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Song Card Notebook

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LYRICS

Start with dominant hand wrapped around other fist.

Here is the beehive, but where are the bees?

Hidden away where nobody sees!

Watch and you'll see them come out of their hive.

Model holding up fingers for each number.

One, two, three, four, five!

Add a tickle with your gathered fingertips if your child loves that!

Bzzzzzzzzzz.

ACTIVITY

This fun fingerplay gives your child a chance to imitate your motor motions and practice your fancy fine motor motions to count with their fingers. Allow plenty of wait time for your child to form the motions for each number. It can be tricky for them to isolate their fingers to count. With lots of opportunities to practice, their finger counting skills will improve!

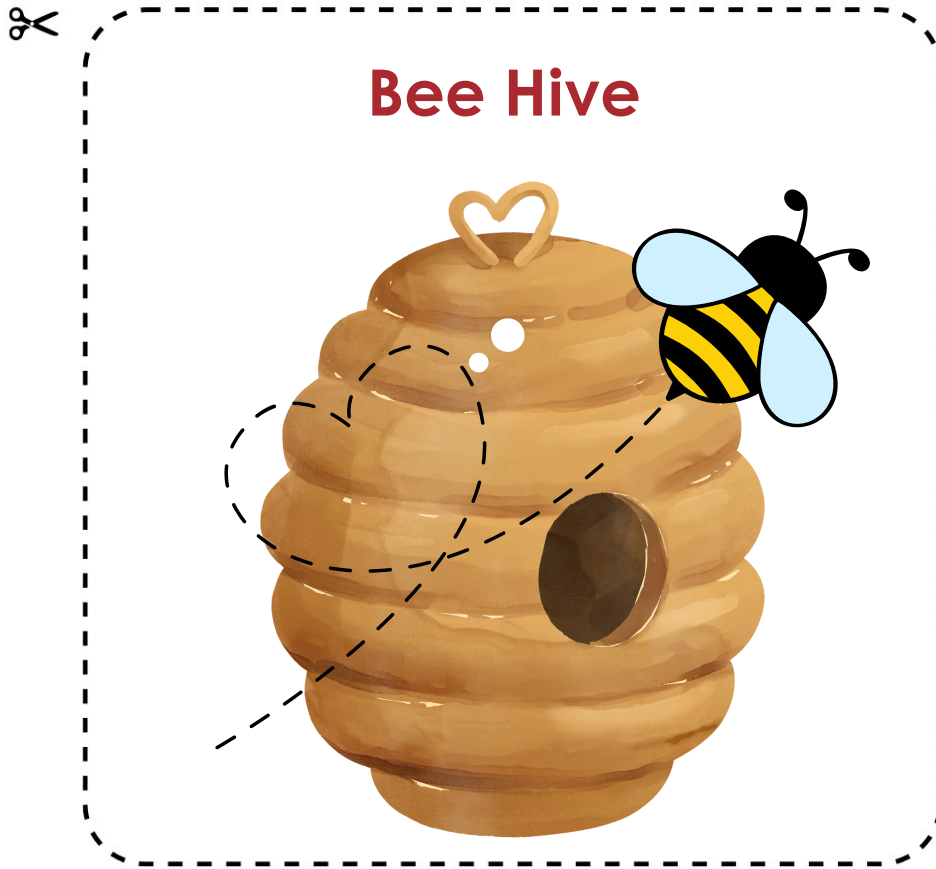
Our music videos provide an opportunity for YOU to learn a new song so that you can sing it face-to-face with your child. Your child likes your voice best, so share your voice as you enjoy this song together.



Character Song Card

Bee Hive

Our character song cards are a fun and beneficial way to bring music and connection into your family's routine. They empower your child to choose songs for you to sing together, making music a collaborative and joyful experience.



Making Your Cards Last:

To get started, simply print the cards, trim them, and cover them with packing tape to make them durable for little hands. Storing them in a small bag makes it easy to bring your "Bag of Songs" along in the car, your purse, or a diaper bag.

How They Benefit Your Child:

Boosts Early Literacy:

As your child chooses a card, they begin to connect a picture with a specific song. This is a foundational step in understanding that pictures have meaning, which is a crucial early literacy skill.

Fosters Predictability & Security:

This simple, shared routine of choosing and singing songs offers your child the predictability, structure, and connection they crave. These experiences help to soothe and regulate their feelings, making them feel safe and understood.

Provides a Great Diversion:

Your "Bag of Songs" is a perfect, on-the-go tool to help with tricky moments like car rides or waiting at the doctor's office.





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