

# ***RING AROUND THE ROSIE***

**Characters:** Sara, the teacher.  
Margherita, Fabio, Chiara, Daniel and Sofia, the pupils.

**Teacher:** Hi, children, today you will talk... tell me what you desire, what you like doing, the job you would like to do when you grow up, your secret dreams...

**Margherita:** But... teacher Sara, dreams cannot be locked in a drawer.

**Teacher:** Yes, you are right Margherita, but it is a common saying... sometimes dreams are kept secrets because they seem too difficult to realize and are locked in our hearts and in a "drawer".

**Fabio:** My dream is to be a very good footballer and score a lot of goals.

**Chiara:** I really like singing, listening to any type of music and as a job I would like to be a singer.

**Daniel:** I don't know who I will be when I grow up, I just know that I would like to be an important person who can convince Others not to do wrong things.

**Teacher:** Let me understand, Daniel.

**Daniel:** For example, I would like to tell those who decide to start a war that peace is an important thing. War only brings pain

and deaths.

- Sofia:** Yes, you're right, instead of buying missiles and bombs, money should be given to poorest children?  
You, grown-ups, always tell us: "Don't fight, don't blow raspberries, do not act up, help those in need" and then you go to war.
- Teacher:** You are absolutely right, and do you know what? The world of tomorrow is in your hands.
- Fabio:** In our hands?
- Teacher:** Yes, you are the future, you are the men of tomorrow and if you grow up with these beautiful dreams you can do great things!
- Margherita:** But we are small, and we have to wait such a long time... now what can we do?
- Teacher:** Studying, playing, singing is what you have to do, but you can immediately start learning the joy of being together... I mean with everyone, even with those you don't like ... to become people who can really love.
- Chiara:** I play with everyone, but I can't stand my neighbour Francesco because he's a bully who always disturbs!
- Teacher:** Somebody behaves badly and annoys us, but sometimes you do not need much, why don't you simply try to talk to him?
- Chiara:** Yes, I can try... but... ugh, what a pain...
- Teacher:** You're right Chiara, it's tiring! But it's worth trying.

**Margherita:** Guys, I have an idea, why don't we meet at the park this afternoon and ask all the children there to go for a beautiful roundabout dance together?

**Chiara:** What a fantastic idea! I'll ask Francesco if he wants to come too...

**Daniel:** Great!

**Fabio:** I will ask mum to prepare a mountain of popcorn for everyone.

**Sofia:** Perfect! Teacher Sara, what about coming with us too?

**Teacher:** I'd love to. Guys, I'm proud of you!



CANZONE: RING AROUND THE ROSIE

Ring around the Rosie

*(Girotondo intorno al mondo)*

ring around the Rosie

*(girotondo intorno al mondo)*

come with me and hold my hand

*(vieni con me e prendi la mia mano)*

and down to the grass we land

*(e giù nell'erba atterriamo)*

It's so jolly being together

*(È così gioioso stare insieme)*

singing and playing all day long

*(cantando e giocando tutto il giorno)*

now jump with me then jump again

*(adesso salta con me e salta ancora)*

jump high jump high jump high

*(salta in alto salta in alto salta in alto)*

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