

# OCTOBER



# Toddlers

Monday



Tuesday



Wednesday



Thursday



Friday



**Themes:**

- 1.) Our Five Senses
- 2.) Fire Safety Week
- 3.) Spiders/Creepy Crawlers
- 4.) Halloween



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Art: Finger Paint Fire  
Science: What Causes a Fire?  
Let's Use Our Parachute to Practice Crawling Low Under Smoke



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Art: Firefighter Hat  
Song: "Fire Truck"  
Letter "Ff" for Fire



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Art: Tissue Paper Fire  
Activity: Let's Look for All the Smoke Detectors in Poko Loko  
The Letter "Ss" for Safety



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Art: Fire Hydrant  
Discussion: What Is a Fire Hydrant?  
Book: "Lou"



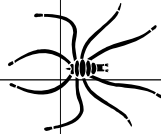
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Art: Bingo Dot Dalmatians  
Let's Watch Firefighters Put Out a Fire  
Let's Stop, Drop, & Roll



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**Columbus Day**  
Art: Handprint Spiders  
Song: "Itsy Bitsy Spider"  
Let's Go through Webs



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Art: Paint with Bugs  
Song: "Big Bug, Little Bug"  
Let's Look for Bugs Outside



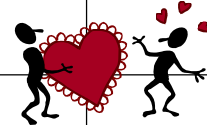
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Art: Coffee Filter Bat  
Let's Flap Our Arms Like Bats  
The Letter "Bb" for Bat



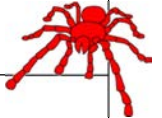
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Art: Cotton Ball Spiders  
How Many Legs Do Spiders Have?  
Sensory Table Fun with Spiders and Foam



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Art: Fly Swatters  
Let's Pretend to Crawl Like Creepy Crawlers  
**Sweetest Day Saturday!**



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**Pumpkin Carving Contest**  
Art: Ghost  
Activity: Let's Pretend We Are Ghosts  
The Letter "Bb" for BOO!



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**Pumpkin Carving Contest**  
Art: Little Pumpkin Handprint  
Discussion: What Will You Be for Halloween?



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**Pumpkin Carving Contest**  
Art: Finger Paint a Fall Tree  
Book: "Pete the Cat: Trick or Treat"  
Activity: Animal Flashcards



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**Pumpkin Carving Contest**  
Art: Bat Suncatcher  
Let's Find Green Things around Poko Loko  
We'll Pretend We're Monsters



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**Pumpkin Carving Contest**  
Art: Masking Tape Mummy  
Book: "Happy Halloween"  
The Letter "Mm" for Mummies



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Art: Deconstructed Jack-O-Lantern  
Song: "I'm a Little Pumpkin"  
Book: "Five Little Pumpkins"



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Art: Decorate Trick or Treat Bags  
We'll Practice Saying Trick or Treat  
Discussion: What Is Your Favorite Treat?



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Art: Caramel Apples  
Let's Build a Haunted House with Blocks  
*Show & Tell Something Relating to Halloween*



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**Halloween Party!**  
**Wear Your Costume!**  
**Treats are Welcome!**  
Let's Have a Costume Parade around Poko Loko!



# TODDLER SONGS & FINGERPLAYS FOR OCTOBER

## *Apples & Bananas*

I Like to Eat, Eat, Eat Apples & Bananas; I Like to Eat, Eat, Eat Apples & Bananas  
I Like to Ate, Ate, Ate Ay-ples & Ba-nay-nays; I Like to Ate, Ate, Ate Ay-ples & Ba-nay-nays  
I Like to Eat, Eat, Eat Ee-ples & Bee-nee-nees; I Like to Eat, Eat, Eat Ee-ples & Bee-nee-nees  
I Like to Ite, Ite, Ite I-ples & By-ny-nys; I Like to Ite, Ite, Ite I-ples & By-ny-nys  
I Like to Ote, Ote, Ote Oh-Ples & Bo-no-nos; I Like to Ote, Ote, Ote Oh-Ples & Bo-no-nos  
I Like to Oot, Oot, Oot Oo-ples & Boo-noo-noos; I Like to Oot, Oot, Oot Oo-ples & Boo-noo-noos

## *Do Your Ears Hang Low?*

{Turkey in the Straw}

Do Your Ears Hang Low? (Place Back of Hands on Ears, Fingers Down)  
Do They Wobble To & Fro? (Sway Fingers)  
Can You Tie 'Em in a Knot? (Tie Large Knot in Air)  
Can You Tie 'Em in a Bow? (Draw Bow in Air with Both Hands)  
Can You Throw 'Em O'er Your Shoulder (Throw Both Hands Over Left Shoulder)  
Like a Continental Soldier? (Salute)  
Do Your Ears Hang Low? (Place Back of Hands on Ears, Fingers Down)

## *Here Come the Fire Fighters*

{The Itsy Bitsy Spider}

There are Fire Fighters in Our Community  
They Put Out Fires and They Help You & Me  
They're Always There When There's a Job to Do  
So When You See a Fire Fighter, be Sure to Say, "Thank You!"

## *Five Little Firemen*

Five Little Firemen Sit Very Still, Until They See a Fire on Top of the Hill  
(Hold Up 5 Fingers & Bend Them Down One at a Time as Called For)  
Number 1 Rings the Bell, Ding Dong; Number 2 Pulls His Big Boots On  
Number 3 Jumps on the Fire Engine Red; Number 4 Puts a Red Fire Hat on His Head  
Number 5 Drives the Red Fire Truck to the Fire  
As the Big Yellow Flames Go Higher & Higher (Spread Arms)  
Whooooo-ooooo! Whooooo-ooooo! Hear the Firetruck Say (Imitate Siren)  
As All of the Cars Get Out of the Way

Shhhhh! Goes the Water from the Fire Hose Spout (Rub Palms Together)  
And Quicker Than a Wink the Fire is Out (Clap Hands)

### **Little Miss Muffet**

Little Miss Muffet Sat on a Tuffet, Eating Her Curds & Whey  
Along Came a Spider & Sat Down Beside Her, And Frightened Miss Muffet Away

### **The Eensy, Weensy Spider**

The Eensy, Weensy Spider, Went Up the Water Spout (Crawl Fingers Up High)  
Down Came the Rain, And Washed the Spider Out (Drop Fingers Quickly)  
Out Came the Sun, And Dried Up All the Rain (Form Circle with Arms)  
And the Eensy, Weensy Spider, Went Up the Spout Again (Crawl Fingers Back Up High)

### **Trick or Treat?**

{Frere Jacques}

Trick or Treat? Trick or Treat? Halloween Night, Halloween Night  
In Our Costumes Playing, You Will Hear Us Saying; Trick or Treat?! Trick or Treat?!

### **My Pumpkin**

See My Pumpkin Round & Fat, (Make Circle with Hands, Finger Spread Wide, Touching)  
See My Pumpkin Yellow (Make a Smaller Circle)  
Watch Him Grin on Halloween (Point to Mouth, Which is Grinning Wide)  
He is a Very Funny Fellow