

# 🎵 All Around My Yard

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The **firefly** at night goes blink, blink, blink,  
Blink, blink, blink; blink, blink, blink  
The **firefly** at night goes blink, blink, blink,  
All around my yard.

The **bees** in the flowers go buzz, buzz, buzz.  
Buzz, buzz, buzz; buzz, buzz, buzz.  
The **bees** in the flowers go buzz, buzz, buzz.  
All around my yard.

The **ants** in the grass go march, march, march.  
March, march, march; march, march, march.  
The **ants** in the grass go march, march, march.  
All around my yard.

The **crickets** in the leaves go chirp, chirp, chirp.  
Chirp, chirp, chirp; chirp, chirp, chirp.  
The **crickets** in the leaves go chirp, chirp, chirp.  
All around my yard.

The **caterpillar** in the field goes creep, creep, creep.  
Creep, creep, creep; creep, creep, creep

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The **caterpillar** in the field goes creep, creep, creep.  
All around my yard.

The **worm** in the dirt goes munch, munch, munch.  
Munch, munch, munch; munch, munch, munch  
The **worm** in the dirt goes munch, munch, munch.  
All around my yard.

Create your own verses:

The **dragonflies** by the pond to hum, hum, hum.

The **flies** on Rover go zzz, zzz, zzz.



# **The Insect Song**

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Head, thorax, abdomen,  
Abdomen.

Head, thorax, abdomen,  
Abdomen.

Six legs, four wings, antennae two,  
Head, thorax, abdomen,  
Abdomen.

# Rhyme the Rhyme

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Demonstrate and encourage children to hop to the steady beat.

## **Chorus:**

Rhyme, rhyme the nursery rhyme.  
I can make a rhyme every time.  
Rhyme, rhyme the nursery rhyme.  
I can make a rhyme every time.

Twinkle, twinkle little star  
*(twinkle fingers in the air)*

What a wonderful child you are  
*(give self a hug)*

With bright eyes and nice round cheeks  
*(touch around own eyes and cheeks)*

Talented person from head to feet.  
*(touch own head and feet)*

*Repeat chorus.*

Margie Pargie pudding and pie  
Gave her friend a big high-five.  
*(give gentle high-fives to friends on either side)*

With her friend she loved to play  
*(make motion with hands to represent "play")*

The gift of a handshake she gave each day.  
*(shake hands with friends on either side)*

*Repeat chorus.*

Little Miss Muffet sat on her tuffet  
*(pretend to sit by squatting)*

Eating her oatmeal today.  
*(pretend to eat)*

Along came a spider and sat down beside her  
*(make hand motions of a spider coming down)*

And said, "Have a good day."  
*(shake hands with friends on either side)*

*Repeat chorus.*