

**Speech & Language
12 to 18 Months**

Rhyme

A Smooth Road

Words

A smooth road, a smooth road
A smooth road, a smooth road
A bumpy road, a bumpy road,
A bumpy road, a bumpy road
A rough road, a rough road,
A rough road, a rough road,
A hole!

Actions

*With your child on your lap move your
Knees smoothly from side to side
A bumpy bounce

A vigorous bounce

A pause and then a "fall" between the knees*

(Favourite Interactive Rhymes and How to Use Them in Your Parent-Child Mother Goose Program, Compiled and Annotated by Celia Barker Lottridge, 1999, The Vermont Square Parent-Child Mother Goose Program)

Parenting can be a challenge. We can help.

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