



Term 1

Toddler Time

Children learn best by talking, reading, singing, and playing with the most important people in their lives. Best of all, this can happen any place and any time.

Acknowledgement of Country

Here is the land.

(open arms wide)

Here is the sky.

(point arms up)

Here are my friends,

(arms out to group)

and here am I.

(hands on chest)

We stand together

hand in hand,

(hold hands in front of self)

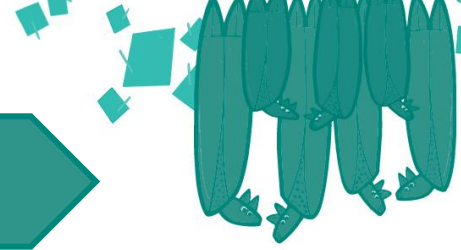
respecting and acknowledging

the Traditional Owners of this land.

(hands on chest)



Opening Song



Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes.

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes.

And eyes and ears and mouth and nose.

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes.

(point to body parts)

Eyebrows, chin and chest and hips, chest and hips.

Eyebrows, chin and chest and hips, chest and hips.

Wave your arms, kick your feet and wiggle your finger tips.

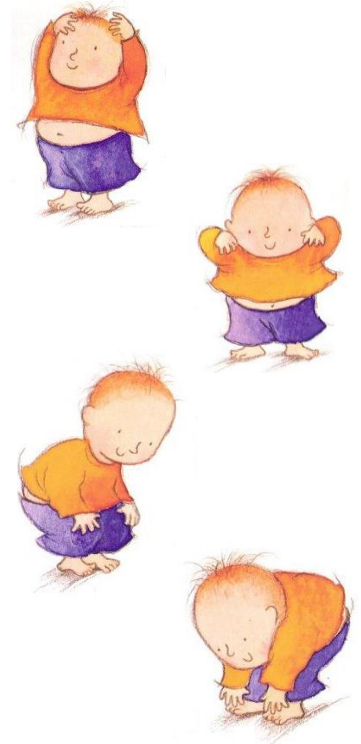
Eyebrows, chin and chest and hips, chest and hips.

(point to body parts)

Eyes and ears and mouth and nose.

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes.

(point to body parts)



B-I-N-G-O (AUSLAN key signs)

There was a farmer who had a dog,
And Bingo was his name-o.

B-I-N-G-O

B-I-N-G-O

B-I-N-G-O

And Bingo was his name-o.



B.



I.



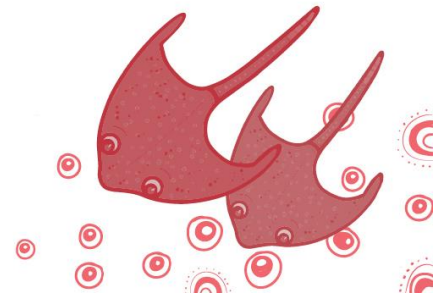
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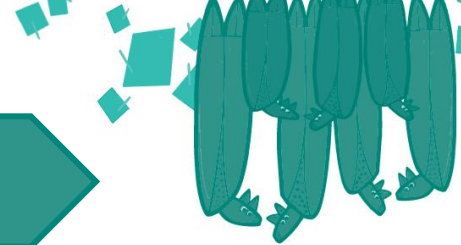
G.



O.



Gulambira *(tune of Frere Jacques)*



These words are from the State Library of Queensland's Wulguru wordlist.

Wulguru is an umbrella term to describe several languages or dialects spoken in the Townsville Region extending from Cleveland Bay to Rollingstone.

Gulambira, Gulambira, (Gool-um-beer-a)

(flap hands like butterfly)

Maybiya, Maybiya, (May-bee-yah)

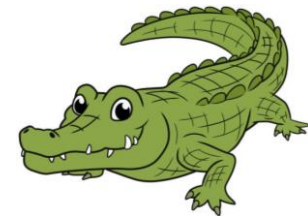
(snap hands like crocodile)

Guya, Guya, Guya, Guya, (Goo-yah)

(move hands like fish)

Gadhara, Gadhara, (Gah-dah-rah)

(hands make possum ears)



View the full SLQ Wulguru word list here →



Walking, walking *(tune of Frere Jacques)*

Walking walking. Walking walking.

Hop hop hop. Hop hop hop.

Running running running. Running running running.

Now let's stop. Now let's stop.

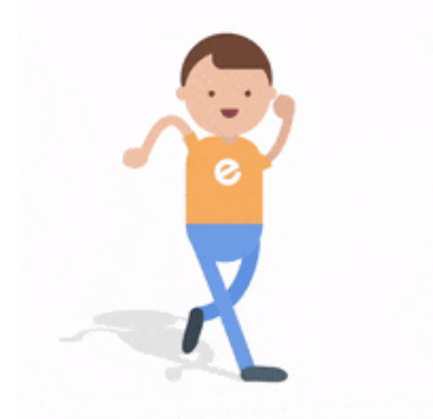
Tiptoe tiptoe. Tiptoe tiptoe.

Jump jump jump. Jump jump jump.

Swimming swimming swimming.

Swimming swimming swimming.

Now let's sleep. Now let's sleep.



Music Time: Wheels on the Bus

The wheels on the bus go round and round,

(Use arms to make wheels going round)

Round and round, round and round.

The wheels on the bus go round and round,

All through the town.

The wipers on the bus go swish, swish, swish...

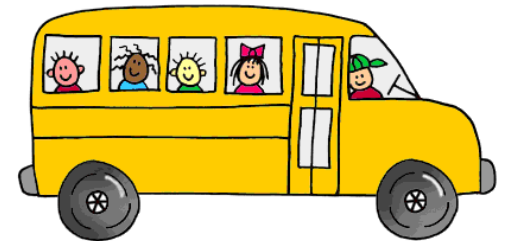
The horn on the bus goes beep beep beep...

The children on the bus go up and down...

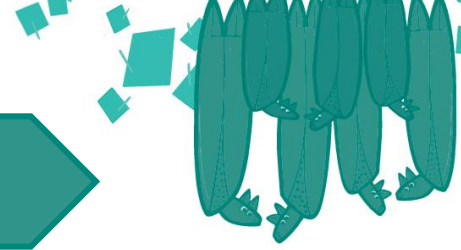
The babies on the bus go waa waa waa...

The drivers on the bus say 'move on back'...

The wheels on the bus go round and round...



One Bright Scarf *(fabric song)*



**One bright scarf waiting for the wind to blow.
Wiggle it high,
And wiggle it low.
Shake it fast,
And shake it slow.**

(Move scarf as song instructs)

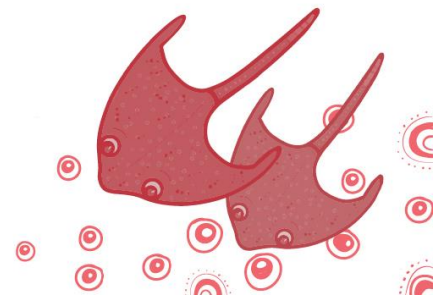
Where did it go?

(Put it behind your back and bring out empty hands)



Storytime Transition - Little Red Engine

The little red engine was chuffing along,
when he came to a great big hill.
He said I must chuff, and never stop.
I must chuff chuff chuff till I get to the top.
I think I can x 4
And he chuffed right over the hill.
Choo, choo!

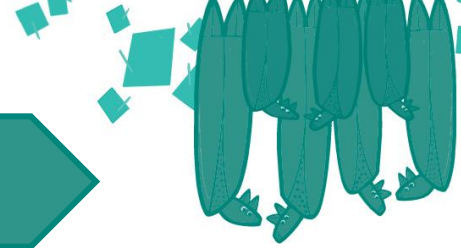


Storytime

There's no right or wrong way to share books. It's okay to read slowly, skip pages, talk about the pictures and not finish a book.



If you're happy and you know it



If you're happy and you know it clap your hands
If you're happy and you know it clap your hands
If you're happy and you know it then you really ought to show it
If you're happy and you know it clap your hands

If you're happy and you know it stomp your feet
If you're happy and you know it stomp your feet
If you're happy and you know it then you really ought to show it
If you're happy and you know it stomp your feet

If you're happy and you know it shout 'hooray' - 'hooray'
If you're happy and you know it shout 'hooray' - 'hooray'
If you're happy and you know it then you really ought to show it
If you're happy and you know it shout 'hooray' - 'hooray'

If you're happy and you know it wave goodbye
If you're happy and you know it wave goodbye
If you're happy and you know it then you really ought to show it
If you're happy and you know it wave goodbye

