



NURSERY RHYMES



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FOR DEVELOPING CHILDREN'S EARLY
LANGUAGE AND READING SKILLS.



Hey Diddle Diddle



Hey Diddle Diddle
The Cat and the Fiddle
The Cow jumped over the
Moon,
The Little Dog laughed to see
such fun,
And the Dish ran away with
the Spoon!

Baa Baa Black Sheep

Baa baa black sheep, have
you any wool?

Yes sir, yes sir - three bags
full!

One for the master, one
for the dame;
And one for the little boy
who lives down the lane.



Humpty Dumpty



Humpty Dumpty sat on a
wall
Humpty Dumpty had a great
fall;
All the King's horses, and all
the King's men
Couldn't put Humpty
together again!

Little Miss Muffet I'm A Little Teapot

Little Miss Muffet sat on her
tuffet,
Eating her curds and whey.
Along came a spider, that sat
down beside her;
And frightened Miss Muffett
away!



I'm a little teapot,
Short and stout,
Here's my handle
Here 's my spout
When the tea is ready,
Lift me up and pour me
out!

Mary Had A Little Lamb

Mary had a little lamb, it's
fleece was white as snow;
And everywhere that Mary
went,
The lamb was sure to go.
He followed her to school
one day,
Which was against the rule;
It made the children laugh
and play,
To see a lamb at school!

12345, Once I Caught A Fish Alive

1, 2, 3, 4, 5

Once I caught a fish alive

6, 7, 8, 9, 10

Then I let it go again.

Why did you let it go?

Because it bit my finger so!

Which finger did it
bite?

This little finger on
the right.



Three Blind Mice

Three blind mice, three blind
mice,

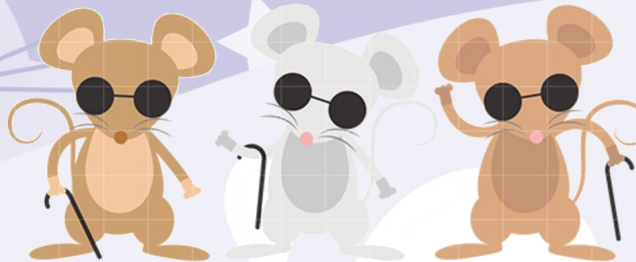
See how they run, see how they
run,

They all ran after the farmer's
wife,

She cut off their tails with a
carving knife,

Did you ever see such a thing in
your life,

As three blind mice?



Hickory Dickory DOCK

Hickory, dickory, dock,
The mouse ran up the clock.

The clock struck one,
The mouse ran down,
Hickory, dickory, dock



Finger Rhyme

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
Or make them go low

I can fold them quietly and hold them
just so.

Finger rhymes are
great for your
child's fine motor
skills—necessary for
learning to write.

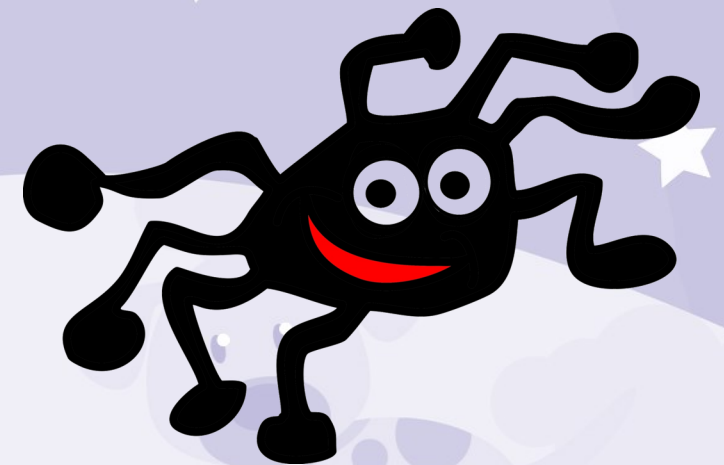
Incy Wincy Spider

Incy Wincy Spider was climbing up the
spout

Down came the rain and washed
the spider out!

Out came the sunshine, and
dried up all the rain;

And Incy Wincy spider
climbed up the spout again



Row, Row, Row Your Boat

Row, row, row your boat
Gently down the stream
Merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily
Life is but a dream
Row, row, row your boat
Gently up the creek. If you see a
crocodile
Don't forget to shriek!

Row, row, row
your boat
Gently to the shore
If you see a lion there
Don't forget to roar!



Make up your own
actions to the
rhymes and
encourage your child
to come up with
their own ideas

Jack & Jill

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.
Then up got Jack and said to Jill,
As in his arms he took her,
"Brush off that dirt for you're not
hurt,
Let's fetch that pail of water.
So Jack and Jill went up the hill
To fetch the pail of water,
And took it home to Mother dear,
Who thanked her son and daughter