



# Spring Storytime

## Spring Flowers

Five spring flowers, all in a row.  
The first one said, "We need rain to grow!"  
The second one said, "Oh my, we need water!"  
The third one said, "Yes, it is getting hotter!"  
The fourth one said, "I see clouds in the sky."  
The fifth one said, "I wonder why?"

Then BOOM [clap loudly] went the thunder,  
And ZAP went the lightning!  
That springtime storm was really frightening!  
But the flowers weren't scared - No, no, no!  
The rain helped them to grow, grow, grow!

## During the Spring

During the spring, it often showers  
(flutter fingers down)  
Or the sun shines for many hours  
(form circle in the air with arms)  
Both are good for the flowers!  
(cup hands and extend arms like flowers)

## Flutter, Flutter

Flutter, flutter butterfly  
Floating in the spring sky  
Floating by for all to see  
Floating by so merrily  
Flutter, flutter butterfly  
Floating in the spring sky

## Rain is Falling

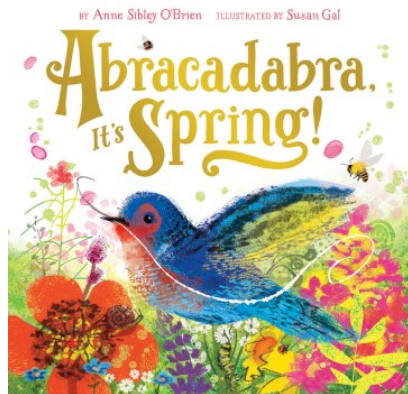
The rain is falling down  
(flutter fingers down)  
SPLASH!  
(clap once loudly)  
Pitter patter pitter patter  
(tap legs softly)  
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Pitter patter pitter patter  
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*Goodbye Winter, Hello Spring*  
by Kenard Pak



*Spring Stinks*  
by Ryan T. Higgins



*Abracadabra It's Spring*  
by Anne Sibley O'Brien



*The Spring Book*  
by Todd Parr



## Here is a Leaf

Here is a green leaf (hold out one palm)  
And here is a green leaf (hold out other palm)  
That, you see, makes two (hold up two fingers)  
Here is a bud (cup hands together)  
That makes it a flower (slowly open hands)  
Watch it bloom for you (slowly open hands)



## Planting Time

*\*To the tune of Row Row Row Your Boat\**

Dig, dig, dig the earth (pretend to dig)  
Then you plant your seeds (pretend to plant)  
A gentle rain (fingers flutter down)  
The bright sunshine (arms circle overhead)  
And flowers you will see (open arms wide)

## Here is a Bunny

Here is a Bunny  
Here is a bunny with ears so funny  
(hold up two fingers for ears)  
And here is his hole in the ground  
(make a circle with the other hand)  
At the first sound he hears,  
he pricks up his ears  
(extend two fingers)  
And hops in the hole in the ground  
(fingers jump into the hole)

