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Storytime Favourites

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Bell Songs

Bells are Ringing (*Tune: Frère Jacques*)

Bells are ringing

Bells are ringing

Ding, Ding, Dong

Ding, Ding, Dong

Happy little bells

Happy little bells

Ring their song

All day long!

Bell Horses (Kathy Reid-Naiman)

Bell horses, bell horses,

What's the time of day?

One o'clock, two o'clock,

Time to go away.

Repeat with...

Three o'clock, four o'clock, time to go away.

Five o'clock, six o'clock, time to go away.

Seven o'clock, eight o'clock, time to go away.

Nine o'clock, ten o'clock, time to go away,

Time to go away, time to go away.

Drum Songs

Tapping on my Drum

I'm tapping on my drum (2x)

Tapping tapping, never stopping,

I'm tapping on my drum.

Repeat with...

I'm tapping on the floor...

I'm tapping in the air...

I'm tapping very quietly...

I'm tapping very slowly...

I'm tapping very quickly...

I'm tapping very loudly...

I'm tapping on my drum...

We're Walking to the Drum (Kathy Reid-Naiman)

We're walking, we're walking, we're walking to the drum.

We're walking, we're walking, we're walking now we're done.

Repeat with...

We're tiptoeing, tiptoeing...

We're stomping...

We're running...

Scarf Songs

We Wave Our Scarves *(Tune: The Bear Went Over the Mountain)*

We wave our scarves together,

We wave our scarves together,

We wave our scarves together,

Because it's fun to do.

Repeat with...

We throw them way up high...

We drop them way down low...

We wave them in the middle...

Because it's fun to do.

This is the Way We Wash *(Tune: Here we go round the Mulberry Bush)*

This is the way we wash our face, wash our face, wash our face.

This is the way we wash our face,

When we get up in the morning/so early in the morning.

-Wash our toes...

-Wash our tummy...

Stick Songs

This is the Way We Tap Our Sticks (*Tune: Here we go round the Mulberry Bush*)

This is the way we tap our sticks,

Tap our sticks, tap our sticks,

This is the way we tap our sticks,

And rest them on our shoulders.

Repeat with...

This is the way we rub our sticks...

This is the way we hammer our sticks...

This is the way we drum our sticks...

Counting Song (*Tune: The Wheels on the Bus*)

1,2,3,4,5,6,7

5,6,7

5,6,7

1,2,3,4,5,6,7,

8, 9, 10

Shaker Songs

Shaker Rhyme

Shake it high,

Shake it low,

Round and round is how we go.

Shake it high,

Shake it low,

Can you reach and touch your toes?

Shake it high,

Shake it low,

Touch your shaker to your nose.

Shake it high,

Shake it low,

Round and round is how we go.

Egg Shakers Up

Egg shakers up,

Egg shakers down,

Egg shakers dancing

All around the town.

Dance them on your shoulders,
Dance them on your head,
Dance them on your knees,
And then tuck them into bed.

Shake Your Shakers in the Air *(Tune: If you're happy & you know it)*

Shake your shakers in the air, in the air.
Shake your shakers in the air, in the air.
Shake your shakers in the air, and wave them round up there.
Shake your shakers in the air, in the air.
Shake your shakers way down low, way down low...
(Continue with other body parts)

Classics

Skinnamarink (Sharon, Lois, & Bram)

Skinnamarinky dinky dink
Skinnamarinky do,
I love you!

Skinnamarinky dinky dink
Skinnamarinky do,
I love you!

I love you in the morning,
And in the afternoon
I love you in the evening,
and underneath the moon...

Skinnamarinky dinky dink
Skinnamarinky do,
I love you!

Shake Your Sillies Out (Raffi)

I've gotta shake, shake, shake my sillies out
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out
And wiggle my waggles away.

I've gotta clap, clap, clap my crazies out
Clap, clap, clap my crazies out
Clap, clap, clap my crazies out
And wiggle my waggles away.

I've gotta jump, jump, jump my jiggles out
Jump, jump, jump my jiggles out
Jump, jump, jump my jiggles out
And wiggle my waggles away.

I've gotta yawn, yawn, yawn my sleepies out
Yawn, yawn, yawn my sleepies out
Yawn, yawn, yawn my sleepies out
And wiggle my waggles away.

I've gotta shake, shake, shake my sillies out
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out
And wiggle my waggles away
And wiggle my waggles away.

Head and Shoulders

Head and shoulders,

Knees and toes,

Knees and toes,

Knees and toes!

Head and shoulders

Knees and toes,

Eyes, ears, mouth, and nose!

Seasonal

Autumn Leaves are Falling Down (*Tune: London Bridge is Falling Down*)

Autumn leaves are falling down, falling down, falling down

Autumn leaves are falling down all over town.

Autumn leaves are swirling round, swirling round, swirling round,

Autumn leaves are swirling round, all over town.

Change for winter:

Little snowflakes falling down...

Change for spring:

Little raindrops falling down...

Love is Something

Love is something if you give it away,

Give it away, give it away.

Love is something if you give it away,

You end up having more.

It's just like a magic penny,

Hold it tight and you won't have any.

Lend it, spend it, and you'll have so many

They'll roll all over the floor.

Transition/Routine Songs & Rhymes

Clap Everybody (Debbie Carroll)

Clap everybody and say hello

Clap everybody and say hello

Clap everybody and say hello

No matter what the weather

Repeat with...

Stamp everybody...

Wiggle everybody...

Jump everybody...

Dance everybody...

Sing everybody...

Dance Your Fingers

Dance your fingers up,

And dance your fingers down

Dance your fingers to the side,

Dance them all around!

Dance them on our shoulders,

Dance them on your head

Dance them on your tummy,

And put them all to bed!

Open, Shut Them

Open, shut them,

Open, shut them,

Give a little clap, clap, clap.

Open, shut them,

Open shut them,

Put them in your lap, lap, lap.

Time to Tidy Up *(Tune: London Bridge is Falling Down)*

Now it's time to tidy up, tidy up, tidy up.

Now it's time to tidy up, until next time.

Goodbye Song *(Tune: She'll be coming round the mountain)*

Oh it's time to say goodbye to our friends

Oh it's time to say goodbye to our friends

It's time to say goodbye

Oh it's time to say goodbye

Oh it's time to say goodbye to our friends