

B is for Bulldozer

BOOKS TO READ

Dig by Andrea Zimmerman
My truck is stuck by Kevin Lewis
Don't let the pigeon drive the bus by Mo Willems
The bus for us by Suzanne Bloom
B is for bulldozer: a construction ABC by June Sobel
Road builders by B.G. Hennessy

MUSICAL ACTIVITY

She'll be driving a bulldozer (Storytime Slam! by Rob Reid
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The truck song by Kathy Reid-Naiman # 6 on *Reaching for the Stars*

FELT BOARD

My truck is stuck (felt board dump truck, car, moving van, jeep,
bus and tow truck with numbers 1 - 5 on them - put up during the
reading of the story)
The bus for us (felt board taxi, tow truck, fire engine, ice
cream truck , garbage truck, back hoe , bus)
Construction site with bulldozer, crane and dump truck

RHYMES Have children repeat with you the following lines from

My Truck is Stuck;

Rotten luck. Can't go! My truck is stuck.....

Help please help

Does anyone know

How to make my stuck truck go?

Beep! Beep!

Dig!

Dig up rock and dig up clay

Dig up dirt and dig all day

Good job. Mr. Rally!

Good job. Lightning!

Mr. Rally waves good-bye.

Red says stop

And green says go

Yellow says wait

You'd better go slow

Jump in the truck, turn the key

Shift the gears, one, two three

Shift to high, shift to low

Honk the horn and off we go

CIRCLE TIME She'll be driving a bulldozer
 The truck song
 Traffic light actions with felt board traffic light (in Box # 11
 Things that go!!)
 Big traffic light laminated circles

CRAFTS Make a tow truck from pattern
OTHER Minerva Louise and the big red truck by Janet Morgan Stoeke
BOOKS Monster trucks by Mark Todd
 The three little rigs by David Gordon
 The wheels on the race car by Alexander Zane

The Truck Song # 6 Reaching for the Stars by Kathy Reid-Naiman

1. They're building a building in the middle of town
 And I can see the trucks moving all around (*roll hands*)
 Each one has a job to do
 Cause they're all part of the building crew
 The dump truck hauls all the dirt away (*steer and honk*)
 Cause he's a part of the building crew

2. They're building a building in the middle of town
 And I can see the trucks moving all around
 Each one has a job to do
 Cause they're all part of the building crew
 The excavator digs: dig, dig, dig (*pretend your digging*)
 The dump truck hauls all the dirt away (*steer and honk*)
 Cause they're all part of the building crew

3. They're building a building in the middle of town
 And I can see the trucks moving all around (*roll hands*)
 Each one has a job to do
 Cause they're all part of the building crew
 The bulldozer moves the rubble all around (*push with your hands*)
 The excavator digs: dig, dig, dig (*pretend your digging*)
 The dump truck hauls al the dirt away (*steer and honk*)
 Cause they're all part of the building crew

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4. They're building a building in the middle of town
And I can see the trucks moving all around (*roll hands*)
Each one has a job to do
Cause they're all part of the building crew
The crane takes a beam to the top of the roof (*wave hands above head*)
The bulldozer moves the rubble all around (*push with your hands*)
The excavator digs: dig, dig, dig (*pretend your digging*)
The dump truck hauls all the dirt away (*steer and honk*)
Cause they're all part of the building crew
5. They're building a building in the middle of town
And I can see the trucks moving all around (*roll hands*)
Each one has a job to do
Cause they're all part of the building crew
The wrecking ball smashes the old building down (*hands together swing*)
The crane takes a beam to the top of the roof (*wave hands above head*)
The bulldozer moves the rubble all around (*push with your hands*)
The excavator digs: dig, dig, dig (*pretend your digging*)
The dump truck hauls all the dirt away (*steer and honk*)
Cause they're all part of the building crew