

# Howe Park Nursery

## Christmas Performance Songs 2017

A number of parents have commented over the last week that children are beginning to sing Christmas songs at home and have asked for words to support children to rehearse for our Christmas performance on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2017.

**So..... here you go!**

Enjoy this time with your children, encourage your child to sing loudly, but not to shout and we look forward to hearing you sing too at our Christmas performance!

Thank you for all your hard work in advance!

**Song - Mary Mary (to the tune of Daisy Daisy give me your answer do...)**

Mary, Mary, I've got some news for you.  
I think you'd better sit down,  
It may be a shock for you.  
You are going to have a baby, There will be no maybe  
His name will be, Jesus you see  
He'll be a good boy for you, for you,  
He'll be a good boy for you!

**Song - Little Donkey**

Little donkey, Little Donkey  
On the dusty Road  
Got to keep on plodding onwards with your precious load  
Been a long time, little donkey  
Through the winter's night  
Don't give up now little donkey  
Bethlehem's in sight



You Tube link:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dVQPmtjHzh4>

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Ring out those bells tonight,  
Bethlehem, Bethlehem.  
Follow that star tonight,  
Bethlehem, Bethlehem.  
Little donkey, Little Donkey,  
Had a heavy day, Little donkey,  
carry Mary safely on her way.

**Song 5 - Away in a Manger**

**First verse only**

Away in a Manger, no crib for a bed  
The little Lord Jesus lay down his sweet head  
The stars in the bright sky looked down  
where he lay  
The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay



You Tube  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9CJFt7BZKUU>  
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**Song - The Shepherds (to the tune of Here we go round the Mulberry bush)**

The shepherds travelled to Bethlehem,  
Bethlehem, Bethlehem.  
The shepherds travelled to Bethlehem  
to see the baby Jesus

**Song - Twinkle Twinkle**

Twinkle Twinkle little star  
How I wonder what you are  
Up above the world so high

Like a diamond in the sky  
Twinkle Twinkle little star  
How I wonder what you are

**Song - We wish you a Merry Christmas**

We wish you a merry Christmas, We wish you a merry Christmas  
We wish you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year!