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Chant Title and Author: I Think I Can by Mary Beth Duffy

We just know what we've been told,
"I think I can" is so bold.
The Engine, Spider, and the Tortoise,
One and all, they really care.

Sound off- I think I can.
Sound off- Engine, Spider, Tortoise, and Me
Sound off- 1, 2, 3, 4 We all care!

Little Engine knew she could
Kept on trying and did good.
Spider went up the spout
With a smile, not a pout.

Sound off- I think I can.
Sound off- Engine, Spider, Tortoise, and Me
Sound off- 1, 2, 3, 4 We all care!

Tortoise took off and ran the race,
Steady, steady he kept the pace.
"I know I can," I said to me,
I'll finish strong, just wait and see.

Sound off- I think I can.
Sound off- Engine, Spider, Tortoise, and Me
Sound off- 1, 2, 3, 4 We all care!