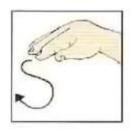
S

(Tune: The Farmer in the Dell Trac)

The **snake** is in the grass. The snake is in the grass. /sss/! /sss/!

The snake is in the grass.



**Action:** Weave your hand in an 's' shape, like a snake, and say *sssssss*.







(Tune: Skip to My Lou Track 2)

|a|-|a|! Ants on my arm. |a|-|a|! Ants on my arm. |a|-|a|! Ants on my arm. They're causing me alarm.



**Action:** Wiggle your fingers above the elbow, as if ants are crawling on you, and say *a*, *a*, *a*, *a*!



(Tune: The Muffin Man Track 3)

When I watch the tennis game,

/t/-/t/-/t/, /t/-/t/-/t/...



...when I watch the tennis game, my head goes back and forth.



**Action:** Turn your head from side to side, as if you are watching tennis, and say *t*, *t*, *t*.



(Tune: Hickory Dickory Dock Track 4)

Inky the mouse is my pet.

She spilled the ink and got wet.

The ink it spread all over the desk.

/i/-/i/-/i/

– Inky's wet!



**Action:** Pretend to be a mouse by wiggling your fingers at the end of your nose, like whiskers, and squeak *i*, *i*, *i*, *i*.

#### (Tune: The Wheels on the Bus Track 5)

Puff out the candles on the pink pig cake.

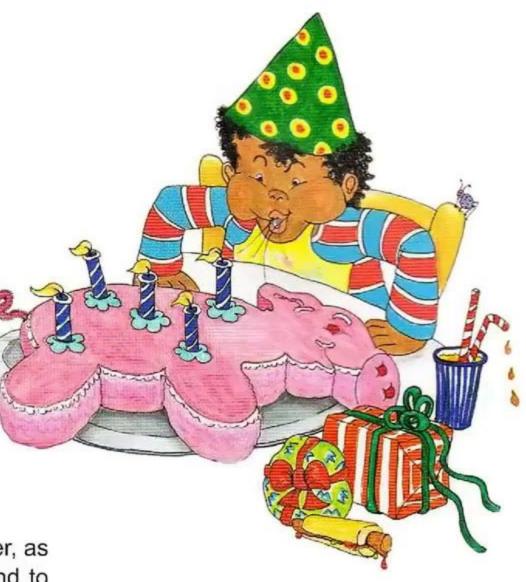
/p/-/p/-/p/, /p/-/p/-/p/.

Puff out the candles on the pink pig cake.

Puff! Puff! Puff!



**Action:** Hold up your finger, as if it is a candle, and pretend to puff it out, saying *p*, *p*, *p*, *p*.





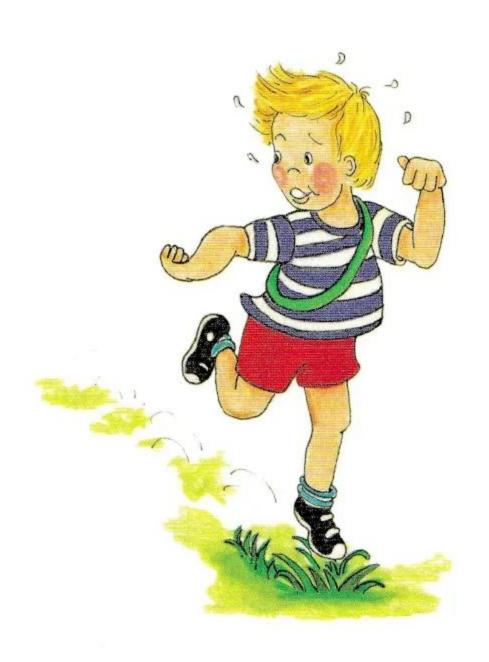
(Tune: Skip to My Lou Track 6)

Hear the aeroplane, /nnn/! Hear the aeroplane, /nnn/! Hear the aeroplane, /nnn/!...

...making lots of noise.



Action: Pretend to be a plane, with your arms out like wings, and say nnnnnnnnn.



# h

(Tune: Apples and Bananas Track 9)

I like to hop, hop, **hop**, up and down.

I like to hop, hop, hop, all around.

I like to hop, hop, hop, up and down — | h/-/h/-/h/-/h/!



**Action:** Hold your hand up to your mouth, as if you are out of breath, and say, *h*, *h*, *h*, *h*.



(Tune: The Muffin Man Track 10)

See my puppy rip the rag. /rrr/! /rrr/!

See my puppy rip the rag, when he pulls so hard.



**Action:** Pretend to be a puppy, pulling a rag, and shake your head from side to side, saying *rrrrrrrrr*.

(Tune: The Wheels on the Bus Track 11)

The mum and the dad make many **meals**.

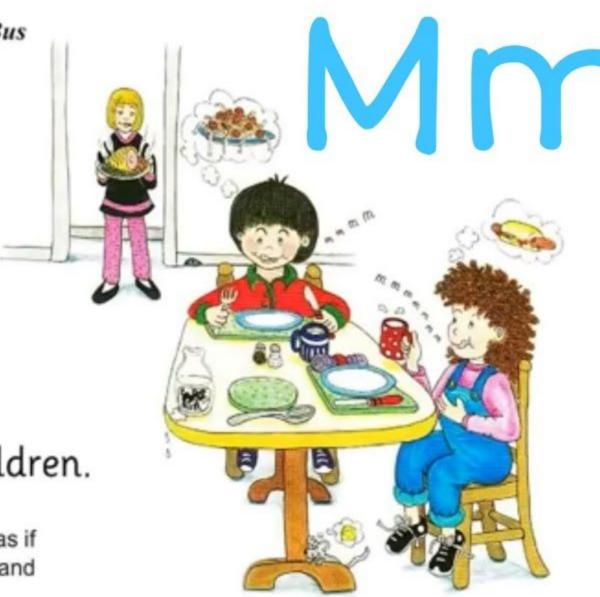
/mmm/!

/mmm/!

The mum and the dad make many meals for their hungry children.



Action: Rub your tummy, as if you are seeing tasty food, and say mmmmmmmmm.





d

(Tune: This Old Man Track 12)

See me play on my **drum**.

Playing drums is lots of fun,

with a /d/-/d/-/d/-/d/

/d/-/d/-/d/-/d/.

See me play upon my drum!



**Action:** Beat your hands up and down, as if you are playing a drum, and say d, d, d, d.

(Tune: Jimmy Crack Corn Track 13)

The water gurgles down the drain.

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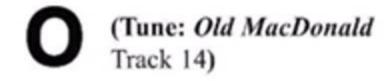
The water gurgles down the drain,

with a /g/-/g/-/g/-/g/.

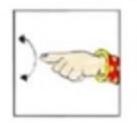




**Action:** Spiral your hand down, as if water is gurgling down a drain, and say g, g, g, g.



Now it's dark,
the lights go on.
/o/-/o/-/o/-/o/.
Time for bed,
the lights go off!
/o/-/o/-/o/-/o/.



Action: Pretend to turn a light switch on and off, and say o, o; o, o.





u

(Tune: Skip to My Lou Track 15)

/u/-/u/ up go umbrellas. /u/-/u/ up go umbrellas. /u/-/u/ up go umbrellas... ...when it starts to rain!



Action: Keep one hand steady and raise the other, as if raising an umbrella, and say u, u, u, u.



(Tune: *The Farmer in the Dell* Track 16)

We lick our lollipops.
We lick our lollipops.

| l | - | l | - | l | !

We lick our lollipops.



**Action:** Pretend to lick a lollipop, saying, *lllllllllll*.





Action: Pretend to hit a ball with a bat, and say b, b, b, b.

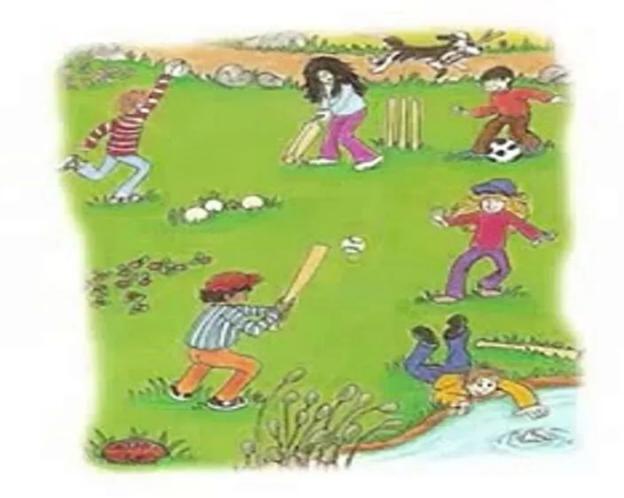
Tune: Camptown Races

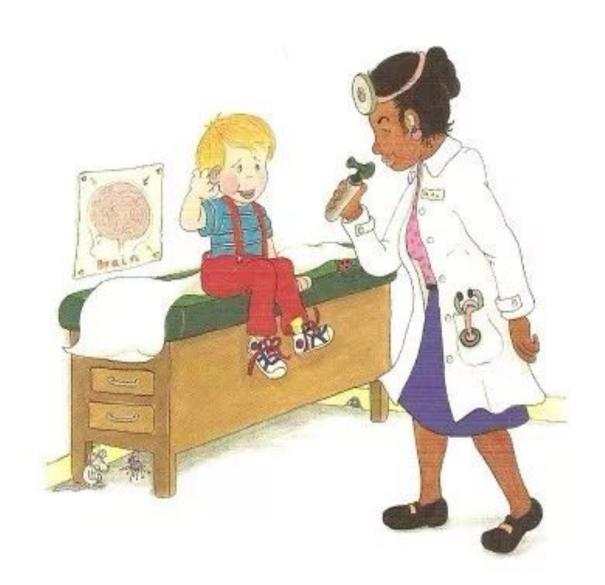
Bring your bat and bring your ball.

/b/! /b/!

Bring your bat and bring your ball...

...to the park to play!





### (Tune: Camptown Races Track 19)

My ear hurt.
I was in pain.
/ai/? /ai/?
My ear hurt.
I was in pain.
What did you try to say?



Action: Cup your hand over your ear, as if you are hard of hearing, and say ai, ai, ai?



(Tune: Jingle Bells Track 20)

Jelly and jam,
jelly and jam,
jiggling on the plate.
Oh, what will I eat with it?
/j/-/j/-/j/-/j/.



**Action:** Pretend to wobble, like jelly on a plate, saying, *j*, *j*, *j*.



(Tune: He's Got the Whole World in His Hands Track 25)

I see the clouds moving, /w/-/w/-/w/.

I see the kites flying, /w/-/w/-

I see the trees bending, /w/-/w/-

The wind is blowing strong!



Action: Blow onto your open hand, as if you are the wind, and say wh, wh, wh.

## OO (Tune: Go In and Out the Windows Track 28)

Who wants to be a **cuckoo**?

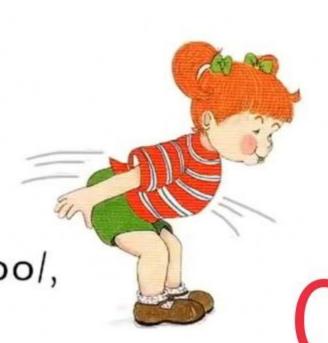
Who wants to be a cuckoo?

Who wants to

be a cuckoo?

100/-100/, 100/-100/,

1001-1001!







**Action:** Move your head back and forth, like the cuckoo in a cuckoo clock, calling *u*, *oo*; *u*, *oo*.



#### (Tune: Apples and Bananas Track 29)

I like to eat, eat, eat, yogurt and bananas. I like to eat, eat, eat, yogurt and bananas. I like to eat, eat, eat, yogurt and bananas - |y|-|y|-|y|-|y|!



**Action:** Pretend to eat yogurt from a spoon, saying, *y*, *y*, *y*.



#### Sh (Tune: Where, Oh Where, has My Little Dog Gone? Track 32)

Hush! Hush! Hush!
Don't make a sound.
Be as quiet
as you can be.
The baby's asleep
and I'm tired out.
Sh! /sh/-/sh/-/sh/-/sh/!



Action: Place your index finger over your lips, and say shshshsh.

# <u>th</u>

th th (Tune: Did You Ever See a Lassie? Track 33)

Did you ever hear a rude clown make this sound and that sound? Did you ever hear a rude clown

say /th/-/th/, /th/-/th/?



Action: Pretend to be a rude clown and stick out your tongue a little for th (as in this), and further for th (as in thumb).



#### (Tune: The Wheels on the Bus Track 34)

The duck in the pond quacks, "/qu/-/qu/-/qu/,"

"/qu/-/qu/-/qu/,"

"/qu/-/qu/-/qu/."

The duck in the pond quacks, "/qu/-/qu/-/qu/," all around the pond.





Action: Make a duck's beak with your hands, and say qu, qu, qu.



#### (Tune: The Mulberry Bush Track 35)

I pricked my thumb
with a needle.
/ou/-/ou/-/ou/!
/ou/-/ou/-/ou/!
I pricked my thumb
with a needle.
/ou/-/ou/, ouch!



Action: Pretend your finger is a needle and prick your thumb, saying ou, ou, ou!



(Tune: The Muffin Man Track 37)

I'd like to have a barbecue.

/ue/-/ue/-/ue/,

/ue/-/ue/-/ue/.

I'd like to have a barbecue with you, and you, and you!



Action: Point to people around you, and say you, you, you.



er (Tune: The Wheels on the Bus Track 38)

The **mixer** in the bowl goes /er/-/er/-/er/, /er/-/er/, /er/-/er/.

The mixer in the bowl goes /er/-/er/-/er/, mixing the food together.



Action: Roll your hands over each other, like a mixer, and say er-er-er-er.

(Tune: Campdown Races Track 39)

"Open wide," the doctor said. /ar/! /ar/! "Let me look at your sore throat. Please say, '/ar/!'"



Action: Open your mouth wide, and say ah.

