

**“Man in the Moon”
(for fathers, grandfathers, uncles and male caregivers)**

Rhyme, Songs, and Fingerplays

**time for zero to twelve months
(non walkers/non talkers)**

OPENING

“The More We Get Together”

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.

“Welcome Today Little Starshine”

Welcome today friends of mine;
welcome today little starshine.
welcome today friends of mine;
welcome today little starshine.

Welcome today friends of mine;
welcome today little starshine.
welcome today friends of mine;
welcome today little starshine.

(substitute name of child)

Welcome today friends of mine;
welcome today little starshine.
Welcome today friends of mine;
welcome today little starshine.

“Humpty Dumpty”

Humpty Dumpty up,
And Humpty Dumpty down.
Humpty Dumpty to the left,
Humpty Dumpty to the right,
Humpty Dumpty all around.

Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall;
Humpty Dumpty had a great fall.
(HD falls over moaning all the way)
Poor Humpty Dumpty (smiling).



“Skinnarmarinkydirydink. Skinnarmarinkydirydo.”

Skinnarmarinkydirydink. Skinnarmarinkydirydo.
I love you.
Skinnarmarinkydirydink. Skinnarmarinkydirydo.
I love you.
I love you in the morning and in the afternoon
I love you in the evening underneath the moon.
Skinnarmarinkydirydink. Skinnarmarinkydirydo.
I love you.

BOOK TO SHARE

“Shoofly”

circle to left/right/center

Shoofly don't bother me, (left and sing)
Shoofly don't bother me,
Shoofly don't bother me,
'Cause I belong to somebody.

Shoofly don't bother me, (right and sing)
Shoofly don't bother me,
Shoofly don't bother me,
'Cause I belong to somebody.

I feel, I feel, I feel like the morning star. (center and sing)
I feel, I feel, I feel like the morning star.
I feel, I feel, I feel like the morning star.
I feel, I feel, I feel like the morning star.

“Let’s go to the market, let’s go to the store.”

grocery items

Let’s go to the market, let’s go to the store.
Let’s get a carton of milk, and maybe a few things more.

Let’s go to the market, let’s go to the store.
Let’s get a dozen eggs, and maybe a few things more.

suggestions: ice cream, yellow butter, band aides, etc.

SIGNING SONGS

“Bingo”

clapping

BINGO, BINGO, BINGO...
And Bingo was his name-o.

“Ridin’ in the buggy, baby mine, baby mine”

laundry baskets--3

Ridin’ in the buggy, baby mine, baby mine;
Ridin’ in the buggy, baby mine, baby mine;
Ridin’ in the buggy, baby mine, baby mine;
Ridin’ in the buggy lookin’ oh so fine.

Ridin’ in the buggy, mine,mine...

YOGA

“Rain Is Falling Down”

Rain is fall down. Splash!
Rain is fall down. Splash!
Pitter-patter; pitter, patter,
Rain is fall down. Splash!

Sun is peeking out. Peek!
Sun is peeking out. Peek!
Peeking here, peeking there,
Sun is peeking out. Peek!

“Baby Put Your Pants On”

Baby put your pants on, pants on, pants on,
Baby put your pants on, 1 2 3.

Baby put your shirt on, shirt on, shirt on,
Baby put your shirt on, 1 2 3.

Baby put your shoes on...
Baby put your hat on...

Now that you’re all dressed, all dressed, all dressed,
Now that you’re all dressed, let’s go play.

(reverse order)

Baby take your hat off, hat off, hat off...
Baby take your shoes off...
Baby take your shirt off...
Baby take your pants off...

Now that you’re naked, naked, naked,
Now that you’re naked, let’s take a bath!

“The Tiny Little Spider”

The tiny little spider went up the water spout,
Down came the rain and washed the spider out.
Out came the sun and dried up all the rain.
And the tiny little spider went up the spout again.

ENDING

“Up Down, Turn Around”

Up, down
Turn around.
Touch the sky,
And touch the ground.
Jiggle tummy,
Blink your eyes,
Blow a kiss,
And say “good-bye.”

