

1,2,3 Aleerie

Traditional

This is an old song children used in the playground to play with a ball. 'Aleerie' is a very old word that means holding your leg crooked. You bounce the ball three times, then lift your leg and bounce the ball under it when you come to 'Aleerie'. It can also be used for a skipping game and is a good song for children to make up their own verses.

One, two, three a - lee - rie Four, five, six a - lee - rie

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Se - ven eight nine a - lee - rie Ten a - lee - rie o - ver

Lyrics

One, two, three aleerie
Four, five, six aleerie
Seven, eight, nine aleerie
Ten aleerie over

One, two, three aleerie
I saw Mrs Peerie
Sittin' on her bumbaleerie
Eatin' chocolate biscuits

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