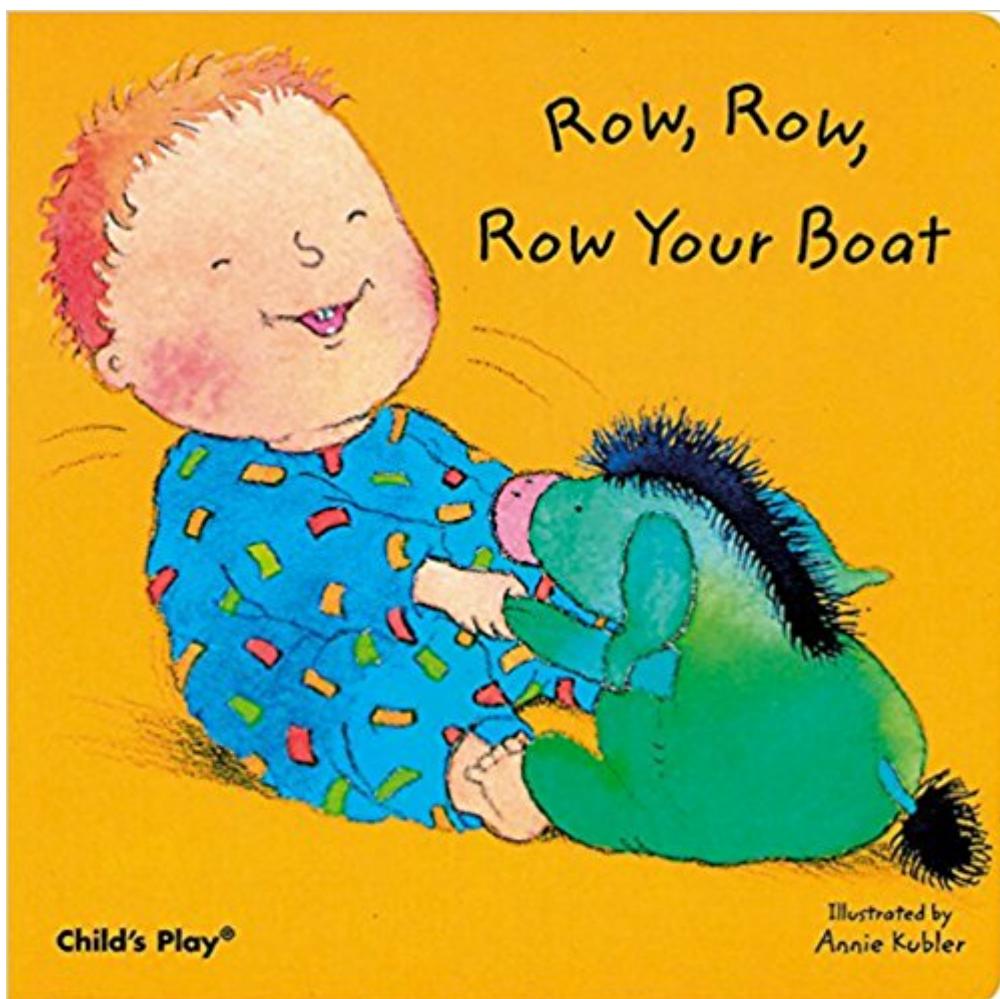


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# Row, Row, Row Your Boat (Nursery Time)



## **Synopsis**

This award winning series has been specifically designed for babies. A great introduction to books through well-known nursery rhymes and interactive text. Singing songs and rhymes is the perfect way to bond with your baby and share quality time. It also aids language development by introducing them to the natural sounds and patterns of speech. Combining these with actions also stimulates the brain and helps muscle development.

## **Book Information**

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Age Range: 1 - 3 years

Grade Level: Preschool and up

## **Customer Reviews**

This charming board book is beautifully illustrated with colourful and captivating pictures which simply ooze fun and laughter. The familiar rhyme means children will love acting this song out with parents or siblings, ensuring that your house will be full of the sound of laughter. (babyworld.co.uk, March 2005)For children just beginning to understand that marks on paper have meaning, this sturdy board book links literacy with other experiences by providing the words and actions for a familiar song. The funny verses are included too (â€œIf you see a crocodile, donâ€œt forget to scream!â€), together with endearing pictures of babies from a range of ethnic groups acting out the song together. And on the outside back cover is the music â€œ useful for adult accompanists, but also a good introduction for children to the idea that there is more than one set of written symbols in the world. (Under Five 2004-03-01)These are eternally popular and

enjoyable action nursery rhyme, and they have been given a fun treatment in these new baby board books by Annie Kubler. Featuring adorable happy babies, these books are sure to appeal to the under threes. (SPPA Learning Through Play 2004-06-01) "Row, row, row your boat, gently down the stream, Come on, you know the words, merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily, life is but a dream. But did you know there were more words? "Rock, rock, rock your boat, gently down the stream. If you see a crocodile, don't forget to scream!" "Row, row, row your boat, gently to the shore. If you see a lion, don't forget to roar!" I have to admit that my knowledge for this song only extended to the first two lines and I was delighted to find that there was more of it. Still, even six lines of a song doesn't seem much with which to fill a book, yet Annie Kubler's illustrations turn this simple song into a great action book for babies and toddlers. My four month old daughter sits in with the older children for story time but this is the first real baby book I've read to her (shame on me). She was chuckling with laughter at the bright colours as we rowed and rocked along and it is proof, if any were needed, that even the youngest of babies can get great stimulation and enjoyment out of the right books. So that's another ten minutes to be added to our story time each day. Oh, and for parents, the tune and the words are printed on the back of each book so you've no excuse for not singing along. (Cork Evening Echo 2004-02-01)

My toddler loves this book and we sing this version of Row Row all the time.

Annie Kubler's ROW, ROW, ROW YOUR BOAT is a great little book. We have had this book for about a month at my house, and my 10-1/2 month old baby and a good friend who is about 22 months old both enjoy this book a lot. My son took to ROW, ROW, ROW YOUR BOAT immediately. It is a bigger than average board book, about 8 inches by 8 inches, but not too big for him to pull the book into his lap and comfortably page through. The colors are bright, and the babies that Annie Kubler draws are charming. The words are pretty simple. It consists of three verses of the old song. I love that ROW, ROW, ROW YOUR BOAT shows children singing the song and moving to it. The first time I read this to our 22 month old friend, he was immediately pulled in when I started using the movements that you see in the pictures. He liked it so much that he asked me to read it again (well, sing it again) about ten times. My 10 month old son loves it so much that he asks for it by name. "Rowrowrow!" This book has inspired several boat-related games with our two babies. We are loving it!

My children really enjoyed this book and the quality of it was outstanding, it has definitely taking its fair share of abuse and has lasted.

Great board book. My grandson loves it and is starting to sing it.

My 13 month old asks for the book with "ro ro ro". Its pictures are cute and sweet. The book is short, considering its just row your boat lyrics, but we read it a few times and my son loves it every time.

From page 1, this novel had you hooked. Will you continue to paddle or stop and engage the local fauna? My one year old cannot get enough rowing and roaring!

This book is so simple, yet so perfectly done. It has been a favorite of both my son and my niece from about 12 months on (he's now 19 months and still loves this book). It's almost impossible to "read" this book without breaking into jovial song -- "Rock, Rock, Rock your boat, Gently down the stream, If you see a crocodile, Don't forget to scream!" (there's one more verse but I won't give it away) The book is larger than most of our other board books and has wonderful illustrations of happy babies acting out the lyrics. I have found that my son pays attention and enjoys having books read to him most when the books are rhymes or songs (otherwise he prefers pointing out things he knows by name in the illustrations, but doesn't care so much to hear the story). This book has been a real winner in our house. I highly recommend it as a first birthday gift to any baby whose parents like to sing to him/her.

So my toddler will pull this one off her shelf, run to me so I can sing it, and go to her daddy to do the motions. The funny thing is, we can do this hundreds of times in a day....and neither my husband nor I are irritated by it. I guess it's the smile on her face when she plays with us during this song, and her engagement with the large illustrations. Another winner!

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