

Autumn Term - Reception

Rhyme Time Songbook



Welcome Song

There are many welcome songs to choose from, here is a suggestion. You can encourage children to clap in time while singing:

Oh here we are together, together, together

Oh here we are together all sitting on the floor

There's _____ and _____ and _____ and _____

With _____ and _____ and _____ and _____ *(Repeat with children's names until you have gone round the circle)*

Oh here we are together, together, together

Oh here we are together, we are ready to learn more.



Everybody Do This

Everybody do this, do this, do this,

Everybody do this, just like me.

Repeat for each chosen action e.g.: jumping, clapping, hopping.



Heads, Shoulders, Knees and Toes

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes.

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes.

And eyes and ears and mouth and nose.

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes.



Days of the Week Song

Days of the week, (snap snap)

Days of the week, (snap snap)

Days of the week, days of the week, days of the week. (snap snap)

There's **Monday** and there's **Tuesday**,

There's **Wednesday** and there's **Thursday**,

There's **Friday** and there's **Saturday**,

And then there's **Sunday**.

Days of the week, (snap snap)

Days of the week, (snap snap)

Days of the week, days of the week, days of the week. (snap snap)



Ten Green Bottles

Ten green bottles sitting on the wall,
Ten green bottles sitting on the wall,
And if one green bottle should accidentally fall,
There'll be nine green bottles sitting on the wall.

Nine green bottles sitting on the wall,
Nine green bottles sitting on the wall,
And if one green bottle should accidentally fall,
There'll be eight green bottles sitting on the wall

*Eight ... Seven ... Six ... Five ... Four ... Three ...
Two ...*

One green bottle sitting on the wall,
One green bottle sitting on the wall,
And if one green bottle should accidentally fall,
There'll be no green bottles sitting on the wall.



Five Currant Buns in a Baker's Shop

Five currant buns in a baker's shop.

Big and round with a cherry on the top,
Along came a boy with a penny one day,
Bought a currant bun and took it away.

Four currant buns in a baker's shop.

Big and round with a cherry on the top,
Along came a boy with a penny one day,
Bought a currant bun and took it away.

Three currant buns in a baker's shop.

Big and round with a cherry on the top,
Along came a boy with a penny one day,
Bought a currant bun and took it away.

Two currant buns in a baker's shop.

Big and round with a cherry on the top,
Along came a boy with a penny one day,
Bought a currant bun and took it away.

One currant bun in a baker's shop.

Big and round with a cherry on the top,
Along came a boy with a penny one day,
Bought the currant bun and took it away.



The Hokey Cokey

You put your left arm in, your left arm out
In, out, in, out, you shake it all about
You do the Hokey Cokey and you turn around
That's what it's all about.
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Knees bent, arms stretched Rah! Rah! Rah!

You put your right arm in, your right arm out
In, out, in, out, you shake it all about
You do the Hokey Cokey and you turn around
That's what it's all about.
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Knees bent, arms stretched Rah! Rah! Rah!



You put your left leg in, your left leg out
In, out, in, out, you shake it all about
You do the Hokey Cokey and you turn around
That's what it's all about.
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Knees bent, arms stretched Rah! Rah! Rah!

You put your right leg in, your right leg out
In, out, in, out, you shake it all about
You do the Hokey Cokey and you turn around
That's what it's all about.
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Whoa-o the Hokey Cokey
Knees bent, arms stretched Rah! Rah! Rah!



I'm a Firefighter

(Sing to the tune of 'I'm a Little Teapot'.)

I'm a firefighter,
Brave and strong.
Climb up the ladders,
They're so long!
When I see the fire,
Hear me shout!
Use the hose and put it out!



Here we Go Round the Mulberry Bush

Here we go round the mulberry bush
The mulberry bush
The mulberry bush
Here we go round the mulberry bush
On a cold and frosty morning.

We rub our hands to keep us warm
Keep us warm
Keep us warm
We rub our hands to keep us warm
On a cold and frosty morning.

We stamp up and down to keep us warm
Keep us warm
Keep us warm
We stamp up and down to keep us warm
On a cold and frosty morning.

Here we go round the mulberry bush
The mulberry bush
The mulberry bush
Here we go round the mulberry bush
On a cold and frosty morning.

