

Seesaw Margery Daw

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With its smooth and steady rhythm it is possible that this song helped foresters keep good time when sawing wood.

A traditional see-saw would have simply been made of a log and a wooden plank.

Sit in pairs opposite each other and spread around the room. Holding hands move gently back and forth.



See - saw, Mar - ge - ry Daw, John - ny shall have a new
mas - ter, He shall have but a pen - ny a
day, Be - cause he can't work a - ny fas - ter.



Seesaw Margery Daw,
Johnny shall have a new master,
He shall have but a penny a day,
Because he can't work any faster.