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Song Card Notebook

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LYRICS

Hickory Dickory Dock! The mouse ran up the clock.

1. The clock struck one, the mouse ran down.

Hickory Dickory Dock!

2. The clock struck two, the mouse said BOO!

3. The clock struck three, the mouse said WHEE!

4. The clock struck four, the mouse said NO MORE.

ACTIVITY

Sing or chant this rhyme and repeat it often! Mastering songs and rhymes supports early literacy. When your child learns simple rhymes, they begin to hear the small sounds that make up words and expand their vocabulary. The motor motions you add amplify the benefit to your child through this simple and joyful connection with you.

Bounce your child in your lap facing you to the beat of the lyrics. Check out some simple motions our sweet singer models for you.

We added a second performance to your video with additional signed words and motor motions if you and your child would enjoy sharing that experience.

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.



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Character Song Card

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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.



Hickory Dickory Dock



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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