

Elementary Music Virtual Learning

Kindergarten Rhythm



Kindergarten Music Lesson: April, 2020

Learning Target:

Students will read, speak and play rhythmic notation on a household instrument.

Background: Reading and Playing Rhythmic Notation

• Students will recall doing this earlier in the school year. Enjoy reviewing this skill and remember...practice makes perfect. So the more you do it, the better you will get!

Let's Get Started!

Stand or sit facing your chromebook.

RHYTHM REVIEW



These symbols WALK

MORE REVIEW



This symbol RUNS

PREPARE

We are going to use a household instrument to practice our rhythms today.

Go to the kitchen and find two metal spoons that you can gently tap together (the rounded part of each spoon that holds our food). This will be our "metal" family instrument today!



TIME TO PRACTICE!

Use your spoons to tap this rhythm. (each rhythm on each slide will total 4 beats)



NEW NOTE PRACTICE!



MORE PRACTICE!



MORE AND MORE PRACTICE!

Use your this 4 beaspoons to tap t rhythm.



PRACTICE! Getting Better?



I Bet You Are!!



Harder Yet?



But You CAN Do It!



SOMETHING NEW



Just a Little Harder...



This One is Easy...Don't Rush!



The Biggest Challenge!



GREAT JOB! NOW FOR THE BONUS...(challenge)

Go back to your kitchen and choose:

- 1. A pot you can turn upside down and a wooden spoon for a mallet (this would be your "drum" family)
- 2. Two wooden spoons that you can tap together (this would be your "wood" family)
- 3. A small zip lock baggie that you can put in it either:
 - i. Uncooked rice
 - ii. Uncooked dry beans
 - iii. Unpopped popcorn

(this would be your "shaker/scraper" family)

NOW GO BACK TO...

Slide #7 and use your pot (drum) to tap these rhythms with a wooden spoon.

Play through Slide #18 (or beginning to end of the practice rhythms).

REPEAT THE SAME PROCESS WITH:

- 1. Two wooden spoons for your "wood" family.
- 2. Baggie with dried goods for your "shaker/scraper" family (tapping baggie in your hand).



CONGRATULATIONS!!





After using all four of your "household" Instruments... You have played these 12 rhythms 4 time! That totals 48 times playing these rhythms.



You must certainly be a "PRO" musician by now.

HATS OFF TO YOU! Hope you had fun!