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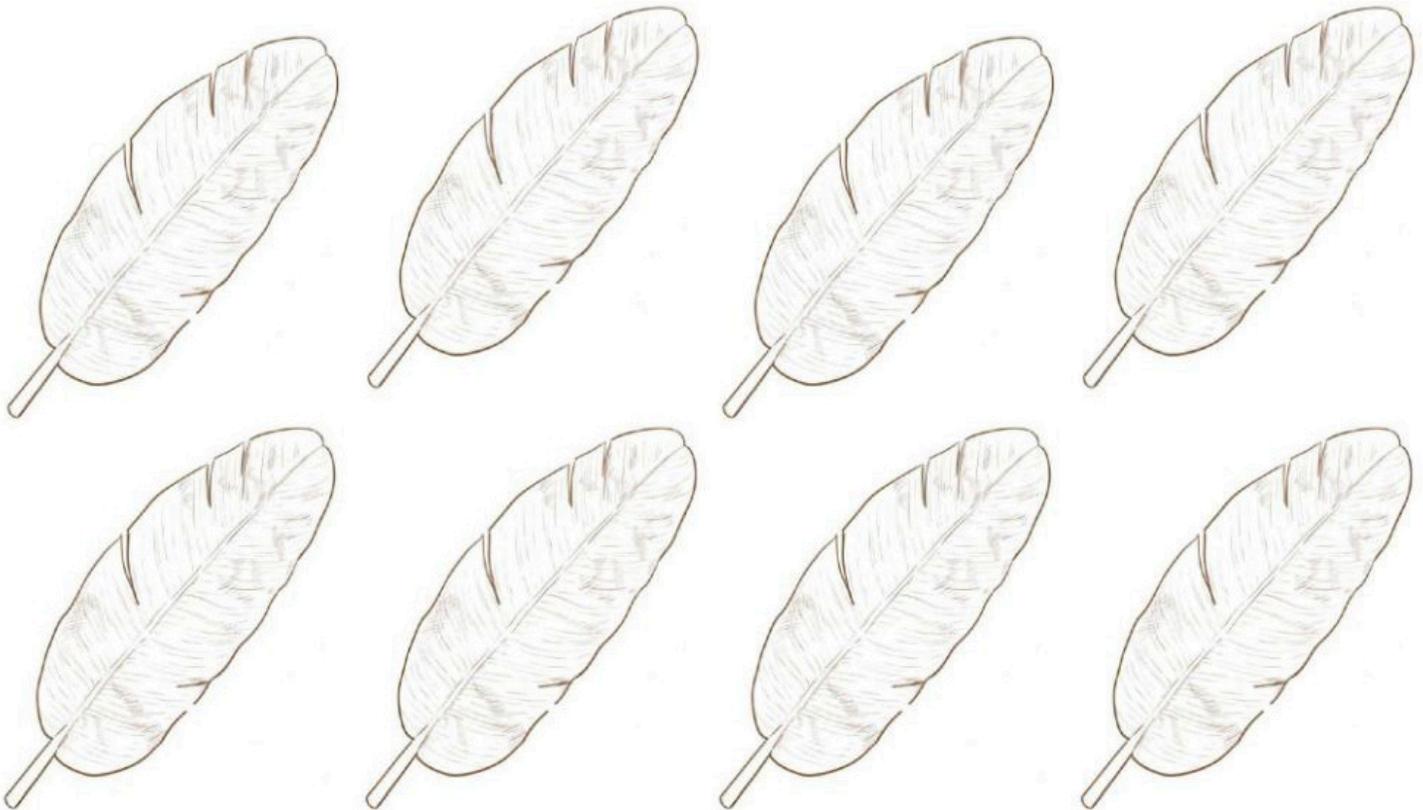
VOLUME 2

**AGES:
NEWBORN &
TODDLERS**

PLAY: COLOR FEATHER MATCHING

Many of our folktales and myths have birds featured as part of the story. In this game, children work on color skills. You can pre-color the feathers (attached) or have your child color them. You may wish to cut them out. Have your child match the feathers by color. You can add variations on this as well, counting how many feathers there are and incorporating letter knowledge by asking them what letter makes the beginning sound of each color.

Colored feathers activity pieces:





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PRE-SCHOOL &
ELEMENTARY**

WRITE: BAD-LIB POETRY

Write your own limerick and nursery rhyme using the guides below. Although most don't start with 'Once upon a time', they are very short and fun stories that can be magical!

LIMERICK

There once was a _____ from _____,
(noun) (place)
 Who liked to _____ in _____.
(2-syllable verb) (place that rhymes with first place)
 He/She/It started to _____.
(verb)
 And continued to _____.
(verb the rhymes with last verb)
 And finally _____ in _____.
(2 syllable, past tense verb) (third rhyming place)

NURSERY RHYME

Old King _____ was a merry old _____,
(2 rhyming words - second word is a noun)
 And a Merry Old _____ was he.
(same word as second above)
 He called for his _____.
(noun)
 And he called for his _____.
(noun that rhymes with 2nd word in 1st line)
 And he called for his _____.
(3 syllable occupation)

