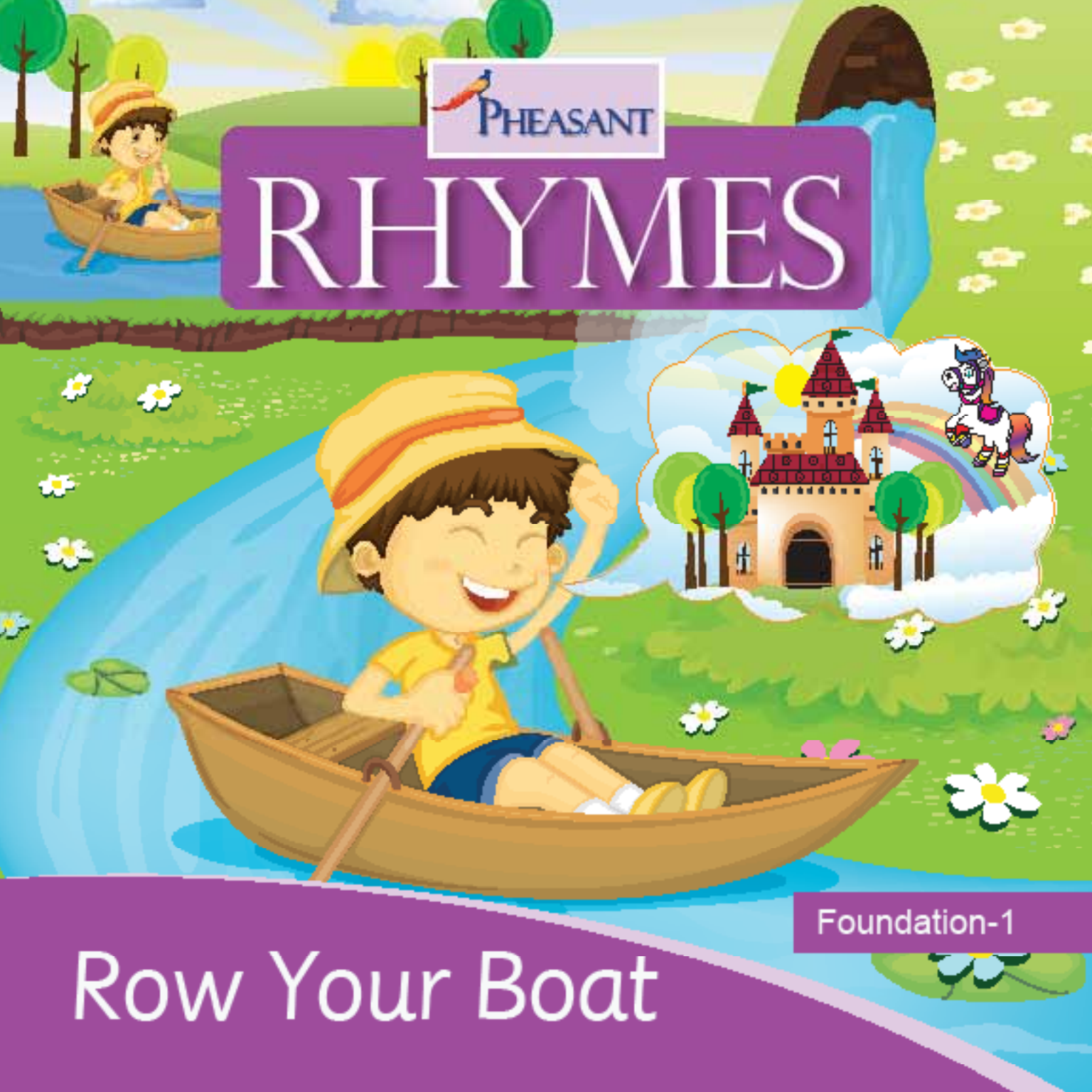




PHEASANT

RHYMES



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Row Your Boat



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Bits of Paper

Bits of paper, bits of paper,
Lying on the floor, lying on the floor.
Makes the place untidy,
Makes the place untidy.
Pick them up, pick them up.



A whimsical night scene. A large, bright yellow moon with brown spots hangs in the dark blue sky. A girl with brown hair in a ponytail, wearing a leopard-print dress and a purple headband with a flower, sits on a large green tree. She is holding a small white star. Next to her is a large, white, smiling star character with a purple and white striped hat. The background is filled with smaller white stars, some hanging from thin lines. The scene is set against a dark blue night sky with a few green trees and a blue body of water at the bottom.

Silver Star

Brightly shining silver star,
Who has made you as you are?
Sparkling over land and sea,
High above the highest tree.
Allah created you and me,
In truth and so perfectly.



Clean-up Song

Clean-up, clean-up,
Everybody pick some toys.
Clean-up, clean-up,
All the little girls and boys.
Clean-up, clean-up,
Everybody do your share.
Clean-up, clean-up,
Everybody, everywhere.



I'm A Little Airplane

I'm a little airplane;
Now watch me fly.
Here are my instruments,
From down low to up high.
First I get charged up,<
Then I can fly.
Lifting off the runway,
Up into the sky!



Importance of Rhymes

Singing poems help children in language development, and improve their listening and speaking skills. Repetition of poems enables children to speak fluently and helps them to understand the manners of conversation.

Children have natural sense of rhythm. Singing poems satisfies this sense, and helps them to enjoy harmony and pleasure in their life.

Singing poems with actions and using facial expressions increases their understanding of language.

Poetry is an effective tool to enhance imaginative skills. Reading poem at early ages improves children's creativity, and helps them in learning process of upcoming years.

Teaching Instructions

- Hold the book in your right hand. Draw the attention of children on the page.
Display images and sing the poem with rhythm and action.
- Repeat the activity 2 to 3 time, then play the CD and ask children to perform the action.
- Ask children to sing the poem with action.
- Every poem of the book will be taught in the same manner.
- Teach each poem at least three times in a week.
- Chose and repeat the concerned poem on special occasion e.g. poem on rain on a rainy day.
- Sometimes, repeat the poem as per demand of the children
- Entertain children by poems whenever needed.



RHYMES

Singing rhymes with children is one of the most effective way of developing language. Rhymes develop speaking power, confidence and vocabulary of English language. The important thing about rhymes is the type of rhymes selected for his purpose. Again, experts of English language have selected some rhymes that are best for developing children's English speaking power. These rhymes are easy, interesting and contain common English words that children need to speak proper English. Parents should sing rhymes to their children everyday. This will develop their children's English very quickly.

