

The busy little worm

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Learn directions with this simple hand play. From 'Finger-play songs for the nursery class' by A.W.I. Chitty published 1949. I couldn't find this anywhere on the internet.

1.&2. Point finger forward and wiggle. 3. Make hole with thumb and forefinger of the other hand. 4. 'Worm' goes in. 5.-9. Wiggle to left and right then down and up

The musical score is written in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 2/4 time signature. It consists of three staves of music. The first staff has four measures with chords D, D, A, and D above it. The second staff has six measures with chords D, A, G, A7, D, G, and A7 above it. The third staff has four measures with chords D, A, A7, and D above it. The lyrics are: 'The bu - sy lit - tle worm, So long and thin, He makes a lit - tle hole And goes right in. He wrig - gles to the left, He wrig - gles to the right, Then down he goes, Up he goes, Up in - to the light.'



The busy little worm,
So long and thin,
He makes a little hole,
And goes right in.
He wriggles to the left,
He wriggles to the right.
Then down he goes,
Up he goes,
Up into the light.

