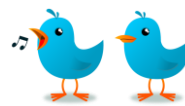


Home Education - Music and the Great Outdoors

Summer 2 Weeks 1 and 2



How is your music making going at home? Maybe you've discovered a new family favourite song recently? Did you have a go at making music with cutlery and with your pots and pans at home? Have you joined The Nordoff Robbins Community Choir with Emily?

The following music activities have an **outdoors theme**. Going outside and listening to the natural sounds all around us can help our sense of well-being.

A. Using our Voices

Begin your music session with a new

Hello Song!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tVlckp3bWH8>

Now warm up your voice with these songs

about frogs!



The Little Green Frog Song:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XyDOL_HTz3I

Five Little Speckled Frogs:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ff32P24IUCA>

When you go outside, be on the lookout for frogs! What sounds do frogs make?

B. Using our Bodies

Warm up our bodies: Go to

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NwT5oX_mqS
Q and Shake your Sillies Out!

Go to the **singalong section** of the Nordoff Robbins website

<https://www.nordoff-robbins.org.uk/singalong-packs/> **Hound Dog** is great fun to singalong to, to clap to and to swing from side to side! Explore the other songs about animals in this section of the website.



Can you hear any dogs barking?

C. Making Music

Go to The Nordoff Robbins site: <https://www.nordoff-robbins.org.uk/on-stage-at-home/> and join in with Louise on these videos. Watch the videos **"Big and Small, Loud and Quiet"** and **"When we Go Outside"**

Can you find these when you go outside?




Whistling birds

scrunchy leaves

buzzing bee

tapping twigs

tapping stones

Remember that the  icon in the bottom right hand corner of your screen is a good way to slow down You Tube videos. A reminder to check out the **English Touring Opera** who have great music workshops for children with SEN: <http://englishtouringopera.org.uk/news/online-workshops-for-children-with-send/> Their workshops run weekly online at 11 am on Wednesdays but if this time isn't convenient, you can access recordings on their site later. **Enjoy your music making and listening to the wonderful sounds all around us!**