**WELCOME SONG**

Chris is here today

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Let's all make a splash 'cause Chris is here today

**Pancake (Starfish) Song**

I'm a little pancake (starfish) on my back

I'm a little pancake (starfish) nice and flat

I'm a little pancake (starfish) on my back

Just tip me over and swim me back.

**Wheels on the Bus**

The wheels on the bus go round and round

Round and round

Round and round

The wheels on the bus go round and round

All day long

...wipers go swish

...horn goes beep

...motor goes brrrrmm (blow bubbles)

...children go splash

...feet go kick
Here we go round the mulberry bush
Here we go round the mulberry bush, the mulberry bush, the mulberry bush
Here we go round the mulberry bush early in the morning.
This is the way we kick our feet, kick our feet, kick our feet
This is the way we kick our feet early in the morning
..... float on our back
.....float on our tummy

GREEN FROG
Splash Splash went the little green frog one day
Splash splash went the little green frog
Splash Splash went the little green frog one day
And we all go splash splash splash

Horsey Horsey
Horsey horsey don’t you stop Plastic cups making plopping sounds on the surface
Let your feet go clippety clop
The wheels go around Circle one hand over the other
And the horse says Nay
Giddy up we’re homeward bound

Tick Tock
Tick tock tick tock I’m a little cuckoo clock
Tick tock tick tock now I’m striking one o’clock (2 o’clock then 3 o’clock)
(Gently rock child from side to side and push up on strikes, face parent to start with then face rest of class when confident)
**Row Your Boat (Version 1)**
Row row row your boat gently down the stream
Merrily merrily merrily merrily life is but a dream
Row row row your boat gently down the stream
Whoops I tricked you it’s a submarine

**Row your boat (Version 2)**
*(Baby in the Prone Hold)*
Row Row Row your boat
Gently down the stream
If you see a crocodile
Don’t forget to scream

**If you’re happy and you know**
If you’re happy and you know it clap your hands
If you’re happy and you know it clap your hands
If you’re happy and you know it then you really ought to show it
If you’re happy and you know it clap your hands.
......Blow bubbles.
......Make a splash
......Wave goodbye
...kick your feet
...splish and splash
...wash your tummy
**Aeroplane song**

Head’s in the water  
Nose to the sky  
Sit straight up  
Like there’s water in your eye  
Fly around your partner, like an aeroplane  
Then come into land, and do it all again

**Down at the station**

Down at the station early in the morning  
See the little puff-a-billies all in a row  
See the engine driver climb up on the engine  
"Puff Puff"  
"Toot Toot"  
Off we go

**Entry game**

As tall as a house (*arms stretched too the sky*)  
As small as a mouse (*crouched and whisper*)  
As fat as a cat (*puff up faces and bellies, arms stretched to sides*)  
As thin as a pin (*arms by sides*)  
We all float in..... (*Teacher directed floats*)
**Hokie Tokie (Whale Wiggle or Fishy Wishy)**
You put your left fin in
You put your left fin out
You put your left fin in and you shake it all about
Chorus
You do the fishy-wishy (or whale wiggle) and you turn around
That’s what it’s all about *(happy scream)*
Verse 2. “.......... you put your right fin in”
Verse 3 “...... you blow bubbles in”
Verse 4 “...... you put your whole self in”

**Back Float (Tune: Twinkle twinkle little star)**
Twinkle twinkle little toes
This is how my back float goes
Ears in the water
Tummy up high
Like a speed boat I float by

Like a tug boat I float by
Like a sail boat I float by
Like a Star fish I float by
Like a Lilly pad I float by
**Crabs and Sea shells** *(tune: Frere Jaque)*

- Crabs and sea shells  
  *Crabs (pincer thumb and fingers together)*
- Crabs and sea shells  
  *Sea Shells (palms up make a shell shape)*
- Dolphins to  
  *Wiggle your whole hand up and down like*
- Dolphins too  
  *dolphins diving*
- Octopus and penguins  
  *Wiggle your whole body*
- Octopus and penguins  
  *Walk like a penguin with arms by side*
- We swim too  
  *Swimming actions with your arms*
- We swim too

**Hickory Dickory**

- Hickory Dickory dash
- The children make a big SPLASH
- They turn around
- They touch the ground
- Hickory Dickory Dash
- Hickory Dickory dare
- The children jump up in the air
- Their bubbles went in *(blow bubbles in the water)*
- They were learning to swim *(children and/or Parents make arm actions)*
- Hickory Dickory dare
Head shoulder knees and toes knees and toes
Head shoulder knees and toes knees and toes
Head shoulder knees and toes
And eyes and ears and mouth and nose
Head shoulders knees and toes, knees and toes.

SLIPPERY FISH
A Slippery Fish, a Slippery Fish swimming through the water
A Slippery Fish a Slippery Fish ............
OH NO! He's been eaten by a Tuna Fish
A Tuna Fish a a Tuna Fish swimming through the water
A Tuna Fish a Tuna fish .................
OH NO! He's been eaten by an Octopus
A Octopus an a Octopus swimming through the water
A Octopus an Octopus .................
OH NO! He's been eaten by a Big White Shark
A Big White Shark, A Big White Shark swimming through the water
A Big White Shark, A Big White Shark GULP GULP GULP!!!!!

Ten Green Frogs
Ten green frogs hopping up and down
Ten green frogs hopping up and down
And if one green frog should decide to go and swim
There would be 9 green frogs hopping up and down
**Galloo went the little green frog**
Galloo went the little green frog one day
Galloo went the little green frog
Galloo went the little green frog one day and the frog went Galloop galloop galloop
But we all know frogs go (pause) Ladidadida (pause) ladidadida (pause) ladidadida
But we all know frogs go (pause) Ladidadida they don’t go Galloop galloop
Splish splash went the little green frog one day ...
Kick kick went the little green frog one day ...

**Teddy Bear Teddy Bear**
Teddy Bear Teddy Bear up and down
Teddy Bear Teddy Bear turn around
Teddy Bear Teddy Bear touch your toes
Teddy Bear Teddy Bear touch your nose
Teddy Bear Teddy Bear too and fro
Teddy Bear Teddy Bear lots of bubbles we blow

Teddy Bear Teddy Bear touch your toes
Teddy Bear Teddy Bear wet your nose
Teddy Bear Teddy Bear too and fro
Teddy Bear Teddy Bear down we go
5 Little ducks went out to play
5 Little ducks went out to play
Over the pond and far away
Mummy duck said Quack, quack, quack...
4 little ducks came back

5 green and speckled frogs
5 green and speckled frogs
Sat on a specked log
Eating some most delicious bugs
Yum, Yum
One jumped into the pool
Where it was nice and cool
Now there were four green speckled frogs

Motor Boat Motor Boat
Motor boat motor boat go so fast
Motor boat motor boats go so slow
Motor boat motor boat step on the gas
**Number songs**

1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Once I caught a fish alive
One, two, three, four, five
Once I caught a fish alive
Six, seven, eight, nine, ten,
Then I let it go again
Why did you let it go
Because it bit my finger so
Which finger did it bite?
This little finger on my right

**Names in the group or family...**

Wish wash Jessica wish wash (swoosh the water sideways twice like wind screen wipers)
Wish wash Jessica wish was
Splish splash Kody Splish splash (splash on the water twice with your hands)
Splish splash Kody splish splash
Bibble bubble Lucy bibble bubble (blow bubbles twice)
Bibble bubble Lucy bibble bubble
Clap hands Nicholas clap hands ...

**Flippy floppy Scarecrow**

I’m a flippy floppy scarecrow with a flippy floppy hat
I shake my hands like this and I kick my legs like that
The children in the pool
The children in the pool the jump up and down
Jump up and down
Jump up and down
The children in the pool the jump up and down
Jump up and down all day long

Pakipaki
Pakipaki pakipaki Tamariki ma Clap children
Pakipaki pakipaki Tamariki ma
Kanikani dance
Hurihuri turn around
E peke jump
E oma run
E hula hula
Takahia stamp
E Haka haka!

Head, shoulders, knees and toes (Maori)
Mahunga, pakahiwi, puku, hope, waewae
Mahunga, pakahiwi, puku, hope, waewae
Mahunga, pakahiwi, puku, hope, waewae
Taringa, karu, ihu, waha e
(Head, shoulders, stomach, hips, legs Ears, eyes, nose, mouth)

Makawe, rae, paparinga
Makawe, rae, paparinga
Makawe, rae, paparinga
Kaki, korokoro, nono e
(Hair, forehead, cheeks, neck, throat, bottom)
**Tony Chestnut**

Toe, knee, chest, nut, nose  
I love you  
Toe, knee, nose  
Toe, knee, nose  
Toe, knee, chest, nut, nose  
I love you  
Toe, knee, nose  
Toe, knee, nose  
That’s what toe knee chest nut nose

**Shake, Shake**

Shake, shake, rattle, rattle  
Shake, shake, rattle, rattle  
Shake, shake, rattle, rattle  
Roll over

**Bounce, bounce**

Bounce, bounce all around  
Bounce, bounce, bouncing is so much fun  
Bouncing around the swimming pool  
... Landing on your bottom  
... Blowing lots of bubbles  
... etc
**Ring a Monkey (in a circle)**
Ring a ring of Monkey’s
A pocket full of peanuts
Bananas, banana’s, we all blow
bubbles
Ring a ring of Monkey’s
A pocket full of peanuts
Bananas, banana’s, we all fall down

**How much is that Fishy (circle facing each other)**
How much is that fishy in the fish bowl (splash, splash)
The one with the wiggly tail (wiggle from side to side and turn around in a circle)

How much is that fishy in the fish bowl (splash, splash)
I do hope that fishes for sale.
How much is that fishy blowing bubbles (blow bubbles)
The one with the googly eyes (wiggle from side to side and turn around in a circle)

How much is that fishy blowing bubbles
I do hope that fishes for sale.

**Fishes in the water (staying in a circle)**
Fishes in the water, fishes in the sea (hands swaying held together from side to side)
We all jump up on a 1-2-3 (all jump up)
Fishes in the water, fishes in the sea (hands swaying held together from side to side)

We all blow bubbles on a 1-2-3.
Ring-a-Rosies in Maori (Rotorua Swimsation)

Huri huri haere  
He pākete rare  
A hi, a hi  
Ka noho tatou

Ring a Ring a rosies  
A bucket full of lollies  
A tissue, a tissue  
We all fall down

Twinkle, Twinkle Traffic Light (Helen’s School of Swimming)

Twinkle, twinkle traffic light,  
On the corner shining bright.  
Red means stop,  
Green means go,  
Orange means go but very slow.  
Twinkle, twinkle traffic light,  
On the corner shining bright.

One day a Taniwha

One day a taniwha  
Went swimming in the moana  
"Won't you come along with me  
There such a lot to see  
Underneath the deep blue sea."

Tetahi taniwha  
Kauhoe i te moana  
"Kia haere taua  
Tipi haere tirotiro  
I raro i te moana."

I said "Oh, no, no, no!  
You'd better go, go, go,  
Although I know we could be friends.  
My Mama's waiting for me  
Underneath the kowhai tree  
Taniwha, haere ra!"

Ka mea au "Kao, kao, kao!  
Me haere, haere koe  
Ahakoa he hoa taua.  
Tatari ana taku Mama  
Kei raro i te rakau kowhai  
Taniwha, haere ra."