Oldham Council Music Service and Music Centre



Year 2 Music at Home

Try these fun music activities at home. Colour each square in when you have completed the task.

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Sing along to your favourite song and add actions to it	Create a sequence of rhythms using names of people in your family. Choose a different body sound for each one	Find 6 household objects that make an interesting sound and compose a short sequence with them	Make an instrument out of items in your house. How many ways can you play it?	Play on a Music app on your device
Use the tune of Frere Jacques to write a song about things you can see from your window	Listen to 10 minutes of classical music on Youtube or on the radio (Classic FM)	Learn a new song (maybe try the "Out of the Ark @home" channel on Youtube)	Sing the "Dippy the Dinosaur" song http://gmmusichub.co.uk/projects/primary-schools-singing-challenge/	Design a completely new instrument on some paper and give it a name
Talk to someone in your family about their favourite music. What do you think of it?	Use something made of metal and something made of wood and explore the different sounds they make	Pretend to play your favourite instrument along to some music	Use your voice and body sounds to represent the things you play on at the park – slide, swings	Watch some ballet on youtube. Watch how the movements match the music
Sing in the shower or bath, as loudly as you can and then as quietly as you can	Learn a new clapping game/song. Your grown-up might know some from when they were at school!	Choose a song and sing it quickly and then slowly	Watch a musical film	Choose a sequence of body sounds to do to the beat of a song
Can you find some long sounds and short sounds in your house?	Write a list of all the musical words you know. These can be instruments, loud, quiet etc. Do you know what they all mean?	Choose a place e.g. rainforest or ocean and use your voice and objects in your house to create the sounds you would hear.	Make up a song about your most recent class topic to help you remember the facts	Add some sound effects to your favourite story or cartoon
Draw or paint a picture. Make up a song or compose some music about it. Use household objects, pasta shakers, metal spoons etc. if you haven't got a musical instrument at home.	Join in with Body Beats https://www.youtube.c om/watch?v=j4mZhv9 HS- g&feature=youtu.be	Make up a song to help you count in 5s and 10s	Listen to a piece of music from Africa and try to join in	Design a poster to advertise a concert at your school

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