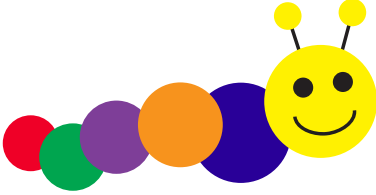


# BABY BOOKS to GO



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## Rhyming Fun

### My Blanket

I have a fuzzy blanket  
To snuggle in at night  
I wrap it all around me  
And pull it warm and tight!  
(Use a real or pretend blanket to cozily tuck baby in!)

## My Blanket

When you cuddle your baby, and baby cuddles a blanket, your baby begins to associate your secure presence with the blanket's soft comfort. This association comforts baby when trusted adults are not around. Fostering an attachment to a blanket or other comfort toy helps babies feel secure, deal with new situations, and develop independence.

### Ideas & Tips

- Talk about baby's blanket, describing it and making it part of everyday conversation.
- Sing a song while you play peek-a-boo with baby's blanket.  
Sing to the tune of "Are You Sleeping? / Frère Jacques":  
Where is Baby? Where is Baby? (Replace baby with child's name)  
There you are! There you are!  
I'm so glad to see you! I'm so glad to see you!  
Peek-a-Boo. Peek-a-Boo.
- While out and about, take note of blankets and other comfort toys used by other children. Describe the other blanket or toy, comparing them to your child's blanket, using a variety of descriptive words and comparisons to help build vocabulary.
- Use the blanket as a play object. For example, make a tent, indoors or outside. Use your imagination to incorporate the blanket into everyday life in imaginative ways.

### More Books

- *Baby Duck and the Cozy Blanket* by Amy Hest
- *Blankie / Mantita* by Leslie Patricelli
- *Fly Blanky Fly* by Anne Margaret Lewis
- *I Love You, Blankie* by Sheryl Haft



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