



the more we get together
a storytime share

birth-3 storytime

OPENING SONG

Jim Gill's Bouncy Circle

BOOK

Baa, Baa, Black Sheep by Moira Kemp

SONG

"Ten in the Bed"

Fill pillowcase with ten animal puppets (make sure one is significantly smaller than the others). Use animals from each week of storytime: tree, bear, bug, mouse, frog, rabbit, fish, squirrel, bird, owl. Have kids and parents count down from ten on their fingers and roll their hands every time you sing "roll over." Pull out each animal puppet as you count down and have kids say the animal's name and the sound it makes. When you get to 1 in the bed, the little one sings "I've got the whole bed to myself" to the tune of "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands." (Thank you, Julie Bowers at Deschutes Public Library, for teaching me this song!)

DANCE

"The Freeze" by Greg & Steve

ACTION RHYME

"Open Them, Shut Them"

BOOK

Itsy Bitsy Spider by Richard Egielski

PLAYALONG

"Two Little Blackbirds" by Ladybug Music

FINGERPLAY

"This Little Boy Found an Egg"

This little boy found an egg,
This little boy cooked it,
This little boy peeled it,
This little boy salted it,
And this little boy ate it all up.
And then, he got thirsty.
So he walked and he walked and he walked and he walked
Till he came to a well
And he drank and he drank and he drank!

CLOSING SONG

"Ten Little Bubbles"

Sing to the tune of "Ten Little Indians" while counting on your fingers and change the last line to "ten little bubbles go pop pop pop!" Use bubble trumpet to blow bubbles.

PLAYTIME

Yellow Collection by Ladybug Music

Favorite toys: foam building blocks, jumbo farm counters.