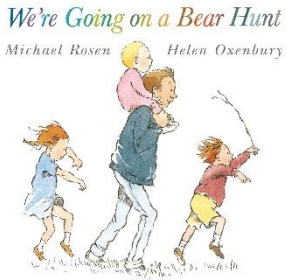




Listen and Feel Stories – We're Going On A Bear Hunt

Focus on: (Area of Learning)

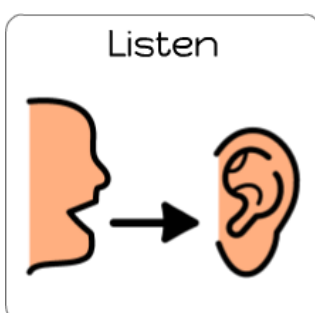
 <p><i>We're Going on a Bear Hunt</i> Michael Rosen Helen Oxenbury</p>	<p>Life Skills – Sensory Awareness – Response to Human Touch</p> <p>Does your child show a willingness to tolerate a shared social space and tactile awareness eg by sustained looking / listening or repeatedly following movements of head or eyes?</p>
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What you will need? (Resources)







Quite Room, Internet

How to play the game? (Instructions)





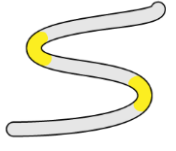

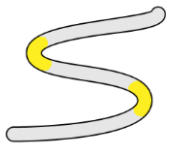
1. Read each section of the text and apply the action to the child as you are reading.
2. Complete each section and different movements
Watch for response Does your child enjoy sharing personal space sitting quietly together? Does your child appear to notice or briefly focus on the person involved in the interaction?



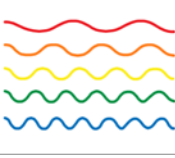


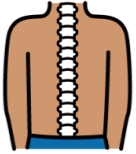

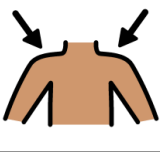




We're Going on a Bear Hunt Story Time

<p>The Walk</p> 	<p>We're going on a bear hunt. We're going to catch a big one.</p> <p>Gentle walk your fingers around child's upper body.</p>
<p>The Circle</p> 	<p>What a beautiful day. We're not scared.</p> <p>Make small circles with your hands or fingertips on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Twinkle</p> 	<p>Uh oh! Grass! Long Wavy Grass.</p> <p>Gentle pitter patter movement with fingertips on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Pinch</p> 	<p>We can't go over it, we can't go under it. Oh No! We have to go through it.</p> <p>Gently pinch the skin around the arms and legs.</p>
<p>The Twinkle</p> 	<p>Swishy, swashy! Swishy, swashy! Swishy, Swashy!</p> <p>Gentle pitter patter movement with fingertips on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Walk</p> 	<p>We're going on a bear hunt. We're going to catch a big one.</p> <p>Gentle walk your fingers around child's upper body.</p>

<p>The Circle</p> 	<p>What a beautiful day. We're not scared. Make small circles with your hands or fingertips on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Twinkle</p> 	<p>Uh oh! A River! A deep, cold river! Gentle pitter patter movement with fingertips on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Pinch</p> 	<p>We can't go over it, we can't go under it. Oh No! We have to go through it. Gently pinch the skin around the arms and legs.</p>
<p>The Twinkle</p> 	<p>Splash, splosh! Splash splosh! Splash, splosh! Gentle pitter patter movement with fingertips on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Walk</p> 	<p>We're going on a bear hunt. We're going to catch a big one. Gentle walk your fingers around child's upper body.</p>
<p>The Circle</p> 	<p>What a beautiful day. We're not scared. Make small circles with your hands or fingertips on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Snow</p> 	<p>Uh Oh! Mud! Thick, oozy mud! Make a picking movement with your finger like you were picking snow from a child's back.</p>

<p>The Pinch</p> 	<p>We can't go over it, we can't go under it. Oh No! We have to go through it.</p> <p>Gently pinch the skin around the arms and legs.</p>
<p>The Snow</p> 	<p>Squelch, squelch! Squelch, Squelch! Squelch, Squelch!</p> <p>Make a picking movement with your finger like you were picking snow from a child's back.</p>
<p>The Walk</p> 	<p>We're going on a bear hunt. We're going to catch a big one.</p> <p>Gentle walk your fingers around child's upper body.</p>
<p>The Circle</p> 	<p>What a beautiful day. We're not scared.</p> <p>Make small circles with your hands or fingertips on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Sway</p> 	<p>Uh Oh! A forest! A deep, dark forest!</p> <p>Sway your hands from side to side on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Pinch</p> 	<p>We can't go over it, we can't go under it. Oh No! We have to go through it.</p> <p>Gently pinch the skin around the arms and legs.</p>
<p>The Sway</p> 	<p>Stumble, trip! Stumble, trip! Stumble, trip!</p> <p>Sway your hands from side to side on the child's body.</p>

<p>The Walk</p> 	<p>We're going on a bear hunt. We're going to catch a big one.</p> <p>Gentle walk your fingers around child's upper body.</p>
<p>The Circle</p> 	<p>What a beautiful day. We're not scared.</p> <p>Make small circles with your hands or fingertips on the child's body.</p>
<p>The Wave</p> 	<p>Uh Oh! A snowstorm! A swirling, whirling snowstorm!</p> <p>Wave the side of your hand across the child's body, starting heavy and moving to light touch.</p>
<p>The Pinch</p> 	<p>We can't go over it, we can't go under it. Oh No! We have to go through it.</p> <p>Gently pinch the skin around the arms and legs.</p>
<p>The Wave</p> 	<p>Hoooo, woooo! Hoooo, woooo! Hoooo, woooo!</p> <p>Wave the side of your hand across the child's body, starting heavy and moving to light touch.</p>
<p>The Walk</p> 	<p>We're going on a bear hunt. We're going to catch a big one.</p> <p>Gentle walk your fingers around child's upper body.</p>
<p>The Circle</p> 	<p>What a beautiful day. We're not scared.</p> <p>Make small circles with your hands or fingertips on the child's body.</p>

<p>The Glide</p> 	<p>Uh Oh! A cave! A narrow, gloomy cave! Glide your hand down the child's shoulder to the base of their spine.</p>
<p>The Walk</p> 	<p>Tiptoe! Tiptoe! Tiptoe! Gentle walk your fingers around child's upper body.</p>
<p>The Still</p> 	<p>What's that? Hands still on child's shoulders.</p>
<p>The Stroke</p> 	<p>One shiny wet nose! Two big furry ears! Two big googly eyes! Gently stroke the body and limbs.</p>
<p>The Tickle</p> 	<p>IT'S A BEAR! Gently tickle around the child's sides.</p>
<p>The Push</p> 	<p>Quick Back! Through the cave, the snowstorm, the forest, the mud, the river and the grass. Use the full palm of your hand push down firmly enough to feel but not too much pressure.</p>
<p>The Roll</p> 	<p>Open the door, shut the door, up the stairs Roll your forearms around each other up and down the body or limbs.</p>

The Flat



Into to the bedroom, into bed, under the covers.

Gently use your flat hand to move slowly up the back.

The Calm



Phew! We're not going on a bear hunt ever again!

Slowly take away your hands.

