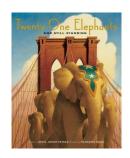
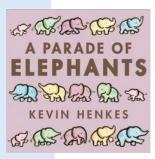
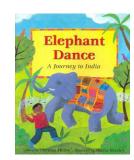
# **Elephants**

#### Read!











#### Move!

The Elephant:

An elephant goes like this and that, (sway body left to right)
He's terribly large, he's terribly fat; (raise arms out from sides to show fatness)
He has no fingers, (wiggle fingers)
He has no toes, (point to toes)
But goodness gracious, what a nose! (hold arm in front of face like trunk)

#### Elephant:

(March in place and swing your trunk!)

Right foot, left foot, see me go. I am gray and big and slow. I come walking down the street With my trunk and four big feet.

#### Watch!

Elephant Artists from Zoos Victoria



Did you know that there are elephants who paint?! Try painting on the sidewalk with water on a sunny day!

### Make!

Materials Needed:

- Construction paper
- Scissors
- Glue
- Black pen or marker



- 1) Begin by folding the construction paper in half hamburger-style.
- 2) With the fold at the top, make 5 cuts. Round off the upper left corner and the upper right corner. Cut a small sliver from the bottom near the right-hand side to form the trunk. Cut a small rectangle from the end of what will form the trunk. Cut a large upside-down U-shape from the bottom, centered between what will be the legs.
- 3) Save all the scraps. Use them to cut ears, a tail, and tusks.
- 4) Glue the ears, tail, and tusks into place.
- 5) Use the black pen or marker to add an eye on each side.
- 6) Fold up about 1/4 inch of each foot so that the elephant can stand.

# Sing!

Do Your Ears Hang Low? (Sing over faster and faster!)

Do your ears hang low?
Do they wobble to and fro?
Can you tie them in a knot?
Can you tie them in a bow?
Can you throw 'em over your shoulder
Like a continental soldier?
Do you ears hang low?





## Talk!

Talking with your child is the best way to build their vocabulary. Talk about all the animals you know! Can you think of one for every letter of the alphabet?