

WRITE

Pour bird seed onto the paper plate to create a writing tray. Your child can use their finger to draw lines, shapes, or letters.



Early Literacy Grab & Go BIRDS

SING

Two Little Bluebirds
(Fingerplay, use your pointer fingers)

Two little bluebirds sitting on a hill.
One named Jack and one named Jill.
Fly away Jack, fly away Jill.
Come back Jack, come back Jill.

READ

Birds (by Kevin Henkes)

Grumpy Bird (by Jeremy Tankard)

The Lost Little Bird
(by David McPhail)



PLAY

When your child is finished with their bird seed writing tray, they can sprinkle it outside for the birds. They can watch for birds using the binoculars that they decorated.



TALK

As your child watches for birds, talk with them about what they see. What color birds are they seeing? Are they small or big? What kinds of bird sounds do they hear?