OUR TRIP TO THE CIRCUS

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Mummy and daddy bought tickets to go to the circus

(Let your child feel the tickets or paper)

The circus tent was big with lots of colours

(Clip fabric material or a duvet cover to a chair with pegs and hold up over child's head to make tent)

We could smell the sawdust on the ground

(Let your child smell the sawdust in the container)

And we could hear the circus music

(Record Circus music on your phone to hear circus music)

We saw a girl on a tight rope. OOOOH she's going to fall

Hold slinky and wobble your child from side to side

We saw a clown with a big red nose!

(Let your child feel the nose on the clown picture)

The clown was playing funny tricks. He squirted water at me and I got wet

(Let your child feel the flower and then squirt water from it on to your child's hands)

Daddy bought us a balloon on our way home

(Blow up the balloon and then let the air out)

I love the circus. Thank you Mammy and Daddy

(Help your child give you a kiss)

THE END

- 1. Tickets
- 2. Fabric & pegs circus tent
- 3. Box of sawdust
- 4. Circus music
- 5. Slinky for tightrope walk
- 6. Clown picture and nose
- 7. Flower water squirter
- 8. Balloon

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