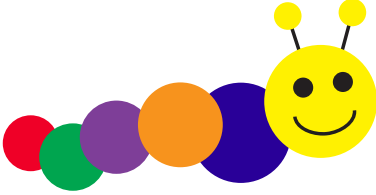


BABY BOOKS to GO



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Rhyming Fun

Two Little Blackbirds

(Pretend hands are blackbirds. Make each "fly away" and "come back.")

Two little blackbirds
Sitting on a hill,
One named Jack and
One named Jill.
Fly away Jack,
Fly away Jill.
Come back, Jack!
Come back, Jill!

Birds

Children are captivated by the world around them, especially animals! Since birds are easy to find outdoors, children have a natural opportunity to learn more about their colors, sounds, and unique movements.

Ideas & Tips

- Pretend you are a bird. Stretch out your arms like wings and pretend to fly around the room. Fly your baby around in your arms, too!
- Have a "conversation" with your child by making bird noises back and forth. Try mimicking different types of bird sounds.
- Use feathers or bird nests for sensory play and talk about their colors and textures.
- Make homemade wild bird food and place it in your backyard. Observe what kind of birds visit your garden.
- Go to a park or a pond and watch for different types of birds. Talk about their colors, different sizes, and their many sounds. Imitate the bird calls you hear.

More Books

- [Beautiful Birds](#) by Jean Rousen
- [Birds](#) by Kevin Henkes
- [Early Bird](#) by Toni Yuly
- [Feathers for Lunch](#) by Lois Ehlert
- [Hooray for Birds!](#) by Lucy Cousins

