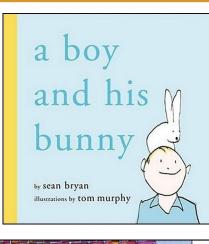
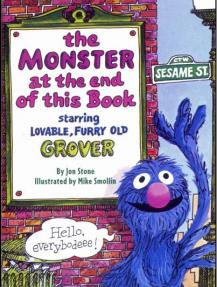
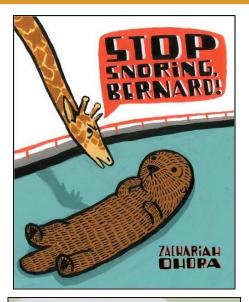


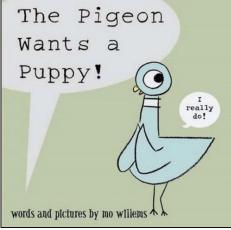
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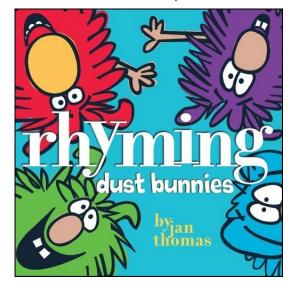
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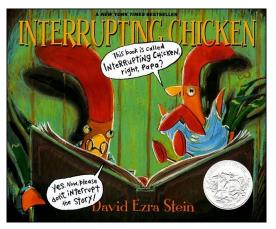












Songs

Opening song - Hands Go Up

(to the tune of "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star)
Hands go up and hands go down,
I can turn around and round.
I can jump upon two shoes.
I can listen; so can you.

Shake My Sillies Out

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!

...clap my crazies out

...jump my jiggles out

...yawn my sleepies out

...shake my sillies out



I Know a Chicken (by Laurie Berkner)

I know a chicken (I know a chicken) And she laid an egg (and she laid an egg) Oh I know a chicken (I know a chicken) And she laid an egg (and she laid an egg) Oh my goodness (oh my goodness) It's a shaky egg! (it's a shaky egg!) Shake your eggs!

Apples and Bananas

I like to eat, eat, eat apples and bananas I like to eat, eat, eat apples and bananas

I like to ate, ate, ate ay-ples and ba-nay-nays I like to ate, ate, ate ay-ples and ba-nay-nays

I like to eat, eat, eat ee-ples and bee-nee-nees I like to eat, eat, eat ee-ples and bee-nee-nees

I like to ite, ite, ite i-ples and bi-ni-nis I like to ite, ite, ite i-ples and bi-ni-nis

I like to ote, ote, ote oh-ples and bo-no-nos I like to ote, ote, ote oh-ples and bo-no-nos



Open, Shut Them

Open, shut them Open, shut them, Give a little clap, clap, clap. Open, shut them, open shut them, Lay them in your lap, lap, lap. Creep them, crawl them, creep them, crawl them, Right up to your chin, chin, chin. Open wide your little mouth... But do not let them in, in, in!

Five Little Monkeys

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!"

Four, three, two, one, none "Put those monkeys back to bed!"

Learning Continues at Home

Early Literacy Skill: Phonological Awareness (hearing the sounds that make up words, playing with them in the form of rhyming and silly word creation)

Help your child play with phonemes (what these small sounds are called) by encouraging them to mimic the sounds they hear in the books you read together. Singing is also a great way to emphasize those sounds - it slows words down, making them easier to hear!



"Down By the Bay" Echo Song by Raffi

Echo songs are a great way to help your child develop all sorts of linguistic skills. In an echo song, one person sings a line, and then another person sings that same line back to them. Try this one by Raffi!

Down by the bay Where the watermelons grow Back to my home I dare not go For if I do My mother would say "Did you ever see a fly wearing a tie?" Down by the bay



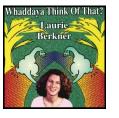
Check out Raffi's *Singable Songs for the Very Young* to hear the other fun verses in this song!

Tired of listening to the same kids' songs over and over?

Check out our great CD collection! This week's recommendations include:



Al Dana: Four Baby Bumblebees



Laurie Berkner: Whaddaya Think of That?



Six Little Ducks: Classic Children's Songs

What's Happening at Schlow?



Polar Express Registration

Wednesday, November 20, 2013



Beginning at 9am

The Polar Express will be taking place on December 7, 8, 14, and 15, but registration begins this month! Call or stop by the Children's Department to reserve your family's spot.

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