

DO IT YOURSELF RHYME TIME: UNDER THE SEA

Five Little Fishes

Five little fishes, swimming in a pool. (wiggle five fingers)

The first **one** said, "This pool is cool."

The **second** one said, "This pool is deep." (dive your hand to the bottom)

The **third** one said, "I want to sleep." (pretend to sleep)

The **fourth** one said, "Let's dive and dip." (swim your hand in front of you)

The **fifth** one said, "I spy a ship." (shade eyes and look out)

The fisher ship came,

The lines went SPLASH, (splash hands around)

And away those five little fish did dash. (wiggle five fingers)

Once I Saw An Octopus

Once I saw an octopus
In the deep blue sea. (*Point downward*)
I called, "Mr. Octopus,
Won't you swim with me?" (*Cup hands around mouth*)
Then out came his tentacles,
So very long and straight, (*Extend eight fingers.*)
One and two and three and four,
Five and six and seven and eight. (*Count on fingers.*)

Five Little Sea Creatures

Five little sea creatures
On the ocean floor;
The lobster walked away
Now there are four.

Four little sea creatures
Living in the sea;
The octopus crept away
Now there are three.

Three little sea creatures
Wondering what to do;
"Good-bye," said the starfish
Now there are two.

Two little sea creatures
Not having much fun;
Off swam the sea horse
Now there is one.

One little hermit crab
Sad and all alone,
Back came the starfish,
Back came the sea horse,
Back came the octopus,
Back came the lobster,
Then all five went home.



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