

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 Every Brand New Day - Sing Sign™ (Signing Video) - YouTube) | Sing the “Dippy the Dinosaur” song Dippy's Explorers (no WO) - YouTube | 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 Name based Body Percussion activity from Beat Goes On - YouTube | 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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