

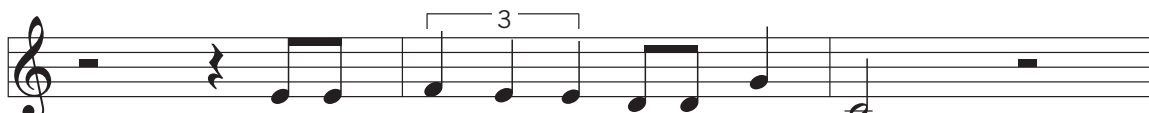
The Busy Squirrels Song

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Music by Peter Capucilli



There once were some ver—y bus—y squirrels . . . (Clap hands twice)
(Hands on hips, bend and straighten knees as singing)



Work—ing hard in the gar—den all day . . . (Clap hands twice)
(Hands on hips, bend and straighten knees as singing)



Gath—er—ing a—corns . . .
(Bend and scoop up nuts as singing)



They still had time to play!
(Turn head side to side as if saying "NO")



They skipped all a—round . . .
(Skip through space)



They stopped . . . They found a—corns!
(Stop, look of surprise)



They scooped them up . . .
(Pretend to dig with paws)



And then they looked for more!
(Hand to forehead as if searching)



They skipped all a — round . . .

(Skip through space)



They stopped . . .

(Stop, look of surprise)

They found more acorns!



They scooped them up . . .

(Pretend to dig with paws)



And looked a — round a — gain!

(Hand to forehead as if searching)



Their acorns were ver — y heav — y . . .

(Pretend to hold heavy armful of acorns, swing arms side to side)



Let's go back to the nest . . .

(Skip again, more slowly)



Let's put them in a hid — ing place . . .

(Pretend to dig and cover acorns)



And now the squirrels take a rest!

(Squirrels yawn, curl up on the ground, and pretend to sleep)