

Rhymes & Reading – October 12, 2020 Storytime

We Clap and Sing Hello

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Turtle, Turtle (Tune: Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star)

Turtle, turtle moves so slow,
Crawling, crawling, watch him go
At the pond he looks around,
See his head move up and down.
Turtle, turtle wants to swim,
Now he slides and dives right in!

I Have a Little Turtle

I have a little turtle (put hands on top of each other)
He lives in a box (make a box)
He swims in a puddle (swimming motion)
He climbs on the rocks (climbing motion)
He snapped at a mosquito (clap)
He snapped at a flea (clap)
He snapped at a minnow (clap)
And he snapped at me (clap)
He caught the mosquito (cup hands together)
He caught the flea (cup hands together)
He caught the minnow (cup hands together)
But he didn't catch me (shake finger and shake head "no")

Wash, Wash, Wash Your Hands

Wash, wash, wash your hands
Wash them nice and clean
Scrub them here (with hand motion scrubbing together)
Scrub them there (with hand motion scrubbing tops of hands)
And scrub them in between (with hand motion scrubbing between fingers) (repeat)

Two Little Feet

Two little feet go tap, tap, tap
Two little hands go clap, clap, clap
One little body turns around

One quiet body sits on down

“The Box Turtle” by Vanessa Roeder [Dial Book for Young Readers – Penguin Random House]

Music Cube

The Wheels on the Bus / Itsy Bitsy Spider / Head, Shoulders, Knees, Toes / Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star / If You’re Happy and You Know It / Old MacDonald Had a Farm

Baby Turtles

One baby turtle, alone and new
Finds a friend, and then there were two
Two baby turtles crawl down to the sea
They find another, and then there were three
Three baby turtles crawl along the shore
They find another, and then there were four
Four baby turtles go for a dive
Up swims another, and then there were five

ABC’s

Announcements

See You Later, Alligator

See you later, alligator
In a while, crocodile
Give a hug, ladybug
Blow a kiss, jellyfish
See you soon, big baboon
Out the door, dinosaur
Take care, polar bear
Wave goodbye, butterfly