EYFS Rhyme of the week

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| Nursery | Reception |
| 1. Miss Polly had a dolly
2. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 once I caught a fish alive
3. Humpty Dumpty
4. Peter Rabbit has a fly upon his nose
5. Baa Baa Black Sheep
6. Jack and Jill
7. Five little monkeys
8. A sailor went to sea
9. Five little ducks
10. I hear thunder
11. I’m a little teapot
12. Incey Wincey Spider
13. Doctor Foster
14. Little Bo Peep
15. Hickory, dickory dock
16. Little Jack Horner
17. Little Miss Muffet
18. Mary had a little lamb
19. Horsey, horsey
20. Old Mother Hubbard
21. Pat-a-cake, pat-a-cake
22. Ten in a bed
23. Polly put the kettle on
24. Old McDonald had a farm
25. Round and round the garden, like a teddy bear
26. Row, row, row your boat
27. Sleeping bunnies
28. The finger family song
29. This little piggy
30. Twinkle, twinkle little star
31. Two little dicky birds
32. 5 currant buns
33. Dingle, dangle scarecrow
34. The farmer’s in his den
35. Wind the bobbin up
36. Hot cross buns
37. The wheels on the bus
38. I had a little turtle
39. One potato, two potato
 | 1. Three little kittens have lost their mittens
2. Five fat sausgaes
3. Here we go round the mulberry bush
4. One finger, one thumb keep moving
5. It’s raining, it’s pouring
6. Bobby Shaftoe’s gone to sea
7. Diddle, diddle dumpling
8. Little boy blue
9. London bridge is falling down
10. Five little speckled frogs
11. B-I-N-G-O
12. Girls and boys come out to play
13. Open, shut them
14. Mary, Mary quite contrary
15. The North wind does blow
16. 5 little peas in a peapod pressed
17. Old King Cole
18. One, two buckle my shoe
19. Frere Jacques
20. There was on old woman who lived in a shoe
21. Oranges and lemons
22. Pop goes the weasel
23. Pussy cat, pussy cat
24. Ride a cock-horse to Banbury cross
25. Rub a dub dub, three men in a tub
26. Sing a song of sixpence
27. Ring a ring of roses
28. Rock-a-bye baby
29. Teddy bear, teddy bear
30. The grand old duke of York
31. The muffin man
32. The queen of hearts
33. There was a crooked man
34. The animal fair
35. This old man
36. Tom, tom the piper’s son
37. Goosey, goosey gander
38. I had a little nut tree
39. There was an old lady who swallowed a fly
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Each week Nursery and Reception will have a ‘rhyme of the week.’ The main focus will be on learning the rhyme off by heart but we will also discuss any new or unusual vocabulary used. Each week the rhyme will be shared with parents via Seesaw so that they can also practise the rhyme at home. Rhyme of the week will be displayed in the classroom too. There is a folder on One Drive in EYFS called Rhyme of the week. Here there are some files with display posters with many of the rhymes already made. Each week a prop or picture card representing the rhyme will be added to a ‘Rhymes we know’ box/basket that children can choose from.

Nursery have the more well known rhymes and rhymes that are easier to learn. This means children who do not attend our nursery are likely to know many of the rhymes covered already.