



## TEACHER SONGBOOK

**LEARN TO SING THESE ALL-TIME WOLF SCHOOL FAVORITES WITH YOUR STUDENTS!**

*Shooting Star*

*Banana Slug*

*Salamander Song*

*Web of Life*

*Bats Eat Bugs*

*Scat Song*

*Go into the Night*

***“Building respect, appreciation and stewardship within the web of life.”***



## SHOOTING STAR

ANON

**D** **A** **Bm** **G**  
Please, won't you catch a shooting star for me  
**D** **A** **D**  
And take it with you on your way  
**D** **A** **Bm** **G**  
Though it seems that we've just met, you're the one I won't forget  
**D** **A** **D** **D7**  
Hope some kind wind blows you back my way

**G** **D**  
And I was thinking maybe somewhere later down the road  
**G** **D**  
After all our stories have been told  
**D** **A** **Bm** **G**  
I'd sit and think of you, a dear friend I once knew  
**D** **A** **D**  
Shot through my life like a shooting star

You are so dear, you're my bright and shining star  
You brighten each and every day  
You are so near, but soon you'll be so far  
So why not hold my hand today.

### (Chorus)

Sometimes I know that a part of you will show  
Deep in my heart and in my smile  
There will always be a part of you deep inside my heart  
And I'll know just when to let it go

### (Chorus)



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# SALAMANDER

BY R. SEYMORE & S. MILLER

To the tune of “La Bamba”

**Intro: C-F-G-F-C-F-G**

(G) C F G

I am a sala-mander

C F G  
I am a sala-mander and I’ve got rough skin

C F G  
And that makes me a newt now

C F G  
And that makes me a newt which means I’m cute

C F G  
And I wander I wander

C F G  
Oh I wander I wander when it rains

C F G  
Oh when it rains oh when it rains

C F G F

Sal – A – Mander

C F G F

Sal – A – Mander

C F G F C F G

Sal – A – Mander, and I’m a Newt!

Oh my rough skin is poisonous

Oh my rough skin is poisonous so you don’t want to kiss me

No, you don’t want to kiss me

But don’t you worry ‘cause I find my mates

In ponds and lakes

In ponds and lakes

**(Chorus)**

Oh I can live to be thirty

Oh I can live to be thirty even if you cut off my

Toes and my fingers

You can take your dirty scalpel and hack and hack

But they’ll grow back

But they’ll grow back

**(Chorus)**





# THE WEB OF LIFE

BY J. SIDEL, D. POARCH, R. WIDERA

To the tune of "The Game of Love"

A D E D  
The purpose of a Bee is to pollinate a Flower

A D E D  
The purpose of a Flower is to feeeeed a Bee

A D B E  
Together they both live in Har-mo-ny

A D B E  
| In the Web of Life (LIFE!), Life (LIFE!), LALALA, LALA LIFE | Repeat 2X

E D E  
Mountain Lion is a Car-ni-vore

E D E  
Eats the deer and that's an Herb-i-vore

E D E  
They eat plants and I can tell you more

E  
About the Web of Life! (UGH!)

The purpose of a worm is to plow the soil  
The purpose of the soil is to grow a tree  
Together they make oxygen for you and me.

(Chorus)

The purpose of the Algae is to photosynthesize,  
The purpose of the Fungus is to make a home.  
Together they make Lichen and they're not alone.

(Chorus)

The purpose of our song is to heal the planet,  
The purpose of our planet is a place to live.  
The purpose of a human is to learn to give.

(Chorus)

## Additional Lyrics:

The purpose of the soil is to give a tree its minerals,  
The tree renews the soil when it drops its leaves.  
Each and every thing on earth is one that weaves.

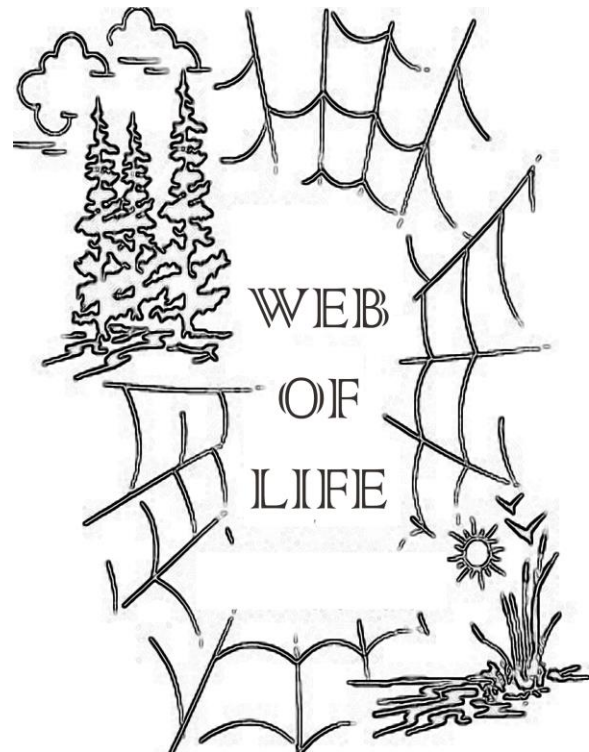
(Chorus)

The purpose of the cloud is to bring us water,  
The purpose of the water is to quench the land.  
Then it all evaporates and starts again.

(Chorus)

The purpose of a tree is to make the oxygen,  
The people breathe it in and breathe out CO<sub>2</sub>  
The air cycle keeps us alive – both me and you.

(Chorus)





## SCAT SONG

BY RODD PEMBLE, MARY KEEBLER, ANDY BENNETT

E            A            D            A  
It starts with an "S" and ends with a "T"  
E            A            D            A  
It comes out of you and it comes out of me  
E                    A            D            A  
I know what you're thinking, it could be called that  
E            A            D            E  
But be scientific and call it SCAT

You're walking through the woods and your nose goes ooh!  
You know some animal's scat's near you  
It may seem gross but that's okay  
You know they don't have toilets to flush it away.

Now if you want to find out what animals eat  
Take a good look at what they secrete  
Stuck in the scat are all of the clues  
Parts of their food that their bodies can't use

If you park your car in the woods or a field  
You might find scat on your windshield  
If the seeds are purple and the seeds are white  
Then you've been bombed by a bird in flight.

It tells what they eat and it tells us who they are  
And that's what we know about scat so far  
So if you wanna know who's in the woods all around  
Take a good look at the scat on the ground.

So next time you're out and hikin' hard  
And you stumble on some critters calling card  
Don't go screaming and lose your lunch  
Pick it apart and you could learn a bunch!

### Additional Lyrics:

If you wanna find out what's in the woods or around  
Then take a good look at the scat on the ground  
It tells us what they eat it tells who they are  
And that's what they know about scat so far.

Down by the creek on a hollow log  
Scat full of berries and bones of frogs  
Fresh last night, out with the moon  
Hunting crawdads, it was a big raccoon.







# BATS EAT BUGS

BY BANANA SLUG STING BAND

**G** **C**  
 Bats eat bugs, they don't eat people  
**G** **D7**  
 Bats eat bugs, they don't fly in your hair  
**G** **C**  
 Bats eat bugs, they eat insects for dinner  
**G** **D7** **G**  
 That's why they're flying up there

Coyotes eat rabbits, they don't eat people  
 Coyotes eat rabbits, 'cause you're too big to bite  
 Coyotes eat rabbits, they eat rabbits for dinner  
 And that's why they're out in the night

**(Chorus)**

Snakes eat mice, they don't eat people  
 Snakes eat mice, that's why they're on the ground  
 Snakes eat mice, 'cause we're too big to swallow  
 And they don't want you hanging around

**(Chorus)**

Bears eat berries, they don't eat people  
 Bears eat berries, they don't eat you or me  
 Bears eat berries, and they'll steal your dinner  
 So you better hang it high in a tree

**(Chorus)**

Nothing out there wants to eat you  
 Nothing out there wants to make you it's meal  
 Nothing out there eats people for dinner  
 'Cause they know how sick they would feel

**(Chorus)**

Additional lyrics by Jay Liebowitz

Spiders eat flies, they don't eat people  
 Spiders eat flies, they caught in the webs  
 Spiders eat flies, and other insects  
 Don't kill them, thank them instead

**(Chorus)**





# BANANA SLUG

BY THE BUNJEE JUMPING COWS

## To the tune of “Twist and Shout”

You know I love my baby (love my baby)  
 I love the way that she hugs (way that she hugs)  
 Some folks don't understand it (don't understand it)  
 She's a Banana Slug (banana slug)  
 Baaa naaaa nuuhhhh SLUG!

He's got just one foot  
Ain't got no toes  
He hangs out in the forest  
And helps it decompose.  
Baaa naaaaa nuuhhhh SLUG!

Some folks say that he's gross  
But I won't hear that jive  
'Cuz if wasn't for my baby  
The forest might not survive.  
Baaa naaaaa nuuhhhh SLUG!

They way you wiggle your antenna  
You know it gives me such bliss  
Come on come on come on banana slug  
Let me give you a kiss.  
Baaa naaaaa nuuhhhh SLUG!

The way you slide through the forest  
You know you look so fine  
Come on come on come on banana slug  
Let me lick off your slime.  
Baaa naaaaa nuuhhhh SLUG!

Shake it up baby  
Twist and slime  
Come on come on come on banana slug  
Oh you slime so fine.  
You know you twist so good  
You know you slime so fine.  
Well, slime a little closer now  
And show me you're mine!  
Baaa naaaaa nuuhhhh SLUG!





## GO INTO THE NIGHT

ADAPTED FROM THE BANANA SLUG STING BAND

C Am  
Go into the night, there's magic in the night  
F C  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
C Am  
Go into the night, there's magic in the night  
F C  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
Am C  
And the song you can hear

Go into the night, there's magic in the night,  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
**The Great Horned Owl is a nighttime pal,**  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
And the Owl you can hear. And the song etc.

Go into the night, there's magic in the night,  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
**Down in the bog there are lots of frogs,**  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
And the frogs you can hear. And the Owl etc.

Go into the night, there's magic in the night,  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
**Down in the thicket there are a million crickets,**  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
And the crickets you can hear. And the frogs etc.

Go into the night, there's magic in the night,  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
**The lonesome note of a lone coyote,**  
Is a song that you can hear  
And the coyote you can hear. And the crickets etc.

Go into the night, there's magic in the night,  
Ringing out a song that's clear  
**The silent wonder of people's hearts,**  
Will melt away their fears  
And the silence you can hear. And the coyote etc.

