doodles and jots
for tots

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This book is for my kids’ Kindles and my Doodles and Jots’ friends whose encouragement I live for!

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Rhymes with Heart
start heart
heart tart
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art heart
heart chart
heart smart
heart part
Bored
poured
bored
surf board
aboard
oared
explored
ashored
roared
sword
reward
cored
Poem
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bow ‘em
mow ‘em
foam
sew ‘em
row ‘em
throw ‘em
grown ‘em
stow ‘em
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Doodles and Jots
noodles in pots
oodles of hots
strudel of Mott's
feudals with plots
saddles and trots
blue hulls on yachts
undo-dle knots
through-dle the slots
Hue-dle of blots
barbells for squats
kilos of watts
poodles and spots
Tootling bots
The Very Social Triangle
Once upon a time there was a very social and fashionable triangle.
Time flew, in matching color block outfits on Monday with his identical twin.
On Tuesday, wearing just the “right” neutral, he and rectangle sent a letter to an old friend. Oh, and heart stopped by too!
While wearing a slimming waffle knit on Wednesday, he hung out with his cool friend circle.
On Thursday, he put on a scratchy gray sweater and was at home with his friend square.
Let’s not forget Friday, when he wore something festive for oval’s birthday party.
And on Saturday, there was no stopping the fun he had wearing red with 7 like minded friends!
Oops!
Let’s see, what we can make with the crack on our front porch...

A guy,
a sailor,
Who spilled his milk because,
It’s getting stormy!
And his boat is being tossed about.
He is worried.
Will he make it to port safely?
He does! And is now safe at home in Unicornville!
This story was inspired by Beautiful Oops by Barney Saltzbeg
Animal Treats
Eucalyptus, I wouldn’t eat but to a Koala it’s quite a treat!
Termites, I wouldn’t eat but to an Aardvark they’re quite a treat!
Bamboo, I wouldn’t eat but to a Panda it’s quite a treat!
Jellyfish, I wouldn’t eat but to a Leatherback Sea Turtle they’re quite a treat!
Sagebrush I wouldn’t eat but to a Pygmy Rabbit it’s quite a treat!
Some animals are specialists and eat very specific, low competition foods. Other animals eat a wide variety of foods.

What kind are you?
See with My Ears
Quiet all appears until I close my eyes and see with my ears...

a blower in the distance.
Quiet all appears until I close my eyes and see with my ears...

at least 3 different kinds of birds.
Quiet all appears until I close my eyes and see with my ears...

the breeze passing my ears.
Quiet all appears until I close my eyes and see with my ears...

a fast car.
Quiet all appears until I close my eyes and see with my ears...

a cicada bug.
Quiet all appears until I close my eyes and see with my ears...

An airplane! What do you see with your ears?
School
school
ghoul
rule
fuel
stool
module
jewel
cool
pool
Words That Sound Alike
sent cent
ate eight
see sea
whale wail
ark arc
pale pail
bass base
park park
Words that sound alike are called homonyms and homonyms that have different spelling are also called homophones.
Rhyme time
rhyme, chime
time, lime
lime, prime
Prime, dime
dime, mime
mime, climb
climb, grim
grime, slime
the end
Rhyming builds phonological awareness which is an important part of developing a reader.
Counting Scary Triangles
1 witch’s nose
2 fangs
3 jack-o-lantern cutouts
4 candy corn
5 finger nails
Trick or Treat
wear a sheet
cross the street
trick or treat
pick a sweet
obsolete?
ring, repeat
Tired feet
now complete
Snicker eat
Hallo-ween
hallow-bean
hallow-green
hallow-scene
hallow-zine
hallow-teen
hallow-mean
hallow-lean
hallow-clean
Turkey
worky
murky
lurky
perky
quirky
jerky
Counting Christmas Circles
1 red nose
2 jingle bells
3 snow balls
4 cookies
5 bulbs
Christmas Dreams
Christmas dreams
Christmas themes
on moonbeams
busting seams
ribbon streams
excited screams
dreams of reams
caramel creams
snowy gleams
cocoa steams
Here’s to dreams coming true on Christmas!
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