

Pass the scrunchy round and round

(London's Bridge tune. C maj/G7/F maj. Start singing on G)



Words:

Pass the scrunchy round and round,
round and round, round and round.
Pass the scrunchy round and round,
Where will it stop?

How:

Sit in a circle, all hold on to the scrunchy. Pass it around as you sing. When it stops, take time to ask children about the piece they are holding/looking at. How does it feel/look/sound? Children may enjoy the feel and sounds they can create with it.

More:

It is tricky for much younger children to actually pass the scrunchy around in a circle. It requires a lot of coordination and dexterity. I work with two year olds, and this one can be too tricky for that age group, without lots of extra support. By three and four, most children can get there with help.

Extend/develop:

Once you are into a groove, change the direction of the pass.

Try passing it high over your heads, or using your bare feet.

Sit inside the scrunchy and pass it around your backs.

Lie on your backs and pass it above your heads without dropping it.

Ask for ideas: the children will think of the best ones. I guarantee it.