

Bath Time Ideas for your Baby



While giving your baby a bath, give them some floatable toys and show them that if they bring one underwater, it'll float right back up.

While giving your baby a bath, place a floating toy or a sponge in the bathtub, just out of their reach. See if they'll try to grab it.

Bring containers to your baby's bath. Fill them with water, then pour the water over your baby.

In the bathtub, show your baby how to splash their hands and feet in the water. Then, encourage them to splash you and themselves.

While giving you're a baby a bath, point and talk about the things you see in the bathtub (i.e. shampoo, sponge, etc.)

As you're giving your baby a bath, tell them what body part you are washing. Do the same when you are drying them after the bath.

Punch some holes in a container and bring it to your baby's bath. Fill the container and slowly pour it over your baby's head.

During your baby's bath, bring in a few sponges or wash cloths. Dunk them in the water and then squeeze them in front of your baby. Give one to your baby to try.

Give your baby a non-bath toy (but that is safe to get wet) during bath time. See if they'll play with it differently than when not in the bath.

Safety Tip!

Always stay with your baby when they are in the bathtub! If you need to leave the room, take your baby with you.

Songs to Sing to your Baby

Bubble, Bubble Pop!

One little red fish swimming in the water,
swimming the water, swimming in the water.

One little red fish swimming in the water.

Bubble, bubble, bubble, bubble, pop!

*Other verses: Two little blue fish, three little
green fish, etc.*

*(Increase numbers and change the colours as
you continue singing)*

Tiny Tim

I had a little turtle. His name was Tiny Tim.
I put him in the bathtub to see if can swim.
He drank up all the water (glug, glug, glug).
He ate up all the soap (yum, yum, yum).
And now he's home sick in bed with bubbles in
his throat.

Bubble, bubble, bubble. Bubble, bubble, pop.
(x2)

Row, Row, Row Your Boat

Row, row, row your boat. Gently down the stream.
Merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily.
Life is but a dream.

Singing Tip!

For "Bubble, Bubble, Pop!",
print out or draw and
colour pictures of fish and
use them in the song.

Singing Tip!

Don't be afraid to be expressive when
imitating the drinking and eating
sounds in "Tiny Tim!" Make it fun for
your little one!

