

Let's Put the Rooster in the Stew

For ages 9+



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Actions:

Seated on the floor with a pair of sticks (or two pencils or any other "stick like" objects! If you don't have sticks there is a clapping version of the song.

There is a continual pattern all the way through -

1,2,3,4,5,6,7 (tete tete tete ta)

First just try to learn the song and then learn the actions and eventually put them both together.

Every time we perform the pattern there is a tap added on each number progressively e.g .

1st time: *No tap - 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7*

2nd time: *Tap 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7*

3rd time: *1, tap, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7*

4th time: *1, 2, tap, 4, 5, 6, 7*

(Repeat of the song)

5th time: *1, 2, 3, tap, 5, 6, 7*

6th time: *1, 2, 3, 4, tap, 6, 7*

7th time: *1, 2, 3, 4, 5, tap, 7*

8th time: *1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, tap*

You could always try the pattern going backwards starting with 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, tap etc

If you are playing the game with someone else then you could sing the song as a round; the second person starts after one line.

This song is in *Singing Games and Rhymes for 9 to 99*