

“Jingle Jive” – Chant – (BB CD#3, Track #60)

Jingle, jingle, jingle jive, clap your hands while I count to five!

Jingle, jingle, jingle jeight, clap your hands while I count to seven!

(Add other numbers to help children with rhyming words; you can also change “clap” to a different movement))

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Follows same tune as used in the chant; additional movement ideas to substitute for “clap your hands”. Start this chant by counting “1, 2, 3”...and lead into Jingle Jour.

Chant	Movement	Skill Targeted
Jingle, jingle, jingle jour, <u>jump with 2-feet</u> , while I count to four.	Children stand and jump in place while counting to 4.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leg strength • Balance • Coordination.
Jingle, jingle, jingle jive, <u>clap your feet</u> , while I count to five.	Children sit on floor, with hands supporting to lift feet up. Children hold legs off floor, while clapping to 5 with their feet.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Body awareness & motor planning • Strengthening of arms, stomach, and legs. • Leg coordination.
Jingle, jingle, jingle jix, <u>jump with 1-foot</u> , while I count to six.	Children stand and hop, in place, while counting to 6.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leg strength • Balance • Coordination.
Jingle, jingle, jingle jeven, <u>stay in crab position</u> , while I count to seven.	Children sit on floor, placing hands and feet on floor to lift buttocks up. They stay in this position (crap position), while counting to 7.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Body awareness & motor planning • Strengthening of arms, legs and trunk.
Jingle, jingle, jingle jeight, <u>run in place</u> , while I count to eight.	Children stand and run in place, counting to 8.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Balance • Coordination • Endurance.
Jingle, jingle, jingle jine, <u>march, knees high</u> , while I count to nine.	Children stand & march in place while counting to 9. Encourage them to lift knees high.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Balance • Coordination • Strengthening of legs & trunk.
Jingle, jingle, jingle jen, <u>clap hands under legs</u> , while I count to ten.	Children stand in place lifting 1-leg to clap hands under it, then the other leg. Keep alternating legs until you reach 10.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Body awareness & motor planning • Balance • Coordination • Strengthening of legs & trunk • Directional concept: under.

