



## 1st Grade Activities:

- Create your own instrument! Look around your house for items you could use to make an instrument. Toilet paper rolls, paper towel tubes, empty tissue boxes, empty shoe boxes, empty water bottles, rubber bands, popsicle sticks etc can make really cool instruments. Color them, paint them, decorate them, and design them however you'd like! (Example: an empty water bottle filled with rice or beads can make a great shaker.)
- Dance along to your favorite song and try and keep the beat.
- Have a karaoke night at home! Sing along to your favorite songs. See if you can keep the beat or figure out the rhythms.
- Sing through our songs from class or teach them to someone at home!

Engine #9	Bell Horses	I'm Gonna Wrap Myself in Paper
Gallump Went the Little Green Frog	A Tisket A Tasket	Doggie Doggie
1, 2 Tie My Shoe	Lemon Store	Grand Old Flag
Old Brass Wagon	Two Little Black Birds	Button You Must Wander

## Additional Music Resources Online

<https://musiclab.chromeexperiments.com/>

(Grades K-4)

This program has many options designed for children such as a song creator, a drum rhythm simulation, drawing to create music, creating melodies, playing with sound waves and more.

<https://www.classicsforkids.com/games.html>

(Grades 2-4)

This website has rhythm and note name practice, create your own song, instrument and composer exploration, and more.

<https://pbskids.org/games/music/>

(Grades K-1)

This website has games related to PBS children's show to explore music concepts. You can create your own instrument, join a parade, create music with a band, and practice patterns.

<https://www.brainpop.com/artsandmusic/>

(Grades 2-4)

This website has video lessons with accompanying activities, quizzes and games to teach students about musicians, instruments, composing music, and reading music.