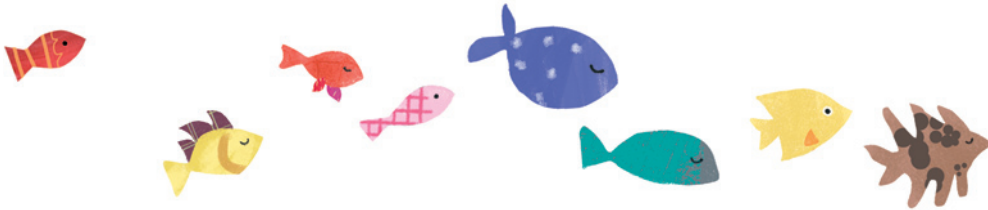


# Under the sea rhymes!



## Ten little fishes

Sung to: 'Ten Green Bottles'

Ten little fishes swimming in the sea,  
Ten little fishes swimming in the sea,  
And if one little fishy, a scary shark should see,  
There'd be nine little fishes swimming in the sea.

(Repeat for little fishes nine to two)

One little fishy swimming in the sea,  
One little fishy swimming in the sea,  
And if one little fishy, a scary shark should see,  
There'd be no little fishes swimming in the sea.



## Once I saw an octopus

Once I saw an octopus  
In the deep blue sea. (Point downward)  
I called, 'Mr. Octopus,  
Won't you swim with me?' (Cup hands around mouth)  
Then out came his tentacles,  
So very long and straight, (Extend eight fingers)  
One and two and three and four,  
Five and six and seven and eight. (Count on fingers)

## Five little seashells lying on the shore

Five little seashells lying on the shore,  
'Swish!' went the waves, and then there were four.  
Four little seashells, happy as could be,  
'Swish!' went the waves, and then there were three.  
Three little seashells, all pearly new,  
'Swish!' went the waves, and then there were two.  
Two little seashells, lying in the sun,  
'Swish!' went the waves, and then there was one.  
One little seashell, left all alone,  
Put it in your pocket and take it home.

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## Turtles

One baby turtle alone and new.  
 Finds a friend, and then there are two.  
 Two baby turtles crawl down to the sea.  
 They find another, and then there are three.  
 Three baby turtles crawl along the shore.  
 They find another, and then there are four.  
 Four baby turtles go for a dive.  
 Up swims another, and then there are five.

## One, two, three, four, five

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.



## Have you seen the great big whale?

Have you seen the great big whale, the great big whale, the great big whale,  
 Have you seen the great big whale spray water from its spout?  
 Yes I've seen the great big whale, the great big whale, the great big whale,  
 Yes I've seen the great big whale spray water from its spout,  
 We've all seen the great big whale, the great big whale, the great big whale,  
 We've all seen the great big whale spray water from its spout.

## Waves on the sea

*Sung to: 'Wheels on the bus'*

The waves on the sea go up and down, *(Raise and lower arms)*  
 Up and down, up and down,  
 The waves on the sea go up and down,  
 All day long.

The shark in the sea goes snap snap snap... *(Clap your hands)*

The fish in the sea go swish swish swish... *(Swish back and forth)*



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