

SWIMMING



THE SEA



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**CHILDREN'S
SONGBOOK**



SWIMMING IN THE SEA

Swimming in the sea, swimming in the sea
What did I see, swimming in the sea?

(solo) Curly green octopus making tea
That's what I saw swimming in the sea.
Swimming in the sea, swimming in the sea
What did I see, swimming in the sea?

(solo) Scary white shark on a shopping spree
(solo) Curly green octopus making tea
That's what I saw swimming in the sea.
Swimming in the sea, swimming in the sea
What did I see, swimming in the sea?

(solo) Little pink starfish, one two three
(solo) Scary white shark on a shopping spree
(solo) Curly green octopus making tea
That's what I saw swimming in the sea.
Swimming in the sea, swimming in the sea
What did I see, swimming in the sea?

(solo) Bright blue seahorse smiling at me
(solo) Little pink starfish, one two three
(solo) Scary white shark on a shopping spree
(solo) Curly green octopus making tea
That's what I saw swimming in the sea.
Swimming in the sea, swimming in the sea
What did I see, swimming in the sea?

(solo) Bottle green jellyfish, stinging like a bee
(solo) Bright blue seahorse smiling at me
(solo) Little pink starfish, one two three
(solo) Scary white shark on a shopping spree

(solo) Curly green octopus making tea
That's what I saw swimming in the sea.
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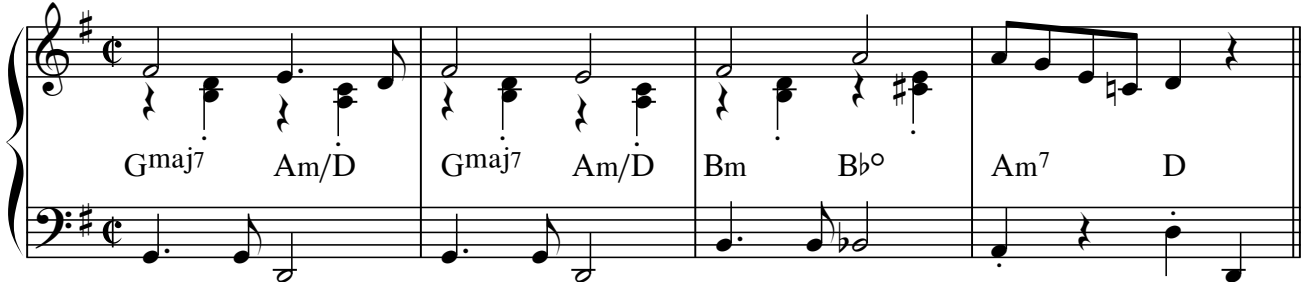
(Whistling outro)

Swimming in the sea

Music & lyrics
ITT and individuals
arr. Nick Hayes

♩ = 120 Swing

Piano



Chords: Gmaj7, Am/D, Gmaj7, Am/D, Bm, Bb°, Am7, D

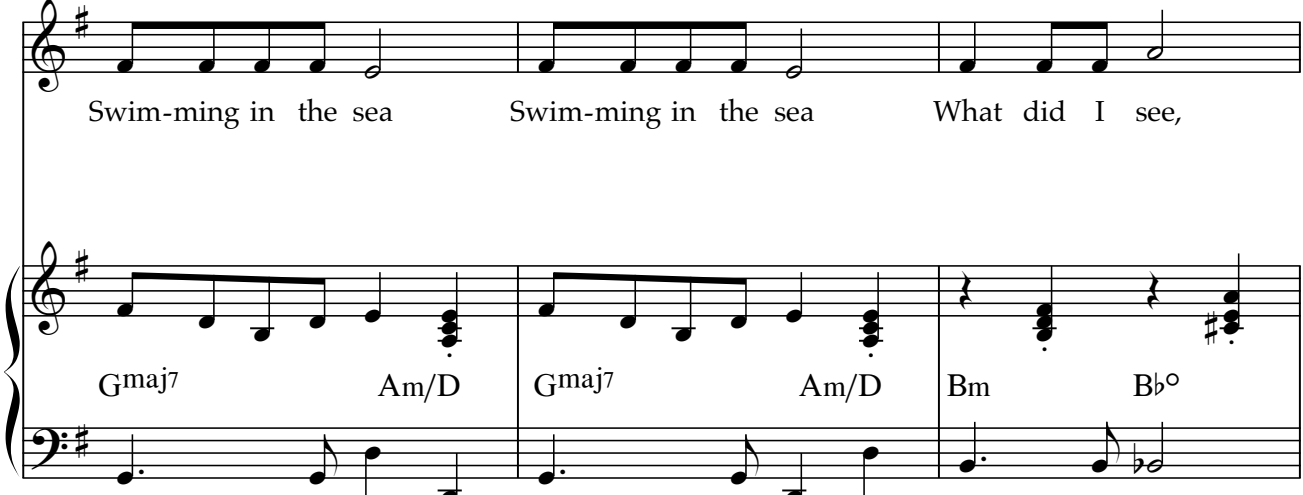
Detailed description: This block contains the piano introduction for the song. It is written in G major, 4/4 time, with a tempo of 120 beats per minute in a swing style. The score consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The treble staff contains a series of chords and some melodic fragments, while the bass staff provides a steady accompaniment. The chords are: Gmaj7, Am/D, Gmaj7, Am/D, Bm, Bb°, Am7, and D.

5 **Tutti** **Solo**

Voice

Swim-ming in the sea Swim-ming in the sea What did I see,

Pno.



Chords: Gmaj7, Am/D, Gmaj7, Am/D, Bm, Bb°


Detailed description: This block covers measures 5 through 7 of the song. It features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line starts with a 'Tutti' dynamic and then becomes 'Solo'. The lyrics are: 'Swim-ming in the sea Swim-ming in the sea What did I see,'. The piano accompaniment consists of two staves with chords: Gmaj7, Am/D, Gmaj7, Am/D, Bm, and Bb°.

8 **Solo** **Tutti**

Voice

swim-ming in the sea? Cur-ly green oct-o-pus mak-ing tea_ That's what I saw

Pno.



Chords: Am7, D

Detailed description: This block covers measures 8 through 10. The vocal line continues with 'swim-ming in the sea?' followed by a 'Solo' section with the lyrics 'Cur-ly green oct-o-pus mak-ing tea_' and ends with 'That's what I saw' in 'Tutti'. The piano accompaniment has chords Am7 and D in the first two measures, followed by a more active accompaniment for the rest of the block.

Swimming in the sea

12 (Tutti) solo

Voice

swim-ming in the sea Swim-ming in the sea Swim-ming in the sea What did I see,

Pno.

Gmaj7 Am/D Gmaj7 Am/D Bm Bb°

16 1. Solo 2. Solo

Voice

swim-ming in the sea? Scar-y white shark on a shop-ping spree Lit-tle pink star-fish,

Pno.

Am7 D

20 Solo 3. Solo

Voice

one two three Scar y white shark on a shop-ping spree Bright blue sea-horse

Pno.

Voice

smil-ing at me Lit-tle pink star-fish, one two three Scar-y white shark on a

Pno.

Voice

shop-ping spree Bot-tle green jel-ly-fish sting-ing like a bee Bright blue sea-horse

Pno.

Voice

smil-ing at me Lit-tle pink star-fish, one two three Scar-y white shark on a

Pno.

Swimming in the sea

Voice

shop-ping spree Swim-ming in the sea Swim-ming in the sea What did I see,

Pno.

5. Tutti Solo

Gmaj7 Am/D Gmaj7 Am/D Bm Bb°

Voice

20 swim-ming in the sea?

Pno.

Tutti : Whistling

Am⁷ D Gmaj7 Am/D Gmaj7 Am/D

Voice

23 Solo

What did I see, swim-ming in the sea?
That's what I saw swim-ming in the sea.

Pno.

Bm Bb° Am⁷ D Gmaj7