



Sing along with Queensland Museum kids' books.

Come and Count the Butterflies

*One Ulysses
Swallowtail with wings
of brightest blue.*

*Look a bit closer –
He's staring at you!*

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*Two Varied Eggflies
splashed with different
spots.*

*The boy and the girl
can be sorted by their
dots.*

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*Three Large
Grass-yellows
resting in the sun.*

*Now count them
backwards
– three, two, one.*

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*Four Tailed Emperors
flying very high.*

*Cream and spotted
black wings
flashing through
the sky.*

*Five Orchard
Swallowtails
dancing in the sun.*

*See if you can chase
them and try to catch
one.*

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*Six Wanderer
Butterflies, their wings
are like a web.*

*Orange and black
flickering, just above
your head.*

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*Seven Cairns
Birdwings,
the boys are brilliant
green.*

*Their shiny, shimmering
wings are the best I've
seen.*

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*Eight Meadow Argus
fluttering near the
ground.*

*The spots on their
wings go round,
round, round!*

*Nine Blue Triangles
coloured blue and
brown.*

*Swooping left and right
– then upside down!*

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*Ten dancing butterflies,
can you count them
all?*

*Precious and beautiful,
even though they're
small.*