



# FAMILY GUIDE

EPISODE 106A

## HAPPY HATCH-IVERSARY



### MAESTRO MOON'S CUES

Juan Peacock and Pequeña return from their travels just in time to celebrate Juan Peacock's Hatch-iversary! **Do, Re & Mi** decide to make him an extraordinary gift. Do designs a vehicle, the Juan Mover Zippity Flap Flap 4.2, that flies, drives, floats, and plays music. The birdie buddies worked all day to build the Juan Mover. They sang while they worked but soon discovered that their singing had no order and their work was uncoordinated. They could not make what they wanted could not build it right until they sang the same tune in a round. The birdie buddies set to work, sang in rounds, coordinating their work and completing the spectacular Juan Mover!

## What Your Child Will Learn



### MUSICAL VOCABULARY

🎵 **ROUNDS** - singing in rounds is when a melody is sung in parts. The first person begins with the first part of the melody; the next person sings that same line while the first person continues with the song. Others join in singing, with each part beginning at a different time - creating harmony. The song continues until the last person sings the last line.



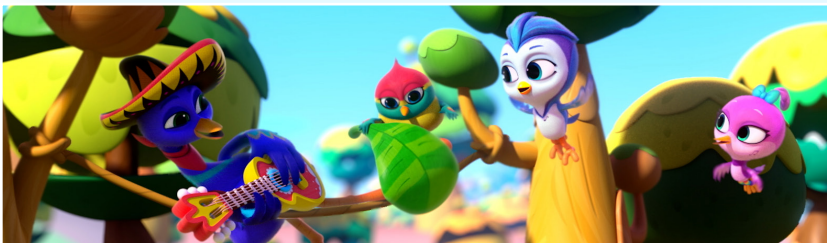
### SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL SKILLS

Collaboration, Relationship skills



### OTHER SKILLS

Engineering and Mathematics





# SING ALONG

SINGING IN ROUNDS IS FUN. SING A FEW OF THE  
BIRDIE BUDDY SONGS IN A ROUND.

**Play Song Here**

## HAPPY HATCH-IVERSARY

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**DO**

(spoken)

I've been trying to figure this out all day - we can't do  
everything at once, or we end up with  
THIS...when what we REALLY want is a Juan Mover!  
I'll sing it once and then we'll try it in a round, okay?

**RE / SEYMORE**

(spoken)

Great! /Great, great, great!

**DO**

Pick up a tool  
Let's get to work  
We're building a car  
and we'll be done in a chirp

**MI**

Oh, okay, I think I got it!

**DO / RE / MI / SEYMORE**

(round)

Pick up a tool  
Let's get to work  
We're building a car  
and we'll be done in a chirp

**DO / RE / MI / SEYMORE**

A present for Juan so special we hope he agrees  
It's the best gift ever for his Happy Hatch-iversary

**DO / RE / MI**

(round, in order)

A wheel goes here  
A car seat there  
Just enough room  
For his tail to flare

**DO / RE / MI / SEYMORE**

We really do hope this car is just what he needs  
It's the best gift ever for his Happy Hatch-iversary

## MUSICAL FAMILY FUN

### SING IN A ROUND

Several songs can be easily sung in a round, such as *Row, Row, Row Your Boat*, *Three Blind Mice*, and *The Farmer in the Dell*. Once the song's first line is sung, the next person starts, and the song can keep on going. Try this out as a family. Depending on how many participants you have, you can sing your parts in groups or have many parts. Try recording your efforts. How do you sound?

### SING WHILE YOU WORK

Think of a chore you can work together on as a family, such as folding and putting away laundry, washing and drying dishes, or cleaning up toys. The work is more fun and goes so smoothly when everyone is doing their part. Designate a sequence to follow and who is in charge of each piece. Can you sing about your work while you do it?

### THE DAY YOU WERE BORN

Everyone has a Hatch-iversary. For people, that's a birthday! Children love hearing stories about their birth. Slow it down and stretch it out because no small detail feels too insignificant. Pull out the baby albums and make space for questions and connections. As a grown-up, you can share stories about your birth or memorable birthdays. Your children will delight in relating to the idea of you as a child.

### BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

Pull out the markers and a large piece of paper and create a family birthday calendar. Your child may want to make a list of all the special people in their life to include on this and spend time gathering their birthdays. Think about how you want to arrange the months and highlight the first letter in each month so children can start to recognize each month by the initial sound. If available to you, use printed pictures of the people to put under the month's name.

### SOMETHING FOR A SPECIAL SOMEONE

Your birthday calendar might help you in thinking about who you might want to create something special for. Sing a song about that person using a familiar tune such as *Twinkle Twinkle* - "Sister Sister, my best friend, How I love you how you are." Consider what you know about that person so that your gift will be thoughtful and functional, such as sewing a simple eyeglass case or weaving a potholder.

## HARMONY'S AND MELODY'S LIBRARY

1. *You Are My Sunshine* by Caroline Jayne Church
2. *The Clock Struck One* by Trudy Harris
3. *The Itsy Bitsy Spider* by Rebecca and Ed Emberly
4. *Jabari Tries* by Gaia Cornwall
5. *On the Day You Were Born* by Debra Frasier

