

# Who Stole My Chicken

For ages 7+



*Who stole my chicken and my hen?*

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## Actions:

Seated on the floor with two cups side by side.

The song is repeated three times, each time with different actions.

## Round One

- Beat one: tap both cups
- Beat two: clap hands
- Beat three: click fingers of right hand
- Beat four: clap hands
- Beat five: click fingers of left hand
- Beat six: clap hands
- Beat seven: click fingers of both hands
- Beat eight: clap hands

Repeat one more time for **line two** of the song

For **line three** of the song (Who stole my chicken? Who stole my hen?)

- Beat one: Tap both cups
- Beat two: Clap hands
- Beat three: Click fingers of right hand
- Beat four: Clap hands

- Beat five: Tap both cups
- Beat six: Clap hands
- Beat seven: Click fingers of left hand
- Beat eight: Clap hands

For **line four** of the song repeat the first eight-beat pattern one more time.

## Round Two

Chicken wings preparing the food

- Beat one: with right hand touching right shoulder tap cup on right with elbow of right arm and at the same time tap cup on left side with left hand
- Beat two: clap
- Beat three: as beat one but with opposite hands – so with left hand touching left shoulder tap cup on left with elbow of left arm and at the same time tap cup on right side with right hand
- Beat four: clap

This is repeated throughout.

### **Round Three**

Eating the food

- Beat one: with right hand pick up food and with left hand eat the food
- Beat two: with left hand pick up food and with right hand eat the food

This is repeated throughout.

**This is a new game for the song which is in *Singing Games and Rhymes for Middle Years 1***