

There's a Bear on My Chair by Ross Collins

Related Books:

The Little Mouse, the Red Ripe Strawberry and the Big Hungry Bear by Don & Audrey Wood

Copycat Bear! by Ellie Sandall

Bear Snores On by Karma Wilson

The Lion Inside by Rachel Bright and Jim Field

Mouse and Hippo by Mike Twohy

Bears on Chairs by Shirley Parenteau

Going on a Bear Hunt by

The Bear on the Bed by Ruth Miller

Baby Bear Sees Blue by Ashley Wolff

Bear & Hare: Where's Bear? by Emily Gravett

Where's My Teddy? by Jez Alborough

Rhymes:

Hurry Scurry Little Mouse

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Hurry scurry little mouse,

Starts down at your toes. (touch child's toes)

Hurry scurry little mouse,

Past your knees he goes. (touch child's knees)

Hurry scurry little mouse,

Past where your tummy is. (touch child's tummy)

Hurry scurry little mouse,

Gives you a mousy kiss. (give child loud kiss)

<https://www.piercecountylibrary.org/files/library/wigglegsticklesall.pdf>

If I were a

If I were a happy bear, I'd go ha! ha! ha! (laugh)
If I were a sad bear, I'd go boo, hoo, hoo! (rub eyes)
If I were a cranky bear, I'd go stomp, stomp, stomp! (stomp feet)
If I were a scared bear, I'd go AHH! AHH! AHH! (scream)
If I were a tired bear, I'd go zzz zzz zzz (pretend to sleep)

Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear

Teddy bear, teddy bear, Turn around!
Teddy bear, teddy bear, Touch the ground!
Teddy bear, teddy bear, Jump up high!
Teddy bear, teddy bear, Touch the sky!

Teddy bear, teddy bear, Bend down low!
Teddy bear, teddy bear, Touch your toes!
Teddy bear, teddy bear, Turn out the light!
Teddy bear, teddy bear, Say good night!
www.nurseryrhymes.org/teddy

Songs:

Going on a Bear Hunt from *Yummy Yellow* by Mr. Eric and Mr. Michael
Elephant (Where is that Mouse?) from *Carnival of the Animals* by The Wiggles
I Love Bears from *Alphabutts* by Kimya Dawson (music CD with shaker eggs)

“If You’re a Bear and You Know It”

If you’re a panda bear and you know it, clap your paws
If you’re a polar bear and you know it, show your teeth
If you’re a grizzly bear and you know it, growl real loud

The Bear Went Over the Mountain

The bear went over the mountain, (pretend hiking or climbing)
The bear went over the mountain, The bear went over the mountain,
To see what he could see (put hand above eyes)
To see what he could see, (put hand above eyes)
To see what he could see
The other side of the mountain, (make a “mountain” shape with your arms)
The other side of the mountain,
The other side of the mountain,
Was all that he could see. (put hand above eyes)

Activities and websites

Finger Puppet

Print out the mouse finger puppet and bear finger puppet. Then with the puppets the story can be retold. The puppet templates can be found at the links below.

<http://www.billybear4kids.com/FingerPuppets/PFPMouse.shtml>

<http://www.billybear4kids.com/FingerPuppets/PFPBear.shtml>

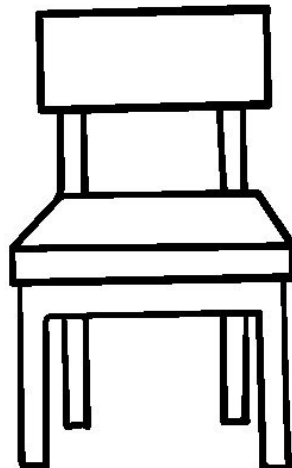
Flannel board

You can cut out a house shape out of different color flannel and you can make a mouse with flannel or just use clip art. With these pieces you can do the Little Mouse rhyme. Also you can find a PDF with the words and some template at the link below.

<http://daycareresource.com/printables/flannelstories/littlemouse.pdf>

Design your own chair

<http://plbrown.blogspot.co.uk/2012/03/some-teddy-bears-are-going-to-be-very.html>



View author reading the book

<http://tinyurl.com/y8l4csbr>

Pinterest Board

<https://www.pinterest.com/jbrary/bears-storytime/>