



## Picnic Storytime 6/01/21 Librarian: Miss Charity



### Welcome Song (Tune: Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star)

Welcome, welcome, everyone,  
Now we're here, let's have some fun.  
First we'll sing the ABC's  
Then we'll read and sing with me.  
Welcome, welcome, everyone,  
Now we're here let's have some fun.

### ABC's

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V  
W X Y and Z  
Now I know my ABCs, next time won't you  
sing with me.

### Do You Know the Watermelon Man (Tune: Do You Know the Muffin Man)

Do you know the *watermelon* man,  
The *watermelon* man,  
The *watermelon* man?  
Do you know the *watermelon* man,  
Who likes to sing with me?

Oh, he loves the letter *W*,  
The letter *W*,  
The letter *W*.  
Oh, he loves the letter *W*  
And likes to sing with me.

Replace food and letter for other verses: Apple  
(A), Cherry (C), Mango (M) & Pineapple (P)

### What Should I Pack? (Tune: Skip To My Lou)

Time for our picnic,  
What should I pack?  
What will we put in our picnic sack?  
Time for our picnic,  
What should I pack?  
Hot dogs and chips, so yummy!  
Substitute hot dogs and chips with 2 other foods  
suggested in the chat (3-4 rounds of the song)



### The More We Read Together (Tune: The More We Get Together)

The more we read together, together, together,  
The more we read together, the better it is!  
'Cause reading, and singing, and talking  
together,  
Is how we learn the six skills for reading by six.

### Take Me Out On a Picnic (Tune: Take Me Out to the Ball Game)

Take me out on a picnic.  
Take me outside to play.  
We'll take a blanket and food to eat,  
'Cause eating outside is a special treat.  
It's fun to eat when you're outside,  
We'll run, we'll laugh and we'll play.  
'Cause it's so – much – fun to be out – on a sun-  
ny day

Let's all go on a picnic,  
Let's eat outside today.  
I'll get a cooler and basket, too.  
Fill it with goodies for me and for you!  
Then we'll go outside for our picnic,  
Eating outside in the sun.  
Let's all go on our picnic now,  
Let's go have some fun!

### The Ants Go Marching (Tune: Stop For Picnic Food)

The ants go marching, one by one hoorah,  
hoorah  
The ants go marching, one by one hoorah,  
hoorah  
The ants go marching *one by one*  
The little one stopped to eat a *plum*  
And they all go marching down to the ground to  
get out of the rain  
Boom, boom, boom

Two – cashew, Three – iced tea, Four – apple  
core, Five - chive



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### Peanut Butter and Jelly

<https://supersimple.com/song/peanut-butter-jelly/>

Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.

First you take the peanuts and you crack ‘em,  
you crack ‘em,  
you crack ‘em, crack ‘em, crack ‘em.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.

Then you take the peanuts and you mash ‘em,  
you mash ‘em,  
you mash ‘em, mash ‘em, mash ‘em.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.

Then you take the bread and you spread it, you  
spread it,  
you spread it, spread it, spread it.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.

Next you take the grapes and you pick ‘em, you  
pick ‘em,  
you pick ‘em, pick ‘em, pick ‘em.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.

Then you take the grapes and you squish ‘em,  
you squish ‘em,  
you squish ‘em, squish ‘em, squish ‘em.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.

Then you take the bread and you spread it, you  
spread it,  
you spread it, spread it, spread it.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.  
Peanut, peanut butter.  
And jelly.  
Now you take the sandwich and you eat it, you  
eat it, you eat it, eat it, eat it.

(Mouth full)

MMMM, MMM MMMMM. MMM. MMMM.  
MMMM, MMM MMMMM. MMM. MMMM.

### Watermelon, Watermelon

Watermelon, watermelon on my plate.  
Sweet and juicy; tastes just great!  
Cut me a slice and I will say.  
“I saw \_\_\_ watermelon seed(s) today!”

