

Bookstart Bird Boogie

Rhymes for National Bookstart Week

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Old MacDonald Had a Farm

Old MacDonald had a farm, e i e i o
And on this farm he had some chicks, e i e i o
With a cheep cheep and a cheep cheep
Here a cheep, there a cheep everywhere a
cheep cheep

Old MacDonald had a farm e i e i o

Old MacDonald had a farm, e i e i o,
And on this farm he had some ducks, e i e i o
With a quack quack and a quack quack
Here a quack, there a quack everywhere a
quack quack

Old MacDonald had a farm e i e i o

Old MacDonald had a farm, e i e i o
And on this farm he had turkeys, e i e i o
With a gobble gobble and a gobble gobble
Here a gobble, there a gobble,
everywhere a gobble gobble

Old MacDonald had a farm, e i e i o

E I... E I... O.....



Goosey Goosey Gander

Goosey Goosey Gander
Wither shall I wander?
Upstairs and downstairs
In my lady's chamber

(repeat)



Penelope the Penguin

Penelope Penguin is the perfect pet
She plays when it's dry
And she plays when it's wet

Penelope Penguin is the perfect pet
She plays when it's dry
And she plays when it's wet

She prefers the paddling pool
Where she won't sink!
Penelope's sound is for pig and pink

(repeat)



Ten Little Chickens

Two little chickens looking for some more
Along came another two and they make four

(chorus)

**Run to the haystack, run to the pen
Run little chickens, back to mother hen**

Four little chickens getting in a fix
Along came another two and they make six

(chorus)

Six little chickens perching on a gate
Along came another two
and they make eight

(chorus)

Eight little chickens run to mother hen
Along came another two and they make ten

(chorus)

Two little chickens looking for some more
Along came another two and they make four

(chorus)

Four little chickens getting in a fix
Along came another two and they make six

(chorus to fade)



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tweet



Five Little Ducks

Five little ducks went swimming one day
Over the hills and far away
The mother duck said, quack, quack, quack, quack
And only four little ducks came back
Four little ducks went swimming one day
Over the hills and far away
The mother duck said, quack, quack, quack, quack
And only three little ducks came back
Three little ducks went swimming one day
Over the hills and far away

The mother duck said, quack, quack, quack, quack
And only two little ducks came back
Two little ducks went swimming one day
Over the hills and far away
The mother duck said, quack, quack, quack, quack
And only one little duck came back
One little duck went swimming one day
Over the hills and far away
The mother duck said, quack, quack, quack, quack
And five little ducks came swimming right back



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Two Little Dickie Birds

Two little dicky birds
Sitting on a wall
One named Peter
One named Paul
Fly away Peter
Fly away Paul
Come back Peter
Come back Paul

(repeat)

Little Robin Redbreast

Little Robin Redbreast sat upon a tree
Up went Pussycat and down went he
Down came Pussy and away Robin ran
Says little Robin Redbreast, 'Catch me if you can'

Little Robin Redbreast jumped upon a wall
Pussycat jumped after him and almost got a fall
Little Robin chirped and sung, and what did Pussy say?
Pussy cat said, 'Meow' and Robin jumped away

(repeat)



Five Little Owls

Five little owls in an old elm-tree
Fluffy and puffy as owls could be
Blinking and winking with big round eyes
At the big round moon that hung in the skies
As I passed beneath, I could hear one say
'There'll be mouse for supper, there will, to-day!'
Then all of them hooted, 'Tu-whit, Tu-whooh!
Yes, mouse for supper,
Hoo hoo, Hoo hoo'



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