



Auxilium Education Coaching presents: Let's get moving to the music

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Music day: parts of music, genre of music, and favorite artist

Supplies- access to the internet, notebook or paper and pencil to take notes, space to dance

1. What are the basics of music theory - Don't worry parents...I am attaching websites/YouTube videos that will give the kiddos the basics.
 - a. How to read music: YouTube video - If you have a piano, you can continue watching past minute 9. If not, you can stop the video. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tj34qrl43Jo&feature=youtu.be>
Also look at: <https://www.khanacademy.org/humanities/music/music-basics2>
 - b. Here is a sample outline that you can use to talk with your kiddos about music or they can use it to take notes
 - i. Clefs
 - ii. Staff
 - iii. Notes
 1. Value
 2. Note - what it indicates:
 - a. Treble: E, G, B, D, F and F, A, C, E
 - b. Base: A, F, D, B, G and A, C, E, G
 3. Sharps and Flats and naturals
 - iv. What is the difference between base and treble clef?
 - c. Talk about what you learned together
 - i. What are notes?
 - ii. What are the different values of notes - whole, half, quarter, etc.
 - iii. Basics of reading music
 - d. Genres of music: look at the websites and have your child pick their favorite genre. If these sites don't have their favorite genre, continue the research to figure out what their favorite type of music is. <https://www.musicgenreslist.com> (This list is quite extensive and will have a lot of information.)
<https://research.google.com/bigpicture/music/> (This is a very cool interactive timeline of music, but may be less helpful than the previous website.)
 - i. Which genre is your favorite?
 1. Can you explain why?
 2. Can you list your favorite artists?
 - a. Who are they?
 - b. What are some songs that are examples of these types of music?
 - c. How does this music make you feel?
 - d. Get up and dance...find a safe space to take the music that you found and DANCE - even if it's in your living room.
 - e. Extra challenge: what is your parent's or care giver's favorite music? Have them dance with you to your favorite music and to their favorite music!

Get up and move...and enjoy with your kiddos!

Activity continuation:

1. <https://www.broadwayworld.com/article/Met-Opes-To-Launch-Free-Nightly-Streams-During-Coronavirus-Closure-20200313>
2. This is a good one for younger kiddos: <https://www.lionking.com/education>

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