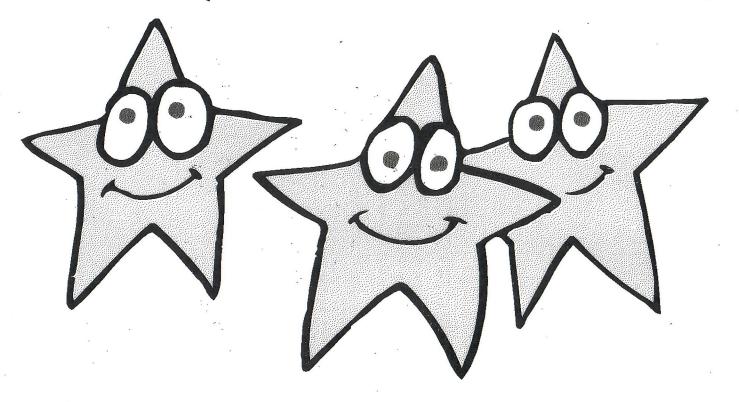
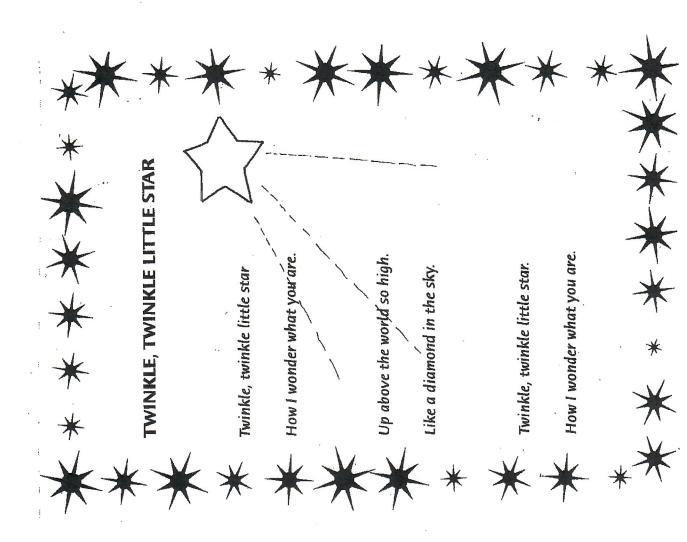
Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star





Wish Upon the Twinkle Twinkle Star

Please help your child learn and remember the Twinkle Twinkle nursery rhyme. To extend your child's learning, you may do this shared writing activity.

Developmental Areas: literacy, creative arts and fine motor.

Instructions:

This activity was created to have some special time together and for you to model writing as your child dictates. Shared writing is an excellent way to encourage your child to write; especially when working with something that interests them. Your child may be at one of the following stages; scribbling, making letter-like forms or writing discrete letters. Any level they are at is appropriate for this activity. Children develop at their own pace. If your child is willing and able, please encourage them to write.

Before you start writing, talk to your child about wishes. Talk about how some people like to wish on stars, that wishes are like hopes you have for yourself and others.

Then ask your child to think of what they wish for. Please do not correct your child to wish for something other than what they answer. Instead, write exactly what they say. Ask them why they wish for that and write that down. If your child wants to write their wish by themselves, you can jot a note what they are writing. Also, the writing could be shared by both of you. The important thing is to keep it fun and stress free.

When it's all done, read it back to your child. Please share their finished work with us.



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