



Series 299: Knock, Knock!

## Knock, Knock!



Who will be knocking at the Play School door when some surprise guests come to visit? Will it be an artist, or a dragon, a magician or a new pet?

Having visitors at home, visiting new places or visiting family and friends is an exciting experience, whether it's a planned visit to look forward to or a surprise.

We also visit some interesting places and people. Through the Windows, we see what it's like to be an orchestra conductor, a fire-fighter, and a conductor on a steam train. We also learn about looking after animals at a zoo and play footy with an AFL player!



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### **Episode 1**



#### **PRESENTERS**

Teo Gebert, Justine Clarke & Zindzi Okenyo

#### **PIANIST**

Peter Dasent

#### STORY Baby Beats

Author/Illustrator: Karen Blair

Publisher: Walker Books Australia Pty Ltd

### FILM

#### Conductor

(Play School, ABC)

#### **IDEAS FOR LATER**

- Do you know the rhyme 'Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat'? Act out the rhyme at home like a play! Dress up as a cat, the Queen or a mouse, or dress up some toys to act out the story!
- Dress your toys in some party clothes and accessories. Put on your dancing music and have a dance party!
- Use some household items to make musical instruments. Try tapping wooden spoons together as tapping sticks or use an upside down mixing bowl as a drum.

#### SONGS

#### **Knock Knock Knock**

Composer: Colin Buchanan Publisher: Rondor (Australia)

#### Rhythm

Composer: Peter Combe Publisher: Peter Combe Music

#### Cuddle Up

Composer: Peter Dasent & Sophie Emtage

Publisher: Origin/Control

#### I Jump Out of Bed

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### Choo Choo Vamos A Pasear

Composer: Traditional Spanish Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### Stomp Stomp

Composer: Tiny Grimes

Publisher: Universal Music Publishina

#### **Hip Hop Dance Off**

Composer: Sophie Emtage

Publisher: Control

#### Cat Duet

Composer: Gioachino Rossini

Publisher: Ricordi

#### The Black Cat

Composer: Mary Britton-Miller & M.

Bartholomew

Publisher: Silver Burdett (US)

#### A Tisket, A Tasket

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: Origin/ABC Music Publishing



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#### MAKE AND DO



How to Make Cat Ears and Noses



How to Make a Cellophane Stained Glass Window

You will need:

- Single egg carton
- 3 x long pipe cleaners
- Sticky tape
- String or ribbon
- Coloured pencils or crayons
- Headband
- Cardboard cut into triangles

You will need:

- A piece of large cardboard
- Scissors
- Clear sticky contact roll
- Scrap pieces of different coloured cellophane.

#### For the nose

Attach the three long pipe cleaners in the middle of the single egg carton with sticky tape. This makes three shorter whiskers.

Make a small hole on each side of the egg carton with a pen or pencil.

Tie a piece of string or ribbon through the holes on each side of the carton, enough to be able to tie at back of head when wearing.

#### For the ears

Colour in your cardboard triangles so they look like ears.

Attach cardboard triangle ears to headband with sticky tape.

Meow like a cat, Meow! Meow!

Cut a shape out of a large piece of cardboard to form a window frame.

Cover one side of the frame with some clear sticky contact.

Use scraps of cellophane to make some small shapes and arrange on the sticky contact.

Take a look through your very own colourful window!



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### **Episode 2**



#### **PRESENTERS**

Zindzi Okenyo & Teo Gebert Guest: Warren Brown

#### **PIANIST**

Peter Dasent

#### **TOLD STORY**

The Runaway Ball

(A story told by the Play School team)

#### FILM

#### **Footy Player**

(Play School, ABC)

#### **IDEAS FOR LATER**

- Think of a book, nursery rhyme or fairy tale.
   Draw your favourite characters from the story.
- Visit an art gallery with a parent or carer.
   Discover portraits of people and animals.
- Play a drawing guessing game! Start drawing a picture of something and see if a parent, friend or carer can guess what it is.

#### **SONGS**

#### What Do You Think My Name Is?

Composer: Warren Carr

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### **Knock Knock Knock**

Composer: Colin Buchanan Publisher: Rondor (Australia)

#### Happy Dog

Composer: Peter Dasent & Jane Lindsay

Publisher: Origin

#### **Three Cheeky Monkeys**

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### **Playing Ball**

Composer: Edna G Buttolph Publisher: Willis Music Company

#### Come On And...

Composer: Louie Suthers Publisher: Unpublished





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#### **MAKE AND DO**





#### **How to Make Framed Portraits**

#### You will need:

- Paper
- Cardboard cut into a frame shape
- Crayons or coloured pencils
- Thick ribbon
- Thin ribbon
- Sticky tape
- Stickers or stamps
- A family member or friend

#### How to Make Your Own Cartoon Story

#### You will need:

- A very long piece of paper or several sheets of paper taped together
- A marker pen, coloured pencils or crayons
- Your imagination

Observe a family member or friend, in particular, their eyes, ears, mouth, nose and hair.

Draw a portrait using crayons or coloured pencils.

You can add sticker eyes or ribbons as a hair band.

Decorate your cardboard picture frame. You can use stickers, stamps, drawings, whatever you like!

Tape portrait to the back of the frame.

Hang the portrait in its frame on the wall, on the fridge or give it as a present to the person you have drawn! Imagine two story characters and draw them at the beginning of the paper.

Make up a story for your characters. Decide where they might go and draw the background.

Draw the adventures that your characters have in the story.

Finish the story at the end of the paper!



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### Episode 3



#### **PRESENTERS**

Emma Palmer, Justine Clarke & Alex Papps

#### **PIANIST**

Peter Dasent

#### STORY Goose

Author/Illustrator: Laura Wall

Publisher: Award Publications Limited, 2012

#### **FILM**

#### Fire Fighter

(Play School, ABC)

#### **IDEAS FOR LATER**

- Play a memory game by hiding three different matching pairs of toys under six hats. Turn hats over until you find the matching pairs!
- Dress up like a magician! Use a blanket as a magician's cape and a hat as your magic magician hat! Hide a soft toy in your hat and make it magically re-appear!
- Make a fire engine using an empty box.
   Paint the box red, add some wheels and get ready to rescue!

#### **SONGS**

#### Who's That Tapping?

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### The Old Grey Cat

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### **Knock Knock Knock**

Composer: Colin Buchanan Publisher: Rondor (Australia)

#### The Elephant Wobbles

Composer: Peter Charlton
Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### Friends All Together

Composer: Peter Dasent & Sophie Emtage

Publisher: Origin/Control

#### **Animal Ride**

Composer: Tony Strutton Publisher: Control

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#### Hurry, Hurry Drive the Firetruck

Composer: Roberta McLaughlin & Lucille Wood

Publisher: Champers Harrap Publishing





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#### MAKE AND DO



#### How to Decorate a Gingerbread House

#### You will need:

- Baked, cooled gingerbread biscuit a square shape for the house and a triangle shape for the roof
- Glace cherries
- Dried apricots
- Lollies to decorate e.g. chocolate freckles, chocolate buttons
- Hundreds and thousands
- Piping bag
- Icing sugar and water combined to make icing

Assemble the square gingerbread biscuit and the triangle biscuit roof on a bread board to resemble a house. Pipe a line of icing along the edge to attach the roof piece.

Using icing in piping bags, draw windows, a door, roof tiles and animals like a cat and mouse. Try using a chocolate freckle to make the cat's body and a chocolate button to make a mouse!

Add glace cherries to icing on roof.

Add hundreds and thousands to decorate windows and doors.

Decorate the house by sticking Iollies and apricots onto the icing however you like!



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### **Episode 4**



#### **PRESENTERS**

Justine Clarke & Alex Papps

#### **PIANIST**

Peter Dasent

#### **TOLD STORY**

Miss Polly and Her Sick Pet

(A story told by the Play School team)

#### **FILM**

#### **Zoo Keeper**

(Play School, ABC)

#### **IDEAS FOR LATER**

- Make a dragon costume from some green fabric, a green hat and a spiky collar made from red cardboard.
- Construct a dragon cave! Cover a table with a large bed sheet and bring a blanket and pillows into your cave for a peaceful dragon nap.
- Do a dance with homemade maracas! Put some grains of rice into an empty bottle; replace the lid and shake, shake, shake as you dance to some music.

#### **SONGS**

#### **Shake Your Bells**

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### Knock, Knock, Knock

Composer: Colin Buchanan Publisher: Rondor (Australia)

#### **Dragon Song**

Composer: Don Spencer Publisher: Unpublished

#### Fa La Nana

Composer: Traditional Italian Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### Miss Polly

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### **Pussy Cat Says Miaow**

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### This Is The Way

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### Mi Cuerpo

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing





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#### **MAKE AND DO**



How to Make a Fairy Garden

#### You will need:

- Large shallow container or low flower pot
- Small flowering plants e.g. pansy
- Stone pebbles
- Cardboard rolls and coloured cardboard cones
- Large wooden pegs
- Paint
- Marker pens
- Large iceblock sticks
- Scrunchies
- Paste
- Cotton wool
- Sticky tape

#### For the garden

Fill shallow container with soil (use gloves) and add some small flowers.

Add stone pebbles as stepping stones

#### For the fairy house

Paint cardboard rolls and draw on windows and doors.

Add cone rooves to cardboard rolls

#### For the peg fairies

Paint wooden pegs and use marker pens to draw faces.

Paste cotton wool on top of pegs as hair.

Place iceblock stick at back of peg puppet and wrap scrunchie around peg and iceblock stick, binding them together.

Your peg fairies can now stand up in the garden!



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### Episode 5



#### **PRESENTERS**

Rachael Coopes & Teo Gebert

#### **PIANIST**

Peter Dasent

#### **STORY**

#### Jessica's Box

Author/Illustrator: Peter Carnavas Publisher: New Frontier Publishing

#### **FILM**

#### Train Driver

(Play School, ABC)

#### **IDEAS FOR LATER**

- Make cards with the letters of the alphabet from A to Z. Choose a card and play a game finding all the things in the room starting with that letter.
- Make a school bus using an old shoe box.
   Add some bottle top wheels; draw on windows and a door. Place small toys in bus and take a ride!
- Draw what comes into your mind to make a surprise book! Ask a parent or carer for some ideas. Can you draw something in your favourite colour? What about something that moves?

#### SONGS

#### Knock, Knock, Knock

Composer: Colin Buchanan Publisher: Rondor (Australia)

#### Have You Ever Noticed Your Nose?

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### May I Come Over?

Composer: Henrietta Clark Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### Little Red Engine

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### Wheels on the Bus

Composer: Traditional

Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### Three Jelly Fish

Composer: Jean Chadwick Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

#### **Shaky Shaky**

Composer: The Wiggles – Jeff Fatt, Anthony Field, Murray Cook and Greg Page. Publisher: ABC Music Publishing

# Let Everyone Clap Hands With Me

Composer: M. Miller and Paula L. Zajan

Publisher: ABC/Mushroom



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#### MAKE AND DO





#### How to Make a School for Toys

#### You will need:

- Small box or small easel
- Marker pens
- Small pieces of paper
- Sticky tack
- Favourite toys
- Musical instruments a tambourine, some maracas, a drum

Set up your classroom with your toys. You can even dress them in old school uniforms if you like!

Draw some pictures on the small pieces of paper of your toys' favourite things.

Draw the first letter of your name (parents or carers can make the letter using dots to help).

Draw a picture of one of the toys.

Stick all the pictures on box or easel with sticky tack.

Ask your toy students to describe the drawings and think of things that begin with the letter.

Now it's time for a music lesson! Have the toys play their instruments and have a sing-a-long.

#### How to Make a Surprise Fold Out Book

You will need:

- 3 x pieces of A4 paper
- Stapler
- Tick black
- Marker pens

Fold three A4 pieces of paper in half.

Fold the right hand side of each piece of folded paper into the middle to make a folded section.

Staple pieces together as book.

Draw a door on the top cover of each folded section.

Draw images of different animals underneath the fold e.g. monkey, tiger, elephant

Draw person on first left hand page of book.

Open the door, reveal person on left, open folds on right hand pages to reveal... a monkey! A tiger! An elephant!