

Construction Storytime

Shake My Sillies Out

Gotta shake, shake, shake my sillies out
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out
And wiggle my waggles away.

Gotta clap, clap, clap my crazies out...
Gotta jump, jump, jump my jiggles out...
Gotta yawn, yawn, yawn my sleepies out...
Gotta stretch, stretch, stretch my stretchies out
Gotta shake, shake, shake my sillies out...

Open Them, Shut Them

Open them, shut them
Open them, shut them
Give a little clap.
Open them, shut them
Open them, shut them
Put them in your lap.

Creep them, creep them
Creep them, creep them
Right up to your chin.
Open up your mouth
But do not put them in.

Open them, shut them
Open them, shut them
Give a little clap.
Open them, shut them
Open them, shut them
Put them in your lap.

Carpenter

(Perform actions indicated by words)

The carpenter's hammer goes knock, knock, knock,
And his saw goes see, saw, see,
He planes and measures
He hammers and he saws
While he builds something for me.
(point to self)

Five Little Nails

Five little nails
Standing straight and steady
Here comes the carpenter
With a hammer ready!
Bam! Bam! Bam!

(count down to one)



Build a Home

Deep the cellar, timbers high,
(Both hands point down, then up -- arms full length.)
Pointed roof up in the sky,
(Bring fingertips together over the head.)
Drive the nails in straight and true,
(Hammer with one fist on the other.)
Build a house for me and you.
(Continue to hammer.)

Windows, shining eyes to see,
(Circle hands at eyes and 'peek' in.)
Doors open wide to welcome me,
(Open arms wide.)
Fire glowing, oh, so bright,
(Warm hands in front of fire, then rub hands together.)
That is HOME on winter's night.
(Hug self as if snug and warm.)

If You're Happy and You Know It

If you're happy and you know it, clap your hands
If you're happy and you know it, clap your hands
If you're happy and you know it,
And you really want to show it,
If you're happy and you know it, clap your hands

If you're happy and you know it, stomp your feet
If you're happy and you know it, stomp your feet
If you're happy and you know it,
And you really want to show it,
If you're happy and you know it, stomp your feet

If you're happy and you know it, shout hooray—"Hooray!"
If you're happy and you know it, shout hooray—"Hooray!"
If you're happy and you know it,
And you really want to show it,
If you're happy and you know it, shout hooray—"Hooray!"

If you're happy and you know it, do all three.
If you're happy and you know it, do all three.
If you're happy and you know it,
And you really want to show it,
If you're happy and you know it, do all three.