

Richele Bartkowiak

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.

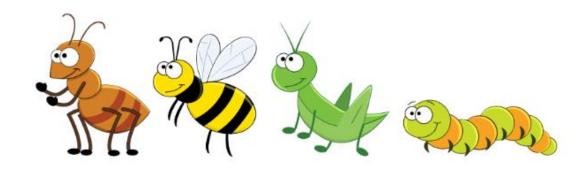
The **caterpillar** in the field goes creep, creep, creep. Creep, creep, creep; creep, creep

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.

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Six legs, four wings, antennae two, Head, thorax, abdomen, Abdomen. © Mr. AL and Becky Bailey

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.
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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.