

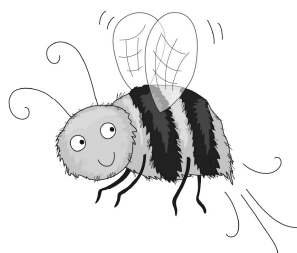
Song of Sounds song

We can sing a song of sounds, skip to my lou my darling.

ants on an apple a a a
butterflies are beautiful b b b
caterpillars coughing c c c
skip to my lou my darling
dinosaurs are dancing d d d
elephants are enormous e e e
fish are funny f f f
skip to my lou my darling
goats are gardening g g g
hats on heads h h h
insects are interesting i i i
skip to my lou my darling
jellybeans are jumping j j j
kings flying kites k k k
lions licking lollipops l l l
skip to my lou my darling
mice are munching m m m
nurse Nelly's nice n n n
octopus is orange o o o
skip to my lou my darling
popcorn popping p p p
queens run quickly qu qu qu
rabbits are rascals r r r
skip to my lou my darling
sausages are sizzling s s s
tiger on the TV t t t
umbrellas up u u u
skip to my lou my darling
Val has a violin v v v
whales in the water w w w
fox on a box x x x
skip to my lou my darling







yellow yoyo y y y
zebras in the zoo z z z
sing a song ng ng ng
skip to my lou my darling
sharks on the shore sh sh sh
chickens eating cheese ch ch ch
thorn in my thumb th th th
skip to my lou my darling
train in the rain ai ai ai
busy busy bee ee ee ee
soar up high igh igh igh
skip to my lou my darling
goat on a boat oa oa oa
zoom to the moon oo oo oo
look in a book oo oo oo
skip to my lou my darling
go far in your car ar ar ar
it's a horse of course or or or
flower in a shower er er er
skip to my lou my darling
don't be noisy oi oi oi
clown upside down ow ow ow
I think I will sink nk nk nk
skip to my lou my darling
hairy fairy air air air
hear with your ear ear ear ear
I'm sure there's a cure ure ure ure







Now we've sung our song to you, you can learn to blend sounds too.
Blending helps you read and write, so sing this song all day and night.















Song actions







Stage 1







PHONEME	GRAPHEME EXPLANATION	ACTION
s	rub your tummy in a circle	
a	make a fist with your hand to make an apple and wiggle your fingers like ants	
t	make a fierce face and show your claws	
p	open and close your fingers like popcorn popping	
i	put your finger on your chin and look thoughtful	
n	cover your heart with your hands	







PHONEME	GRAPHEME EXPLANATION	ACTION
m	put your hands on your head like mouse ears and wiggle	
d	with your finger pointing, do a 1970s disco move, in true 'Saturday Night Fever' style	
g	turn your fingers into pointy horns and wiggle	
o	wave your arms like wiggly octopus legs	
c	wiggle your finger like a caterpillar crawling	
k	raise your arms high over your head and hold on tight to your kite	



PHONEME	GRAPHEME EXPLANATION	ACTION
e	extend your arm from your nose and wave like a trunk	
u	point your finger up to the sky repeatedly	
r	wag your finger to tell off the naughty rabbits	
h	put both hands on your head and move them up and down	
b	wave your arms to make the wings of a butterfly	
f	put your hands together and waggle them through the water like a fish	

PHONEME	GRAPHEME EXPLANATION	ACTION
l	hold up a pretend lollipop	
j	bounce up and down like a jellybean	
v	rest your violin under your chin and play	
w	move your hand up and down to make a wave action	
x	move your hands to show a box shape	
y	move your hand up and down like playing with a yoyo	

PHONEME	GRAPHEME EXPLANATION	ACTION
z	point to the zoo	
qu	move your arms as if running	
ch	tuck your arms in to make wings and flap	
sh	put your hands on your head like a shark's fin	
th	wiggle your thumb	
ng	move your fingers to and fro as if conducting an orchestra	

PHONEME	GRAPHEME EXPLANATION	ACTION
nk	hold your nose and wiggle your body in a downward motion	
ai	tuck your elbows in and move your arms like a train	
ee	make tiny wings like a bumblebee and flap very fast	
igh	point up high	
oa (boat)	pretend to row a boat	
oo (moon)	rush your hand straight to the moon	

PHONEME	GRAPHEME EXPLANATION	ACTION
oo (book)	put your hands together and open them to represent a book	
ar	put your hands on the steering wheel and drive	
or	put one hand behind your back, one hand on the reins and ride	
er	wiggle your fingers like rain falling	
ow	bend your arms over to the side	
oi	put your hands over your ears	

PHONEME	GRAPHEME EXPLANATION	ACTION
air	wiggle your fingers next to your hair	
ear	cup your hand around your ear	
ure	press your fingers against your face to indicate spots	