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Storytime

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Activities

Pumpkin, Pumpkin

(To the tune of "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star")

Pumpkin, pumpkin on the ground.
How'd you get so big and round?
Once you were a seed so small.
Now you are a great big ball!
Pumpkin, pumpkin on the ground.
How'd you get so big and round?

Pumpkins!

Stories

How Big Could Your Pumpkin Grow? by Wendell Minor

It's Pumpkin Time! by Zoe Hall

The Pumpkin Book by Gail Gibbons

Pumpkin Harvest by Calvin Harris

Pumpkin Pumpkin by Jeanne Titherington

Ten Orange Pumpkins by Stephen Savage



Early Literacy Tip

Books like **Pumpkin Pumpkin** help children see the order in which things take place. This helps them develop the mathematical concept of sequencing.

Retelling stories also helps children with sequencing. After you finish a book with your child, ask them to help you retell the story. Use words like "first," "then," and "finally" as you retell the story together.



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