

# Storytime

## T H E M E

### Pumpkins & Apples

#### Opening Song

“If You’re Ready for a Story”

Sung to the tune “If You’re Happy and You Know It”

If you’re ready for a story, clap your hands.

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If you’re ready for a story, if you’re ready for a story,

If you’re ready for a story clap your hands.

(nod your head, sit so still)

#### Book

*The Mystery Vine* written and illustrated by Cathryn Falwell

#### Flannel Board

“Five Little Owls”

Five little owls on a moonlit night

Five little owls are quite a sight.

Five little owls Are you keeping score?

One flew away! And then there were Four.

Four little owls happy as can be,

One flew away then there were Three.

Three little owls calling Who, Who

One flew away and that left two.

Two little owls having lots of fun.

One flew away and that left One.

One little owl we are almost done

He flew away and that leaves none.



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## Book

*Apple Days: A Rosh Hashanah Story* written and illustrated by Allison Soffer, illustrated by Bob McMahon

## Wiggle Break

“Bananas Unite!”

Bananas unite! (*Bring arms and hands together over your head*)

Peel bananas, peel, peel bananas.

Peel bananas, peel, peel bananas. (*Spiral hands and arms downward as if peeling*)

Eat bananas, eat, eat bananas.

Eat bananas, eat, eat bananas. (*Pretend to eat a banana*)

Go bananas, go, go, bananas.

Go bananas, go, go, bananas. (*Wave arms over head and dance around*)

## Book

*Wonderfall* written and illustrated by Michael Hall

## Goodbye Song

Remind them of the signs for “good bye” and “friends”. Sing through twice.

“Good Bye Friends”

Good bye, friends.

Good bye, friends.

Good bye, friends.

It’s time to say goodbye.



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# Extras

## Books

*Apples and Pumpkins* written by Anne Rockwell, illustrated by Lizzy Rockwell  
*The Fox Went Out on a Chilly Night* written and illustrated by Peter Spier

## Finger Play

“Little Bunny in a Hat”

Little bunny in a hat sitting so still,  
Will he come he out?  
Yes, he will!  
He looks to the left,  
He looks to the right,  
He looks straight ahead and pops! out of sight.



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