

Going on Swings and Slides

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As your child . . .

- ⚙ climbs the ladder on a slide, count the stairs.
- ⚙ sits on top of a slide waiting to go down, count *1-2-3-Go!*
- ⚙ reaches the bottom of a slide, ask them if they want to go again. Ask, *Again? Go again?* OR *More? More slide?*
- ⚙ climbs a slide ladder, say, *Up, up, up.*
- ⚙ zooms down a slide, say, *Down ... Whee!*
- ⚙ swings on a swing, say *Back and forth. Back and forth.* (Name) *goes back and forth.* Sing the words rhythmically to a tune.
- ⚙ swings up and back, say *Up and down. Up and down.*
- ⚙ swings, count the times forward and back.
- ⚙ swings, toss a ball toward them. Encourage them to kick it back. Say, *Kick* each time.
- ⚙ swings forward, ask for the name of an animal, food, clothing, body part, etc.



***Be safe but have fun exploring.
Children love to experiment and
doing so independently,
instills confidence and joy in learning.***

