

The Tiger Hunt

Fingerplay

Going on a tiger hunt,
Gonna catch a big one. (Hold arms out wide.)

I'm not scared. (Point to self and shake head.)

Oh, Look! (Shade eyes with hand, peering off in distance.)

There's some ooey, gushy mud.
(Make squishy noises.)

Let's go through. (Curl fingers and move them up and down.)

Glump! Glump! Glump! (More squishy noises.)

There's some long, wavy grass. (Make wavy grass motions with hands.)

Let's go through. (Part grass with hands.)

There's a river –no bridge. (Act startled.)

Let's swim across. (Make swimming motions.)

There's a big tree. (Arms up for tree.)

Let's climb up and look. (Make climbing motions, fist over fist.)

Oh, look, a great big cave. (Circle hands over eyes to make binoculars.)

Let's climb down and look! (Motion downwards.)

We're in the cave. (Use soft, spooky voice.)

Everybody light a match. (Scratch imaginary match.)

Oh, look! (Act surprised.)

A big pair of yellow eyes. (Startle and gasp.)

The tiger!!! Run!!! (Retrace all actions very quickly back to the beginning. Finally, blow out the match and say, Phew!!!)

