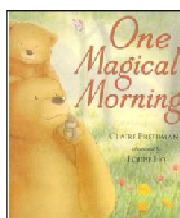


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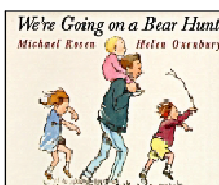


## BEARS

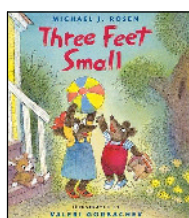
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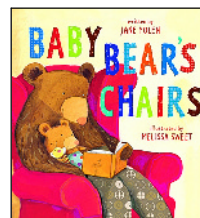
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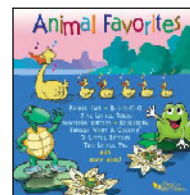
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## Ideas for Participation:

Fingerplays and action rhymes help your child learn new words through rhythm and repetition. In addition, fingerplays will improve your child's motor skills and coordination. Practice the fingerplays and action rhymes between stories to keep your child's attention and to enhance the storytime experience.

### THE BEAR WENT OVER THE MOUNTAIN

Tune: For He's a Jolly Good Fellow

The bear went over the mountain,  
The bear went over the mountain,  
The bear went over the mountain,  
To see what he could see.  
And all that he could see,  
And all that he could see,  
Was the other side of the mountain,  
The other side of the mountain,  
Was all that he could see.

### TEDDY BEAR, TEDDY BEAR

Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, turn around,  
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, touch the ground,  
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, show your shoe  
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, how old are you?

### FIVE BLACK BEARS

Five black bears out to explore.  
One ran off to look for berries,  
then there were four.  
Four black bears, climbing up a tree.  
One ran off to look for honey,  
then there were three.  
Three black bears on roots began to chew.  
One ran off to fish and swim,  
then there were two.  
Two black bears resting in the sun.  
One ran off to find a den,  
then there was one.  
One black bear, yes, only one.  
He ran off to find a friend,  
then there were none.

### Looking for more?

Check out these great  
counting stories at your local  
County of Los Angeles Public Library!

#### Bear Snores On

by Karma Wilson

#### Blueberries For Sal

by Robert McCloskey

#### Corduroy

by Don Freeman

#### Jessie Bear, What Will You Wear

by Eric Carle

#### Where's My Teddy?

by Jez Alborough