

Artist's Logbook



Artist Name: Sarah Atter

Art-form: Music

Activity Name: Writing My Own Song!

Instructions

Please include a list of equipment and supplies needed to complete your activity with a written step-by-step guide.

You will need:

Pen and Paper

For an extension;

Instruments (you could even make your own!)

How to:

1. Choose a song you know really well like 'Twinkle Twinkle Little Star'
2. Sing it all the way through
3. Work out how many syllables are in each line (watch the video for help with this!)
4. Rewrite each line of the song using your own words. Make sure you are using the same number of syllables in each line! You could also think about the lines which rhyme. The song can be about anything you like...





Twin-kle, Twin-kle Lit-tle Star
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ____

How I won-der what you are
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ____

Up a-bove the world so high
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ____

Like a dia-mond in the sky
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ____



Do-ing mu-sic is such fun
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ____

Ma-king songs you can't be glum
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ____

Do my Arts A-ward at home
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ____

Then I'll ne-ver want to moan
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ____

Extension activities

- If you have instruments at home, why not try playing your song. You could even try singing and playing together!
- You could even make your own instruments. Here are 52 examples!
<https://feltmagnet.com/crafts/Music-Instruments-for-Kids-to-Make>
- If you're feeling super creative, instead of basing your song on an existing piece of music, why not create your own piece of music as well as the lyrics!
- Why not record your piece of music and share it with friends and family? Get adult permission first before you do this!



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