"
(Make hand into duck bill and open and close)
But only four little ducks came waddling back

Touch the floor,
Stand up again,
Let's do some more.
Touch your head,
Then your knee,
Up to your shoulders,
Like this, you see.
Reach for the ceiling,
Touch the floor.
That's all for now,
There isn't anymore,

Ring Around the Rosie

(Hold hands and go around in circles)

Ring around the rosie,
A pocket full of posies,
Ashes, ashes, we all fall down!
("Fall down" with child)
Cows are in the meadows,
Eating buttercups.
Thunder, lightning,
(Gently pound hands on floor)
We all stand up!
(Stand up on last line)

Row Your Boat

Row, row, row your boat
Gently down the stream
Merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily
Life is but a dream.

Rub-a-Dub Dub

Rub-a-dub dub
Three men in a tub.
And who do you think they be?
The butcher, the baker,
The candlestick maker.
Throw them out - knaves all three.

The Queen of Hearts

The queen of Hearts
She made some tarts,
All on a summer's day.
The Knave of Hearts,
He stole the tarts,
And took them clean away.
The King of Hearts,
Called for the tarts,
And beat the Knave full sore.
The Knave of Hearts
Brought back the tarts,
And vowed he'd steal no more.

Rain

Rain is falling down,
Splash!
Rain is falling down,
Splash!
Pitter patter
Pitter patter
Rain is falling down,
Splash!

Rain

Rain on the green grass, and rain on the tree;
Rain on the housetop, but not on me.

Rain, Rain, Go Away!

Rain, rain,
Go away!
Come again
Another day.
All the children
Want to play!

Reach for the Ceiling

(Suit actions to words)

Reach for the ceiling,

(Hold up four fingers)
Four little ducks...
Three little ducks...
Two little ducks...
One little duck went out one day,
Over the hills and far away.
Mother duck said, "Quack, quack, quack, quack!"
But none of the five little ducks came waddling back.
Sad mother duck went out one day,
Over the hills and far away.
Mother duck said, "Quack, quack, quack, quack!"
And all of the five little ducks came waddling back.

Five Little Monkeys Jumping on the Bed

Five little monkeys
Jumping on the bed.
One fell off
And bumped his head.
Mama called the doctor
And the doctor said,
"No more monkeys jumping on the bed!"
Repeat with Four little monkeys...
Three little monkeys...
Two little monkeys...
One little monkey...

Five Little Monkeys Swinging in the Tree

Five little monkeys swinging in a tree,
Teasing Mr. Crocodile, "You can't catch me."
Up comes Mr. Crocodile as quiet as can be,
And snaps that monkey right out of the tree!
Four little monkeys swinging in a tree...
Three little monkeys swinging in a tree...
Two little monkeys swinging in a tree...
One little monkey swinging in a tree...
Teasing Mr. Crocodile, "You can't catch me."
Up comes Mr. Crocodile as quiet as can be
And snaps that monkey right out of the tree!
And away swims Mr. Crocodile, as full as can be!

Five Little Pumpkins

Five little pumpkins, sitting on a gate;
(Hold up five fingers)
The first one said, "My, it's getting late."
(Hold up one finger)
The second one said, "There are witches in the air,"
(Hold up two fingers)
The third one said, "But we don't care."
(Hold up three fingers)
The fourth one said, "Let's run, and run and run!"
(Hold up four fingers)
The fifth one said, "It's Halloween fun."
(Hold up thumb)
"WOOOOOOOOOO," went the wind,
(Wave arms)
And out went the lights,
(Clap)
And the five little pumpkins
Ran fast out of sight!
(Run fingers behind back)

Five Plump Peas

Five plump peas in a pea pod pressed.
(Hold one fist up)
One grew, two grew, and so did all the rest.
(Open fist one finger at a time)
They grew and they grew and they never stopped.
(Putting both hands together move them apart on each "grew")
They grew so big that the pea pod popped!
(Clap hands on "popped")

From Wibbleton to Wobbleton

(fun to clap or bounce to)

From Wibbleton to Wobbleton is fifteen miles,
From Wobbleton to Wibbleton is fifteen miles,
From Wibbleton to Wobbleton, from Wobbleton to Wibbleton,
From Wibbleton to Wobbleton is fifteen miles.

Polly Put the Kettle On

Polly put the kettle on,
Polly put the kettle on,
Polly put the kettle on,
 We'll all have tea.
Sukie take it off again,
Sukie take it off again,
Sukie take it off again,
They've all gone away.

Pop Goes the Weasel

All around the mulberry bush
The monkey chased the weasel
The monkey thought 'twas all in fun
 Pop! Goes the weasel
A penny for a spool of thread,
 A penny for a needle,
That's the way the money goes
 Pop! goes the weasel

Pussycat, Pussycat

Pussycat, pussycat, where have you been?
I've been to London to look at the queen.
Pussycat, pussycat, what did you there?
I frightened a little mouse under her chair.

Put Your Finger On Your Nose

Put your finger on your nose,
 On your nose.
Put your finger on your nose,
 On your nose.
Put your finger on your nose.
Put your finger on your nose.
Put your finger on your nose,
 On your nose!

*Repeat with additional verses:
On your belly, on your head, on your toes*

The more he saw, the less he spoke.
The less he spoke, the more he heard.
Why can't we be like that wise old bird?

Pancake

Mix a pancake, stir a pancake,
Pop it in a pan.
Fry a pancake, toss a pancake,
Catch it if you can!

Pat-a-Cake, Pat-a-Cake

Pat-a-cake, pat-a-cake baker's man
Bake me a cake as fast as you can.
(Clap hands)
Roll it
(Roll hands)
Pat it
(Pat hands)
Mark it with a B
(Draw letter "B" with child's hand)
And put it in the oven for baby and me!
(Clap hands)

Pease Porridge Hot

Pease porridge hot,
Pease porridge cold,
Pease porridge in the pot nine days old.
Some like it hot
Some like it cold
Some like it in the pot nine days old!

Peddler's Song

Smiling girls, rosy boys,
Here - come buy my little toys.
Mighty men of gingerbread,
Crowd my stall with faces red,
And sugar maidens you behold,
Lie about them all in gold.

Fuzzy Wuzzy

Fuzzy Wuzzy was a bear.
Fuzzy Wuzzy had no hair.
Fuzzy Wuzzy wasn't very fuzzy,
Was he?

Good Morning Toes

Good morning toes,
Good morning toes,
And how are you today?
I trust you had a good night's sleep,
And now you're ready to play.
*Repeat with additional verses:
knees, tummy, hands, cheeks*

The Grand Old Duke of York

Oh, the grand old Duke of York,
He had ten thousand men.
He marched them up to the top of the hill,
And he marched them down again.
And when they're up, they're up.
And when they're down, they're down.
And when they're only halfway up,
They're neither up nor down.

Hands on Hips

Hands on hips,
Hands on knees,
Put them behind you,
If you please.
Touch your shoulders,
Touch your nose,
Touch your ears,
And touch your toes.

Hands Up High

(Sing to "London Bridge;" move appropriately to words)

First we wave our hands up high,
Hands up high, hands up high.

First we wave our hands up high.
Then we clap them.
Then we shake our hands down low,
Hands down low, hands down low.
Then we shake our hands down low.
Then we hide them.

Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes

(Throughout, touch appropriate part of own body)

Head, shoulders, knees and toes,
Knees and toes
Head, shoulders, knees and toes,
Knees and toes
Eyes and ears, and mouth and nose,
Head, shoulders, knees and toes,
Knees and toes.

Here We Go Round the Mulberry Bush

Here we go round the mulberry bush
The mulberry bush, the mulberry bush
Here we go round the mulberry bush
So early in the morning
This is the way we bale the hay
Bale the hay, bale the hay
This is the way we bale the hay
So early Monday morning
This is the way we feed the chicks
Feed the chicks, feed the chicks
This is the way we feed the chicks
So early Tuesday morning
This is the way we sweep the porch
Sweep the porch, sweep the porch
This is the way we sweep the porch
So early Wednesday morning
This is the way we paint the fence
Paint the fence, paint the fence
This is the way we paint the fence
So early Thursday morning
This is the way we groom the horse
Groom the horse, groom the horse

And give your hands a clap, clap, clap.
Two little fingers...
Three little fingers...
Four little fingers...
Five little fingers...
And put them in your lap, lap, lap.

One, Two, Buckle My Shoe

(Bounce child on knees throughout)

One, two, buckle my shoe,
Three, four, shut the door,
Five, six, pick up sticks,
Seven, eight, lay them straight,
Nine, ten, a big fat hen.

One, Two, Three, Four

One, two, three, four,
Mary's at the cottage door.
Five, six, seven, eight,
Eating cherries off a plate.

Open Them, Shut Them

Open, shut them. Open, shut them.
(Open and close fist)
Give a little clap.
(Clap hands together)
Open, shut them. Open, shut them.
(Open and close fist)
Put them in your lap.
(Put hands in lap)
Creep them, creep them,
Up your chin.
(Creep fingers up to chin)
Open your mouth,
But don't let them in!
(Hide hands behind back)

The Owl

There was an old owl who lived in an oak,

He trots and trots and then he STOPS.

(Pause)

My funny little pony,
Mac-a-ro-ni!

(Continue to bounce child)

My Wiggles

(Suit actions to words)

I wiggle my fingers.

I wiggle my toes.

I wiggle my shoulders.

I wiggle my nose.

Now all my wiggles are out of me,

And I'm just as still as I can be.

Old MacDonald's Farm

Old MacDonald had a farm, E-I-E-I-O.
And on his farm he had a cow, E-I-E-I-O.

With a moo-moo here

And a moo-moo there.

Here a moo, there a moo,

Everywhere a moo-moo.

Old MacDonald had a farm, E-I-E-I-O.

Repeat with additional verses:

Pig...oink-oink

Duck...quack-quack

Sheep...baa-baa

Old Mother Hubbard

Old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard

To get her poor dog a bone;

But when she got there

The cupboard was bare,

And so the poor dog had none.

One Little Finger

One little finger, one little finger, one little finger,

Tap, tap, tap,

Point to the ceiling, point to the floor

This is the way we groom the horse
So early Friday morning
Oh, this is the way we milk the cows
Milk the cows, milk the cows
This is the way we milk the cows
So early Saturday morning
Here we go round the mulberry bush
The mulberry bush, the mulberry bush
Here we go round the mulberry bush
So early Sunday morning

Hey Diddle Diddle

Hey diddle, diddle,
The cat and the fiddle,
The cow jumped over the moon.
The little dog laughed
To see such sport,
And the dish ran away with the spoon

Hickety, Pickety

Hickety, pickety, my black hen
She lays eggs for gentlemen;
Gentlemen come every day,
To see what my black hen doth lay.

Hickory Dickory Dock

Hickory dickory dock
The mouse ran up the clock.
The clock struck one,
The mouse ran down,
Hickory dickory dock.

Hokey Pokey

You put your right hand in,
You take your right hand out,
You put your right hand in,
And you shake it all about.
You do the hokey pokey,
And you turn yourself around,

That's what it's all about!
*Repeat with additional verses:
left hand, right foot, left foot, whole self*

Horsie, Horsie

Horsie, horsie, don't you stop,
Just let your feet go clipetty clop;
Your tail goes swish, and the wheels go round,
Giddy up, you're homeward bound!

How Much is that Doggie in the Window?

(Try clapping or using shaker instruments while singing)

How much is that doggie in the window?
The one with the waggily tail.
How much is that doggie in the window?
I do hope that doggie's for sale!
Woof! Woof!

Humpty Dumpty

Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall.
(Bounce child gently on lap)
Humpty Dumpty had a great fall.
All the king's horses and all the king's men,
Couldn't put Humpty together again.
(Part legs or straighten them to slide child down)

I Hear Thunder

(Sung to "Frère Jacques")
I hear thunder, I hear thunder.
(Pound hands gently on floor or lap)
Listen, don't you? Listen, don't you?
(Cup hand to ear)
Pitter, patter raindrops; pitter, patter raindrops;
(Wiggle fingers in falling motion in front of face)
I'm wet through,
(Shake body)
So are you!
(Tickle child)

Down his nose, nose, nose.
And every day, day, day
For fifty cents, cents, cents
They both go out, out, out
And jump the fence, fence, fence!

The More We Get Together

The more we get together,
Together, together,
The more we get together
The happier we'll be.
For your friends are my friends,
And my friends are your friends,
The more we get together,
The happier we'll be!

Mother and Father and Uncle John

Mother and Father and Uncle John went to town one by one.

(Bounce child on lap)

Mother fell off.

(Tip child to one side on "off")

Father fell off.

(Tip child to opposite side on "off")

But Uncle John went on and on and on and on and on!

Muffin Man

Do you know the muffin man,
The muffin man, the muffin man?
Do you know the muffin man,
Who lives on Drury Lane?
Yes, I know the muffin man,
The muffin man, the muffin man.
Yes, I know the muffin man,
Who lives on Drury Lane.

My Pony Macaroni

(Bounce child on knees throughout)

I have a little pony,
His name is Macaroni.

With silver buttons, buttons, buttons
All down her back, back, back.
She asked her mother, mother, mother
For fifty cents, cents, cents
To see the elephant, elephant, elephant
Jump the fence, fence, fence.
He jumped so high, high, high
He reached the sky, sky, sky
And didn't come back, back, back
Till the fourth of July, July, July.
He fell so fast, fast, fast
He fell so hard, hard, hard
He made a hole, hole, hole
In her back yard, yard, yard.
He landed with, with, with
A bumpy thud, thud, thud
And got all full, full, full
Of muck and mud, mud, mud.
Miss Mary Mack, Mack, Mack
Gave him a drink, drink, drink
And he got clean, clean, clean
Quick as a wink, wink, wink.
His keeper came, came, came
To take him back, back, back
"Oh, please don't go, go, go"
Cried Mary Mack, Mack, Mack.
"I'll feed you hay, hay, hay
And peanut tea, tea, tea
If you will stay, stay, stay
And live with me, me, me."
"The silver buttons, buttons, buttons
Down my dress, dress, dress
Will all be yours, yours, yours
If you say yes, yes, yes."
Now Mary Mack, Mack, Mack
All dressed in black, black, black
Has purple buttons, buttons, buttons
Down her back, back, back.
And Elephant, Phant, Phant
Has shiny rows, rows, rows
Of silver buttons, buttons, buttons

I Wish I Were a...

(Sung to "Did you ever see a Lassie")

I wish I were a bunny, a bunny, a bunny,
I wish I were a bunny, cause bunnies can hop.
They hop, and they hop, and they hop and they hop.
I wish I were a bunny, cause bunnies can hop.

Repeat with additional Verses:

*Fish-swim, horses-gallop, birds-fly, frogs-leap
Animal Sounds: cows-moo, dogs-bark, cats-meow, sheep-baa*

I'm a Little Teapot

I'm a little teapot short and stout.
Here is my handle,
(Put one hand on hip)
Here is my spout.
(Put other hand up in the air)
When I get all steamed up,
Hear me shout.
Tip me over and pour me out
(Bend over at waist and then stand up)
I'm a special teapot, it is true.
Here, let me show you what I can do.
I can change my handle and my spout,
(Switch positions of arms)
Tip me over and pour me out.
(Bend to other side at waistline)

If You Are Wearing...

(sung to "If You're Happy and You Know It")

If you are wearing red, shake your head.
If you are wearing red, shake your head.
If you are wearing red,
Then please shake your head.
If you are wearing red, shake your head.

Repeat with additional verses:

*blue, touch your shoe
black, pat your back
brown, turn around*

If You're Happy and You Know It

If you're happy and you know it, clap your hands.

If you're happy and you know it, clap your hands.

If you're happy and you know it,
Then your face will surely show it,
If you're happy and you know it,
Clap your hands.

Repeat with additional verses:

pat your head, tickle your chin, stamp your feet, shout hooray!

The Itsy Bitsy Spider

The itsy, bitsy spider went up the water spout.

(Move finger up toward sky)

Down came the rain and washed the spider out.

(Bring fingers down and back)

Out came the sun and dried up all the rain

(Move arms up over head)

And the itsy, bitsy spider climbed up the spout again.

(Move fingers up toward sky)

Repeat using "great big spider" using gruff, deep voice

It's Raining, It's Pouring

It's raining, it's pouring,

The old man is snoring.

He went to bed

And bumped his head,

And couldn't get up in the morning.

I've Been Working on the Railroad

I've been working on the railroad

All the live long day

I've been working on the railroad

Just to pass the time away

Don't you hear the whistle blowin'

Rise up so early in the morn

Can't you hear the captain shouting

Dinah blow your horn

Dinah won't you blow

Dinah won't you blow

Build it up with iron and steel,
My fair Lady.
Iron and steel will bend and bow,
Bend and bow, bend and bow,
Iron and steel will bend and bow,
My fair Lady.

Build it up with silver and gold,
Silver and gold, silver and gold,
Build it up with silver and gold,
My fair Lady.
Silver and gold will be stolen away,
Stolen away, stolen away,
Silver and gold will be stolen away,
My fair Lady.

Set a man to watch all night,
Watch all night, watch all night,
Set a man to watch all night,
My fair Lady.

Mary had a Little Lamb

Mary had a little lamb,
Its fleece as white as snow.
He followed her to school one day,
School one day, school one day.
He followed her to school one day,
Which was against the rule.
It made the children laugh and play,
Laugh and play, laugh and play.
It made the children laugh and play,
To see a lamb at school.

Mary, Mary Quite Contrary

Mary, Mary quite contrary,
How does your garden grow?
With silver bells and cockle shells,
And pretty maids all in a row.

Miss Mary Mack

Miss Mary Mack, Mack, Mack
All dressed in black, black, black

He snapped at a mosquito,
(Make "snap" motion with thumb and forefinger on last word)
He snapped at a flea,
(Snap on last word)
He snapped at a minnow,
(Snap on last word)
He snapped on me.
(Snap at your nose on last word)
He caught the mosquito,
(Clap on last word)
He caught the flea,
(Clap on last word)
He caught the minnow,
(Clap on last word)
But he didn't catch me!
(Point to self and shake head, "no!")

London Bridge is Falling Down

London Bridge is falling down,
Falling down, falling down,
London Bridge is falling down,
My fair Lady.
Build it up with wood and clay,
Wood and clay, wood and clay,
Build it up with wood and clay,
My fair Lady.
Wood and clay will wash away,
Wash away, wash away,
Wood and clay will wash away,
My fair Lady.
Build it up with bricks and mortar,
Bricks and mortar, bricks and mortar,
Build it up with bricks and mortar,
My fair Lady.
Bricks and mortar will not stay,
Will not stay, will not stay,
Bricks and mortar will not stay,
My fair Lady.
Build it up with iron and steel,
Iron and steel, iron and steel,

Dinah won't you blow your ho-o-o-orn
Dinah won't you blow
Dinah won't you blow
Dinah won't you blow your horn
Someone's in the kitchen with Dinah
Someone's in the kitchen I know oh-oh-oh
Someone's in the kitchen with Dinah
Strumming on the old banjo
Fee fi fiddle e i o
Fee fi fiddle e i o-o-o-o
Fee fi fiddle e i o
Strumming on the old banjo
Don't you hear the whistle blowin'
Rise up so early in the morn
Can't you hear the captain shouting
Dinah blow your horn
Someone's in the kitchen with Dinah
Someone's in the kitchen I know oh-oh-oh
Someone's in the kitchen with Dinah
Strumming on the old banjo
Fee fi fiddle e i o
Fee fi fiddle e i o-o-o-o
Fee fi fiddle e i o
Strumming on the old banjo
Strumming on the old banjo
Strumming on the old banjo-o-o

Jack and Jill

(Bounce child on lap)

Jack and Jill went up the hill
To fetch a pail of water.
Jack fell down and broke his crown,
And Jill came tumbling after.

Jack Be Nimble

Jack be nimble,
(Bounce child on lap)
Jack be quick,
Jack jump over the candlestick.
(Lift child up)

Jack Sprat

Jack Sprat could eat no fat;
His wife could eat no lean,
And so between them both, you see,
They licked the platter clean.

Leg Over Leg

Leg over leg,
(Child on lap, bounce or move legs back and fourth)
The dog went to Dover,
When he came to a hill,
Jump! He went over.
(Dramatic pause before "Jump!" and lift child up)

Let's Go Driving

(sung to "Frère Jacques")
Let's go driving,
Let's go driving,
Around the block,
Around the block.
We will keep on driving,
We will keep on driving,
Then we'll stop!
Then we'll stop!

Little Bo Peep

Little Bo Peep has lost her sheep,
And doesn't know where to find them,
Leave them alone and they'll come home,
Wagging their tails behind them.

Little Boy Blue

Little Boy Blue, come blow your horn.
The sheep are in the meadow,
The cows are in the corn.
Where is the little bot who looks after the sheep?
He's under the haystack, fast asleep!
Will you wake him? No, not I.
For if I do, he's sure to cry.

The Little Green Frogs

(Jump each time you say "jump")

Jump, jump, went the little green frogs one day.

Jump, jump, went the little green frogs.

Jump, jump, went the little green frogs one day.

And their eyes went blink, blink, blink.

(Blink eyes)

Repeat with "their tongues went blub, blub, blub".

(Stick out tongues)

Little Jack Horner

Little Jack Horner sat in a corner,

Eating his Christmas pie.

He put in his thumb

And pulled out a plum,

And said, "What a good boy am I."

Little Miss Muffet

Little Miss Muffet sat on a tuffet eating her curds and whey,

Along came a spider and sat down beside her,

And frightened Miss Muffet away.

Little Nut Tree

I had a little nut tree, nothing would it bear

But a silver nutmeg and a golden pear.

The king of Spain's daughter came to visit me,

And all of the sake of my little nut tree.

I skipped over water, I danced over sea,

And all the birds in the air couldn't catch me.

Little Turtle

There was a little turtle,

(Make a fist)

He lived in a box.

(Put one fist in cupped opposite hand)

He swam in a puddle,

(Make paddling motion with hands)

He climbed on the rock,

(Climb hands upwards in front of body)