



STUFFED ANIMALS MAY



WAKE UP TIME

Bouncing and Lifting

WHO'S HERE TODAY?

Tune: The Farmer in the Dell

_____ 's here today,
_____ 's here today,
We're so glad that _____ 's here,
Let's all shout, "Hurray!"
"Hurray!"

Name and lift each baby.

SO BIG

How big is _____?
_____ is sooooooo big.

Name each baby and ask
Parent to share what's new.

WHAT'S NEW?

CLIPPERY CLOP

Tune: Row, Row, Row Your Boat
By: Jean Warren

Clip, clip, clippety clop,
Clippety, clippety, clop.
The old gray horse goes up and down,
Until it's time to stop.

Bounce Baby on knee to rhyme.

PLAY TIME

Peek-a-Boo

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Play with a variety of stuffed toys and soft dolls. Explore the textures of the soft toys. Add a baby blanket, a play bottle and a baby brush to expand play. Play peek-a-boo with the toys by hiding them under a baby blanket.

MEAL TIME

Clapping

PAT-A-CAKE

Pat-a-cake, pat-a-cake, Baker's man,
Bake me a cake, as fast as you can.
Roll it, pat it, and mark it with a "B,"
And put it in the oven, for Baby and me.

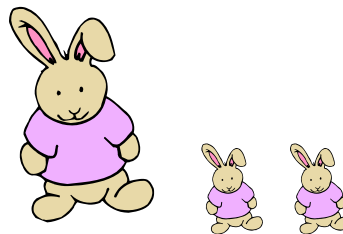
Clap and gesture to rhyme.

A KISS WHEN I WAKE

A kiss when I give her trouble,
A kiss when I give her joy,
There's nothing like mama's kisses,
To her own little baby boy.

A kiss when I give him trouble,
A kiss when I give him a thrill,
There's nothing like daddy's kisses,
To his own little baby girl.

Clap Baby's hands and kiss to rhyme.



TALKING TIME

Tell Me A Story

BABY BOOKS

Share board books with Baby. Choose books with a wide variety of simple photographs or pictures. Show Baby how to turn the pages. Point to pictures and name them. Encourage Baby to pat the pictures. Read to Baby with feeling in your voice.

BATH TIME

Tickling/Body Parts

ROUND THE GARDEN

Round and round the garden,
Went the Teddy Bear.
One step, two steps,
Tickle under there.

Draw a circle on Baby's palm. Walk fingers up Baby's arm, then gently tickle.

LITTLE BUNNY FOO FOO

Little bunny foo foo,
Hopping through the forest,
Picking up the field mice,
And kissing them on the head.

Hop fingers on Baby and then kiss.

CRISS CROSS APPLESAUCE

Criss cross applesauce,
A cool breeze,
A tight squeeze,
And a tickle, tickle, tickle,
As you please.

Draw an X on Baby's tummy. Blow on Baby's neck and tickle and hug gently.

CUDDLING TIME

Lullaby

YOU ARE MY SUNSHINE

You are my sunshine,
My only sunshine.
You make me happy,
When skies are gray.
You'll never know dear,
How much I love you.
Please don't take,
My sunshine away.