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LEARNING BASIC SKILLS THROUGH MUSIC

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1. Colors

This is a song about colors, colors you see them all around.

There is red on the stop sign, green on a tree, blue in the sky and sea.

This a song about colors, colors you see them all around.

It's about the happiest song in town. All you have to do is stand up and sit down.

All you have to do is stand up and sit down.

RED stand up, BLUE stand up, YELLOW and GREEN stand up.

RED sit down, BLUE sit down, YELLOW and GREEN sit down.

RED stand up, GREEN stand up, RED and GREEN sit down.

BLUE stand up, YELLOW stand up, BLUE and YELLOW sit down.

This is a song about colors, colors; You see them all around,

There is yellow on bananas and green on a tree, blue in the sky and the sea.

RED stand up, GREEN stand up, YELLOW and BLUE stand up.

RED sit down, RED stand up, YELLOW and GREEN sit down.

BLUE sit down, YELLOW stand up, GREEN and BLUE stand up.

GREEN sit down, BLUE sit down, RED and YELLOW sit down.

This is a song about colors, colors; You see them all around.

It's about the happiest song in town. All you have to do is stand up and sit down.

All you have to do is stand up and sit down. All you have to do is stand up and sit down.

2. Put Your Hands Up in the Air

Put your hands up in the air.

Put your hands down on your nose.

Put your hands up in the air.

Now bend down and touch your toes.

Everybody turn around,

Now let's all jump up and down.

Put your right hand in the air.

Put your right hand on your lips.

Put your left hand in the air.

Now put both hands on your hips.

Everybody turn around,

Now let's all jump up and down.

Walk back quietly to your seat.

Don't let the teacher hear your feet.

Put your hands in your lap.

Bow your head and take a nap,

Bow your head and take a nap.

3. The Elephant

The elephant moves very slowly

Oh, so very slowly.

He doesn't like to move too fast

But, should he see a tiger,

Or spy a mean old hunter,

He will start to run and shake the ground

And make them all fall down.

Rumble, rumble, rumble

Hear the jungle rumble

Rumble, rumble, rumble

Hear the jungle rumble.

The trees shake and sway

As the birdies fly away,

Lions run and hide

With their babies by their side.
Rumble, rumble, rumble
Hear the jungle rumble
Rumble, rumble, rumble
Hear the jungle rumble
Rumble, rumble, rumble
Hear the jungle rumble.

The elephant moves very slowly
Oh, so very slowly.
He doesn't like to move too fast
Because he is so big and fat.

4. The Number March

One person march around the circle;
March, march, march.
One person march around the circle,
Now, let's have two.
Two people march around the circle;
March, march, march.
Two people march around the circle,
Now let's have three.
Three people march around the circle;
March, march, march.
Three people march around the circle,
Now let's have four.
Four people march around the circle;
March, march, march.
Four people march around the circle,
Now, let's have five.
There are five people marching,
Round and around,
1, 2, 3, 4, 5 people march.
There are five people marching,
Round and around,
1, 2, 3, 4, 5 people march.

Five people march around the circle;
March, march, march.
Five people march around the circle,
Now let's have four.
Four people march around the circle;
March, march, march.
Four people march around the circle,
Now let's have three.
Three people march around the circle;
March, march, march.
Three people march around the circle,
Now let's have two.

Two people march around the circle;
March, march, march.
Two people march around the circle,
Now let's have one.
One person march around the circle;
March, march, march.
One person march around the circle,
Now there is none.
There were five people marching
Round and round.
Now there is none,
Now there is none.

5. Marching Around the Alphabet

We're marching around the alphabet, around the
alphabet.
We're passing letters from ABC, all the way to XYZ.
We're marching around the alphabet, around the
alphabet
Where we stop nobody knows, until the whistle
blows.
Now bend down right where you are, pick a letter
that's near your toes.
When the teacher points to you, tell the teacher
which letter you chose,
Tell the teacher which letter you chose.
Put your letter back on the ground
Stand up tall and march around.
We're marching around the alphabet, around the
alphabet.
We're passing letters from ABC, all the way to XYZ.
(Repeat 3x's)

6. Growing

There are so many things that grow, grow, grow,
So many things that grow, grow, grow.
There are flowers and trees and chimpanzees, mice
and rats and little kitty cats.
There are monkeys and parrots, peas and carrots,
boys and girls all over the world.
Now, let's start with a tiny little seed, that slowly
grows and becomes a tree
And the little twigs and branches become big limbs
With leaves that sway and rustle in the wind,
With leaves that sway and rustle in the wind.

There are so many things that grow, grow, grow,
So many things that grow, grow, grow.

There are flowers and trees and chimpanzees, mice
and rats and little kitty cats.

There are monkeys and parrots, peas and carrots,
boys and girls all over the world.

Now we started out as a tiny little baby,
And we grew a little bit and then we could crawl,
And we grew a little more and then we could walk,
And we grew a little more and then we could talk,
And we grew a little more and we could run like the
wind.

There are so many things that grow, grow, grow
So many things that grow, grow, grow.

There are flowers and trees and chimpanzees, mice
and rats and little kitty cats.

There are monkeys and parrots, peas and carrots,
boys and girls all over the world.

Yes, boys and girls all over the world.

7. This is The Way We Get Up in the Morning

This is the way we get up in the morning.

Ooooo

This is the way we get up in the morning.

Ooooo

We open our eyes and hop out of bed.

Ooooo

We take a big stretch and scratch our head.

Ooooo

We wash our face, one, two, three.

Brush our teeth, now you see

This is the way we get up in the morning.

Ooooo

We go to the mirror and comb our hair.

Ooooo

We go to the closet for something to wear.

Ooooo

Girls put on a dress or a blouse and skirt.

Ooooo

Boys put on a pair of pants and shirt.

Ooooo

We button our buttons, one, two, three.

Tie our shoes, now you see

This is the way we get up in the morning.

Ooooo

Now it's time to have a big breakfast.

Ooooo

We take our time,

We don't eat too fast.

Ooooo

We start out the day by eating good foods.

Ooooo

There's many yummy things that we can choose.

Ooooo

There's eggs and cereal, toast and juice,
Pancakes, coffee cakes, bacon, too.

This is the way we get up in the morning.

Ooooo

Ooooo

Ooooo.

8. The Birds

Birds are flying through the air,

Gliding, flying through the air.

All is calm and peaceful

High up in the sky.

High above the tall pine trees,

High above the deep blue sea,

All is calm and peaceful

High up in the sky.

One little birdie flies down to the ground.

Another little birdie follows him down.

All the other birdies fly down to the ground,

All the other birdies fly down to the ground.

Now they rest their wings, rest and sing.

Rest and sing about all they have seen

Rest their wings, rest and sing.

Rest and sing about beautiful things.

One little birdie flies up in the air,

Another little birdie follows him there.

All the other birdies fly up in the air,

All the other birdies fly up in the air.

Birds are flying through the air,

Gliding, flying through the air.

All is calm and peaceful

High up in the sky.

9. What are You Wearing ?

What are you wearing, what are you wearing,

What are you wearing, today, today?

What are you wearing, what are you wearing,

What are you wearing, today, today?

If you're wearing a shirt, stand up

If you're wearing a shirt, stand up

If you're wearing a dress, stand up

If you're wearing a dress, stand up

If you're wearing pants, stand up
 If you're wearing pants, stand up
 What are you wearing, what are you wearing,
 What are you wearing, today, today?
 What are you wearing, what are you wearing,
 What are you wearing, today, today?
 If you're wearing a sweater, stand up
 If you're wearing a sweater, stand up
 If you're wearing a skirt and blouse, stand up
 If you're wearing a skirt and blouse, stand up
 If you're wearing shoes, stand up
 If you're wearing shoes, stand up
 What are you wearing, what are you wearing,
 What are you wearing, today, today?
 What are you wearing, what are you wearing,
 What are you wearing, today, today?
 If you're wearing a belt, stand up
 If you're wearing a belt, stand up
 If you're wearing a coat, stand up
 If you're wearing a coat, stand up
 If you're wearing socks, stand up
 If you're wearing socks, stand up
 What are you wearing, what are you wearing,
 What are you wearing, today, today?
 What are you wearing, what are you wearing,
 What are you wearing, today, today?
 (Repeat)

10. What is Your Name?

Now, let's have a little fun and play a little game;
 The name of the game is, What is your name?
 When people get together, they may talk about the
 weather

But the first thing they say is, What is your name?
 What is your name?
 What is your name?
 My name is
 What is your name?
 My name is

(Repeat 4 more times)

Suppose you're at a party, everyone is there;
 music and laughter are filling the air
 Somebody says, I'm so glad you came. Now, if you
 please, tell me, What is your name? What is your
 name?

My name is
 What is your name?
 My name is

(Repeat 4 more times)

Suppose that you're lost and you don't know where
 you are;
 You meet a nice Policeman who wears a shiny star
 He says now, son, I would like to take you home, but
 the thing I have to know is, What is your name?

What is your name?
 What is your name?
 My name is
 What is your name?
 My name is

(Repeat 4 more times)

Now, we had a little fun and played a little game;
 The name of the game is, What is your name?
 What is your name? What is your name?

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