



Dance Movements



This Old Man

Song Lyrics

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This old man	Point to your chest with an index finger
He plays one	Show 1 finger
He plays nick-nack on my drum	Play a drum with both hands
With a nick-nack Paddy-whack	Slap your legs twice with your hands
Give a dog a	Clap twice
bone	With your arms stretched out, palms down, cross your right hand over the left hand twice
This old man came	Repeat the gesture, but with the left hand on top of the right
rolling home.	Point back over your shoulder with your thumb
This old man, he plays two	Repeat the gesture with the other thumb over the other elbow
He plays nick-nack on the shoe	Do a "windmill" with both fists, putting one above the other and spinning them in circles.
With a nick-nack paddy-whack	Show 2 fingers
Give a dog a bone	Lift up a foot and touch your shoe
This old man came rolling home.	
This old man, he plays three	Show 3 fingers
He plays nick-nack on the tree	Make a circle with your arms over your head to make a tree
With a nick-nack paddy-whack	
Give a dog a bone	
This old man came rolling home	
This old man, he plays four	Show 4 fingers
He plays nick-nack on the door	Knock on a door with your knuckles
With a nick-nack paddy-whack	
Give a dog a bone	
This old man came rolling home.	
This old man, he plays five	Show 5 fingers
He plays nick-nack on the hive	Pinch one arm with the opposite hand, like a bee sting
With a nick-nack paddy-whack	
Give a dog a bone	
This old man came rolling home.	
This old man, he plays six	Show 6 fingers
He plays nick-nack on the sticks	Pretend to keep the beat with a stick in each hand
With a nick-nack paddy-whack	
Give a dog a bone	
This old man came rolling home.	



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This old man, he plays **seven**
He plays nick-nack **up in heaven**
With a nick-nack paddy-whack
Give a dog a bone
This old man came rolling home.

This old man, he plays **eight**
He plays nick-nack **on the gate**
With a nick-nack paddy-whack
Give a dog a bone
This old man came rolling home.

This old man, he plays **nine**
He plays nick-nack **on the line**

With a nick-nack paddy-whack
Give a dog a bone
This old man came rolling home.

This old man, he plays **ten**
He plays nick-nack **once again**
With a nick-nack paddy-whack
Give a dog a bone
This old man came rolling home.

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Show 7 fingers
Point up to the sky rhythmically

Show 8 fingers
Just like for number 4, knock again, but this time very hard. It's a big gate!

Show 9 fingers
Trace an imaginary line in the air from one side to the other

Show 10 fingers
Play a drum with both hands