

The Muffin Man Dance arranged by Carole Stephens ©1998 a partner dance

Oh do you know the Muffin Man, the Muffin Man, the Muffin Man

Oh do you know the Muffin Man who lives in Drury Lane?

Yes I know the Muffin Man, the Muffin Man, the Muffin Man

Yes I know the Muffin Man who lives in Drury Lane!

This is always the first partner dance I do with my classes – it's simple, repetitive and uses skills children already know or can acquire quickly. Learning a dance with a pattern and sequence helps "organize" the brain. The pattern is walk, then clap. The sequence is walk/clap, walk/clap. Even my toddlers love this!

Lines 1-2: Walk together with partner around the space you're working in.

Lines 3-4: Face partner and patty cake hands with partner.