

## LETTER OF THE DAY: D

## THEME: DOCTORS AND NURSES

**Literacy Tip:** Practice segmentation when reading with your child, which means separating words into its sounds. Doing this when they are young helps them later when they are bigger and have to break words into syllables to figure out what they mean. Clapping out parts of words is one great way to help with this.

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## SONGS

### ***Hello, Friend***

Hello, friend

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It's time to say hello

Repeat at end with "Goodbye, Friend"

Actions: American Sign Language

### **Popcorn Song**

Popcorn kernels, Popcorn kernels

*(wave scarves in front of you)*

In the pot

*(make their scarves 'disappear' by*

*bunching them up in their fists)*

Shake them shake them shake them

*(shake)*

*'til they POP!*

*(Toss scarves up into the air)*

### **Shake Your Shaker**

Shake your shakers, shake, shake, shake (x2)

Shake your shakers

Verses: Shake your shakers high, high, high

Shake your shakers low, low, low

Shake your shakers fast, fast, fast

Shake your shakers slow, slow, slow

### ***Open & Shut Them***

Open, shut them

Open, shut them

Give a little clap, clap, clap

Open, shut them

Open, shut them

Put them in your lap, lap, lap

Creep them, crawl them,

creep them, crawl them

right up to your chin, chin, chin

Open wide your little mouth

but do not put them in

# Drive to the Hospital

Trace the road from the car to the hospital.

