

## **Baby Bees** (0 - 24 months):

### **Opening Song: Hello Bubbles**

*(To the tune of Frère Jacques)*

Hello bubbles, 2X  
Come and land, 2X  
Right in the middle 2X  
Of my hand!

**Repeat for all babies**

### **Welcome: Ball Hello!**

*(Roll a ball to each baby to say hello)*

Good morning \_\_\_\_\_!  
*(Parent/child says good morning and rolls ball back)*

**Repeat for each baby**

### **Knee Bounce: Zoom, Zoom, Zoom!**

*(Bounce or clap along to the rhyme)*

Zoom, zoom, zoom,  
We're going to the moon!  
Zoom, zoom, zoom,  
We'll get there very soon!  
If you want to take a trip, *(climb ladder or up arms)*  
Climb aboard my rocket ship,  
Zoom, zoom, zoom, we're going to the moon!  
5...4...3...2...1...Blast off! *(lift child up in the air)*

**Repeat (Try with far & stars or fun & sun!)**

### **Knee Bounce: Popcorn**

*(Bounce baby on legs)*

I'm a piece of popcorn.  
Put me in a pot.  
Shake me, shake me  
And watch me POP!  
*(Lift baby up in the air)*

**Repeat**

### **Body Rhyme: Pat-a-Cake**

*(Clap along)*

Pat-a-cake, pat-a-cake, baker's man.  
Bake me a cake as fast as you can,  
Roll it *(Roll babies hands)*  
Pat it *(Pat babies hands)*  
and mark it with "B", *(Replace "B" with first letter of your babies name, and draw letter on their belly)*  
And bake it in the oven for baby and me!

**Repeat**

### **Knee Bounce: Giddyap, Giddyap**

Giddyap, giddyap, ride to town,  
*(bounce baby on knees, facing forward)*

Giddyap, giddyap, up and down.

Giddyap fast, *(bounce quickly)*

Giddyap slow, *(bounce slowly)*

Giddyap, giddyap, giddyap, WHOA!

*(dip baby backwards gently)*

**Repeat**

### **Drums: Rum Pum Pum**

Rum pum pum, this is my drum.

Rum pum pum, this is my drum

My name is Me-gan *(2 syllables - hit twice).*

What is your name?

*(Each child can tap out the syllables of their name)*

### **Drums: We're Marching to the Drum**

*(Stand up and march in a circle)*

We're marching to the drum,

we're marching to the drum

Hi-ho the derry-o we're marching to the drum.

We're marching around the room;

we're marching around the room

Hi-ho the derry-o we're marching around the room

AND THE DRUM SAYS "STOP" *(freeze)*

Now can you say STOP? *(Give each child a chance to hit 'stop' on the drum)*

**Repeat with swaying, skipping, tiptoeing, etc.**

### **Circle Dance: The Elevator Song**

Oh the city is great, oh the city is grand

There are lots of tall buildings on a little piece of land

We live way up on the 57th floor

This is what we do when we go out the door

Take the elevator up, take the elevator down

Take the elevator up, take the elevator down

Take the elevator up, take the elevator down

And we turn around!

**Animal Activity: I Went to Visit a Farm  
One Day using *The Very Busy Spider***

I went to visit a farm one day,  
I saw a [cow] across the way,  
And what do you think the [cow] did say?  
[MOO, MOO, MOO! MOO, MOO!]

**Repeat with different farm animals**

**Animal Activity: Hickory Dickory Dare**

Hickery, dickery dare,  
The pig flew up in the air. (*throw pig in the air*)  
Farmer Brown soon brought her down,  
Hickery, dickery, dare.  
(*Give each child a turn throwing the pig in the air*)

**Animal Song: Spots**

(Child is on laying on back)  
Spots, spots, spots, spots, spots, spots, spots, spots  
(*Make 'spots' with finger all over*)  
A leopard's got lots of spots  
What a lot of spots he's got  
A tiger's stripes are always nice  
(*Make stripes up and down baby with fingers*)  
But a leopard's got lots of spots, spots, spots, spots,  
spots, spots, spots, spots, spots  
(*Tickle at end!*)

**Movement Song: My Baby**

You ought to see my baby  
My baby loves to bounce!  
(*Baby on your lap facing out, bouncing*)  
And every time we sing this song,  
We bounce and bounce and bounce!

You ought to see my baby,  
My baby loves to stretch!  
(*Stretch babies arms up*)  
And every time we sing this song,  
We stretch and stretch and stretch!

You ought to see my baby,  
My baby loves to roll!  
(*Roll arms or "bicycle pedal" legs*)  
And every time we sing this song,  
We roll and roll and roll!

You ought to see my baby,  
My baby loves to clap!  
(*Clap baby's hands*)  
And every time we sing this song,  
We clap and clap and clap!

**Song: The Alphabet Song:**

(*Sway and cuddle while you sing*)  
A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H,I,J,K,L,M,N,O,P,Q,R,S,T,U,V,W  
,X,Y,Z  
Now I know my ABC's  
Next time won't you sing with me?

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