BUTTERFLIES FLUTTERING



What you need: Nothing

Music requirements: None

Age suitability: 2+

The children start off curled up in a tiny ball pretending they are a butterfly egg. The children then hatch out and stretch in the sun. The children then pretend to become caterpillars, crawling around and munching leaves.

The children then pretend to weave themselves a cocoon by waving their arms all around themselves and then lying still.

The children then hatch out into beautiful butterflies and flutter around the room.

For something extra special you can make butterfly wings for the children to have on them before you start. To make butterfly wings get approximately one metre of very light chiffon or silk style material and tie a ribbon around the centre to gather the material – leaving the ribbon long enough to tie around the child's chest. Make a small hole on each end at the top of the piece of fabric for the children to stick their fingers through. This will allow the material to flow when they flap their arms up and down. You can vary the colours of the fabric to create a beautiful array of butterflies. If you have boys at the party they can be dragonflies.