

Colors All Around

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Side A

1 - The Bop Stop

Activity - The Bop Stop has just the right beat for all children to easily dance, move ? and still have time to stop and freeze. Enhance listening skills and create an upbeat positive atmosphere - with everyone doing this great movement song. Get ready for lots of fun and giggles.

You can move to the beat ? shake your hands and your feet
Do the Bop ? STOP

You can dance all around ? move your body to the sound
Do the Bop ? STOP

You can boogie, you can groove
Chorus You can twist, really move
You can jump, do the Bop
But don't move, when I ? STOP

You can wiggle way down low? let your body really go
Do the Bop ? STOP

You can dance really cool ? let your body really move
Do the Bop ? STOP

Repeat Chorus

You can move to the beat ? shake your hands and your feet
Do the Bop ? STOP
Do the Bop ? STOP

2 - Let's Go

Activity - Start the day in a fun way. Children can easily follow the movements and sing along. So, LET'S GO!

Hands way up high, hands way down low
Hands clap together ? everybody let's GO

Fingers show me five, fingers show me ten
Fingers run away ? everybody let's GO

Shoulders up and down, shoulders down and up
Move them to the beat ? everybody let's GO

Hips side to side, left and the right
Sway them back and forth ? everybody let's GO

Let's go, let's go ? let's reach up high
Chorus Let's go, let's go ? let's really try
Let's go, let's go ? let's work and play
Let's go, let's go ? let's start the day

Feet step out right, feet step out left
Feet turn around ? everybody let's GO

Ears I can hear, eyes I can see
Brain I can think ? everybody let's GO

Knees I can bend, up and down again
With all my friends ? everybody let's GO

Here comes the sun, clap everyone
Learning is fun ? everybody let's GO

Repeat Chorus

3 - Colors All Around

Activity - Children can learn colors, move and sing along to this wonderful original song by Jack. Try some pictures or slides that give examples of specific colors. Can even be used with diversity activities.

Colors all around ? everywhere you go
Chorus Colors way up high, colors way down low
Colors all around ? for us all to see
Make this world a brighter place for you and me

Look for red and shake your head
On an apple, the color is red
Now look for green and pat your knees
On a leaf, the color is green
Look for yellow and shake like Jell-O
On a banana, the color is yellow
Now, look for brown, hop up and down
A farmer's soil, the color is brown

Repeat Chorus

Now look for purple, turn in a circle
On a flower, the color is purple
Look for blue, tap with your shoes
In the sunny sky, the color is blue
Look for black, jump right back
In the nighttime sky, the color is black
Look for orange and twist all over
On a pumpkin, the color is orange

Repeat Chorus

4 - Body Magnets

Activity - Use Body Magnets with science units or just try it as a fun cooperative activity in pairs or in groups. Everyone can play and move together. Move body parts close to each other, but don't touch until Jack sings MAGNETIZE ? then touch and hold together until next movement.

Body Magnets - you and me
Chorus Body Magnets, it's fun to be
North Pole, South Pole ? opposites attract
Body Magnets, let's do it now!

Right hand, left hand ? come on let's try
Get ready, get set ? MAGNETIZE
Hands to your knees ? come on let's try
Get ready, get set ? MAGNETIZE
Hands to your hips ? come on let's try
Get ready, get set ? MAGNETIZE
Fingers to your toes ? come on let's try
Get ready, get set ? MAGNETIZE

Repeat Chorus

One finger to a friends ? come on let's try

Get ready, get set ? MAGNETIZE
Your elbow to a friends? come on let's try
Get ready, get set ? MAGNETIZE
Your knee to a friends? come on let's try
Get ready, get set ? MAGNETIZE
Both hands with a friends? come on let's try
Get ready, get set ? MAGNETIZE

Repeat Chorus

5 - Save the Earth

Activity - Enhance children's understanding and appreciation of the different homes of animals and why it is important to protect and care for them. Children can make animal actions to the movement parts.

Chorus Save the Earth, save the Earth, save the Earth
Let's all work together

The trees are the home of the little birds
Fly, fly, fly all the little birds
The trees are the home of the little birds
Let's take care of the trees

The sea is the home of the giant whales
Swim, swim, swim all the giant whales
The sea is the home of the giant whales
Let's take care of the sea

Repeat Chorus

The woods are the home of the baby bunnies
Hop, hop, hop all the baby bunnies
The woods are the home of the baby bunnies
Let's take care of the woods

The swamp is the home of the alligator
Chomp, chomp, chomp goes the alligator
The swamp is the home of the alligator
Let's take care of the swamp

Repeat Chorus 2X

6 - Celebrate America

Activity - Children can move and sing along to the great beat & rhythm of this patriotic movement song. Everyone can really be rockin on the 4th of July.

Hands, wave up high ? let's celebrate America
Standing tall, being proud, feeling free
Fingers point to the sky ? let's celebrate America
Standing tall, being proud, feeling free

We run, we climb, we fly
We stand for the land of the free

Arms, reach out wide ? let's celebrate America
Standing tall, being proud, feeling free
Legs, walk with pride ? let's celebrate America
Standing tall, being proud, feeling free

We jump, we march, we swim
We stand for the land of the free

We stand for the land of the free

7 - Beautiful Butterfly

Activity - Children love learning about the metamorphosis of a caterpillar to a butterfly. This beautiful song helps make learning even more special and fun. Children can follow the movements in the different stages of becoming a beautiful butterfly.

I am tiny egg on a leaf, I'm very small and so hard to see
But, I am growing and changing each day
Soon I'll be hatching to my next stage.

Now I'm a caterpillar chewing so much
I chew my shell and leaves I just munch
The bigger I grow my skin sheds away
Then on a branch I make the shape of a "J"
I'm growing it's true ? I'll be a butterfly soon

Chorus I'll fly, I'll fly, flutter my wings all around in the sky
I'll fly, I'll fly ? one day I'll be a beautiful butterfly

Now I'm snug in a safe place
A hard chrysalis protects me each day
Inside I sleep, change and grow
And dream of all the places I'll go

Now I'm a butterfly with beautiful wings
I stretch them out so they'll dry for me
I move and pump my wings up and down
Getting ready to fly all around
I'm happy to be ? a butterfly flying free

Repeat Chorus 2X

8 - I Am A Flower

Activity - Springtime and self-esteem are themes in this classically styled song. Children can move their arms out like petals and then raise and sway their arms as they sing the chorus. Make flowers, color flowers, and read and sing about flowers to enhance your springtime activities.

I am a flower seed ready to go
I need the water and sunlight to grow
I reach up high for the sunshine above
I feel the rain falling to fill me up

Now I'm a flower with friends all around
All different colors that cover the ground
Red ones and pink ones, yellow and blue
Swaying together as breezes blow through

Chorus I am a flower, I am a flower
A flower that's ready to grow
(repeat)

I am a flower and I'm growing up
I drink the water that flows from my cup
Water is flowing and rolling and flowing to me
Flowing and rolling to me.

Repeat Chorus

I am a flower, and I'm glad to be

Living together in this world so free
I let my seeds fly and fall all around
More beautiful flowers, more beautiful songs
Each day I really can feel myself grow
Just like the flowers, the flowers that grow

Side B

1 - It's Cleanup Time

Activity - Cleaning can be made to be fun, especially when we work and laugh a little together. Use this song to help make cleanup time just a bit more enjoyable.

It's fun to play outdoors or inside
Chorus And when we're done ? it's CLEANUP TIME
It's good to work with our hands and our mind
And when we're done ? it's CLEANUP TIME

Repeat Chorus

The President has cleanup time, the Queen of England has cleanup time

Little bunnies have cleanup time, monkeys have cleanup time

Repeat Chorus 2X

2 - The Worm Workout

Activity - Help children learn right and left, enjoy a little exercise, and have fun together as everyone does the Worm Workout.

Everybody listen, put your ear close to the ground
You can hear the worms all working out right to the sound
It seems like so much fun ? come on, get set to move about
Follow all the worms, and do the Worm Workout

Now stretch to the right, to the right, to the right
Good, stretch to the left, to the left, to the left
Alright, now reach up high, up high, now reach up high
Bend down low, down low, down low
Now wiggle and wiggle and wiggle, wiggle all over
Slide to the right, and slide to the left

Worms let's keep it going, be tough and stay alert
Sing and move with me as we all work out in the dirt

Do the Worm Workout, it's really lots of fun
Do the Worm Workout, reach high up to the sun
Do the Worm Workout, let's move around and twist
Do the Worm Workout, all the worms are staying fit

Repeat

3 - Circus On Parade

Activity - Join the Circus On Parade ? swaying, playing, prowling, swinging, juggling, lifting, balancing & galloping all together. Use with circus and animal themes. Pretend to be the Circus on Parade.

The elephants are walking, swaying, walking
The elephants are walking ? the Circus on Parade
The funny clowns are playing, smiling, playing
The funny clowns are playing ? the Circus on Parade

The tigers are prowling, roaring, prowling
The tigers are prowling ? the Circus on Parade
The acrobats are swinging, twirling, swinging
The acrobats are swinging ? the Circus on Parade

Chorus Here they come, right into our town
Here they come, the colors and the sounds
So much fun, I really love to go
So much fun, it's the greatest show

The jugglers are juggling, tossing, juggling
The jugglers are juggling ? the Circus on Parade
The strongmen are lifting, pumping, lifting
The strongmen are lifting ? the Circus on Parade
The tightrope walkers are balancing, carefully, balancing
The tightrope walkers are balancing ? the Circus on Parade
The horses are galloping, prancing, galloping
The horses are galloping ? the Circus on Parade

Repeat Chorus

4 - Weather Walk

Activity - Take a walk together and experience different kinds of weather. Children can follow all the action - movements and have fun on a Weather Walk to this neat jazz rhythm. Use with themes on weather and the world around us.

Come on, take a walk with me
Chorus We'll have so much fun you'll see
Feeling good and feeling free ? on a Weather Walk

It's raining, it's pouring, the rain's falling down
Put on your raincoat, it's wet all around
Hold up your umbrella, you'll need it today
Then, just for fun, feel the rain on your face

Repeat Chorus

Now, out comes the sun and it's getting so hot
You're walking so slow, feeling you just could drop
Drink some fresh water and wipe off your brow
Walk under the sprinkler, let's cool off right now

Repeat Chorus

Now climb up the mountain, where it gets so cold
Walk higher and higher, the icy wind blows
Zip up your jacket and put on your gloves
Now snow is falling from high up above

Repeat Chorus

5 - Doin Good In The Neighborhood

Activity - Community helpers make everyones neighborhood a better place. Children can discuss who are their different community helpers, and, how they can try in their own way to make their neighborhood a better place. Maybe, do a service project together.

Chorus Doin good in the neighborhood
Doin good in the neighborhood
They're helping everyday, to make a better way
Doin good in the neighborhood

Fireman Doin good in the neighborhood
I drive a truck that's big and red,
Then shoot water on the fire so it won't spread

Doctor Doin good in the neighborhood
I check your ears, your throat and nose
And I listen to your heart with my stethoscope

Policewoman Doin good in the neighborhood
I drive my patrol car at work each day
And I help to keep your neighborhood safe

Repeat Chorus

Postal carrier Doin good in the neighborhood
I walk and walk to deliver lots of letters
I do my job in all kinds of weather

Teacher Doin good in the neighborhood
Good morning class
Sing with me A, B, C, D, E, F, G,...

Veterinarian Doin good in the neighborhood
When a dog is feeling sick or bad
I help her feel better so her tail will wag

Repeat Chorus

6 - Real Smart Snakes

Activity - Learning about odd or even numbers can be fun with this creative bluesy rock song. Have fun & rock with those Real Smart Snakes. Try some visuals with odd & even numbers and children can move to action words.

I know some real smart snakes that I'd like you to meet
You might think they're kinda scary, but they're very friendly
When they heard that I was learning my numbers at school
They started making these shapes and they looked pretty cool

They made a 1, 3, 5, 7, 9
It was amazing to me, they made 1, 3, 5, 7, 9
They really made them for me
Then they wiggled and slithered around
They spelled out a word right there on the ground
These are ODD numbers, ODD numbers
They really did make, these are ODD numbers, ODD numbers
Those are real smart snakes

And these real smart snakes started moving some more
They were sliding and gliding now all over the floor
It was neat how they all worked together so well
They could make any numbers, they even could spell

They made a 2, 4, 6, 8, 10
It was amazing to me, they made a 2, 4, 6, 8, 10
It was so easy to see
Then they wiggled and jiggled so smooth
Then they spelled out a word, it was really so cool
These are EVEN numbers, EVEN numbers
They really did make, these are EVEN numbers, EVEN numbers
Those are real smart snakes

Now I get it, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 those are ODD numbers
2, 4, 6, 8, 10 those are EVEN numbers

I can say them again and again, because I had some help from my special friends

Those are real smart snakes, those are real smart snakes

7 - 4 Seasons

Activity - This beautiful sing along can help children remember the four seasons by just singing the chorus.

Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall

There are four seasons, four Seasons in all
Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall

There are four seasons, four Seasons in all

There are four seasons, there are four seasons

There are four seasons in every year

There are four seasons, there are four seasons

There are four seasons? We share

Repeat Chorus

Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall

There are four seasons, four Seasons in all

Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall

8 - We Share So Much

Activity - Each one of us is unique, but we can grow to care & love one another by understanding and appreciating how much we share. Children can discuss many ways we are all the same. Use with themes on diversity, cooperation, friendship & empathy.

We're all different, yes it's true

Chorus I'll be me and you be you

But we're the same in many ways

We share so much every day

I rise up each morning ? **I rise up each morning**

I like a hug ? **I like a hug**

I'm growing bigger ? **I'm growing bigger**

I love feeling love ? **I love feeling love**

Here's my heart ? **Here's my heart**

Here's my hands ? **Here's my hands**

There's so much ? **There's so much**

We share ? **We share**

Repeat Chorus

I have lots of feelings ? **I have lots of feelings**

I dream of peace ? **I dream of peace**

Sometimes I'm mad ? **Sometimes I'm mad**

I'm glad to be me ? **I'm glad to be me**

Here's my heart ? **Here's my heart**

Here's my hands ? **Here's my hands**

There's so much ? **There's so much**

That we share ? **That we share**

Repeat Chorus 2X

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