



# Mathematical Melodies



## Number Fanatics

Take a good look at the world today  
You'll see numbers being used in a million ways  
Wheels on bicycles and buses and cars  
All circles and without them you won't get very far

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Look out the window and you realize  
Someone thought carefully about its size  
They made a rectangle and they made it fit  
The hole in the wall they prepared for it

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Everything is made to measure  
Everything precisely fits  
Numbers are a builder's treasure  
Needs them in his bag of tricks

Take a look at the stairs and think about it  
They're all the same size so you don't trip  
Each floor just the right number of steps  
All of them identical in length, height and depth

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On your street there's an even side and an odd side too  
Counting up steps, skip-counting by two

2 4 6 8 10 12 14

1 3 5 7 9 11 13

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