

What's In The Box

This is a fun singing game we like to play at school, where an adult holds a box full of pictures or objects that represent different nursery rhymes, and the children take it in turns to choose a picture and sing.

- First you will need a special box. Try making one together! Find an empty cardboard box (about the size of a small shoe box) that has a lid or can be closed. Next decorate it together. You could use paint, or collage paper or shiny things onto it. Make it however you like.
- Then you will need pictures or objects for each nursery rhyme. If you can print the picture sheet attached to this then cut out the pictures and put them in the box. If not then you could draw the different pictures and cut them out. Or maybe you have a toy sheep, bus or star that you could use instead? Its fine to mix and match!
- When you're ready sit with your child and sin this son while holding the box:

Whats in the box? Whats in the box?
(your childs name) (your childs name) Whats in the box?

Sung to the tune of 'The Farmers in his Den'

Open the box for your child to choose a picture and then sin the nursery rhyme together.

- Take it in turns until the box is empty.