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Cultivating Changemakers

LIVE LESSON 8:

The Sounds of Change

**WEDNESDAY, 6TH DECEMBER
12:00**

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Quote of the Week



'Music is a moral law. It gives soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination, and charm and gaiety to life and to everything.'

Plato

Greek philosopher

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WHAT DOES THE QUOTE MEAN TO YOU?

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When do you listen to music?

A

WORKING

B

WALKING

C

ALWAYS

d

HARDLY
EVER

E

TO DANCE

f

TO COOK

How does music make you feel?

- *It makes me happy*
- *It makes me sad*
- *It amplifies the emotion I'm feeling*
- *It helps me feel a different emotion*
- *It makes me feel*

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How do these songs make you feel?

Wonderful World - Louis Armstrong

This is America- Childish Gambino



Born this Way - Lady Gaga

Get up, Stand up - Bob Marley

Testify -RATM

***We're going to take a closer look at a
new release***

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We Tried- Louise Harris

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Before we listen

A What do you think this song could be about?

B Do you ever feel like you've tried but nothing you seems to do works?

C ***“The world is changing all the time
And you know it ain't right”***

What does this lyric make you feel?

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Music holds a unique power

WHILE WE LISTEN -

THINK ABOUT WHICH WORDS EVOKE EMOTIONS AND WHY

[VERSE]

THE WORLD IS CHANGING ALL THE TIME
AND YOU KNOW IT AIN'T RIGHT
YEAH, I KNOW YOU THINK TWICE
AND LOVE, IT TAKES YOU ON A RIDE
AND LEAVES YOU WITH NO RESPITE
WELL I THINK I'VE DONE MY TIME

[PRE-CHORUS]

BUT I
I DON'T WANT TO CRY

[CHORUS]

SO TAKE ME WHERE THE BLUEBIRDS SING
WHILE WE LOSE EVERYTHING
THERE'S TOO MUCH POISONING
AND FLY ME WHERE THE BIRDS STILL FLY
'CAUSE SMOKE FILLS UP OUR SKY
'CAUSE WE RAN OUT OF TIME
OH WELL, WE TRIED

[VERSE]

WELL MAYBE THIS WAS MEANT TO BE
A MOTHER WANTED PEACE
AND WE WERE NOT CONCEIVED
OR MAYBE WE WERE MEANT TO WIN
BUT NOT ENOUGH GOOD DROWNED OUT THE SIN
THEY WATCHED THE WORLD CAVE IN

[PRE-CHORUS]

BUT I
I DON'T WANT TO CRY

[CHORUS]

SO TAKE ME WHERE THE BLUEBIRDS SING
WHILE WE LOSE EVERYTHING
THERE'S TOO MUCH POISONING
AND FLY ME WHERE THE BIRDS STILL FLY
'CAUSE SMOKE FILLS UP OUR SKY
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We Tried- Songversation

A

WHERE WOULD YOU LIKE ME TO TAKE YOU?

So take me where the bluebirds sing

B

While we lose everything

C

There's too much poisoning

d

And fly me where the birds still fly

E

'Cause smoke fills up our sky

f

'Cause we ran out of time

Oh well, we tried

INTERVIEW WITH PLANET MC

A

Where do you think PlanetMC lives?

**B**

What type of music do you think he uses in education?



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Interview

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1. How did PlanetMC get into rap?
2. How old was he as an adult getting into rap?
3. How has environmental rap changed his life?
4. How has it made him feel?
5. What are his favourite things about hip hop?



The Activists Aerobics

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Artificial animals isn't that amazing?
Analytically, they can help mitigate things.

Broken promises are made almost daily
Building up hope, basically that's trickery

Knowingly we create catastrophes, casualties
Cashing their cheques while some cultures are collapsing

Donate a dime a day doin' what is good,
Demonstrations, out doing what they should!

Eatin' all the animals of each and every element,
Next on the menu, marinated elephant?

Furious fat cats finking they're fantastic
Fossil fuels fees still funding the fanatics

Go, make global goals be glorious
Workin' greatly on our game V the goriest.

Who's this guy? Is he high or hysterical
Hey Harry here hints go holla at the haters!

Imbiciles idolize, we initiate
If we don't soon our lives, are in a right state.

Just in my jams like when confined, makin' rhymes
Just me, unjustly, ridin' my journeys

Kindly I'm learning from each kind of person,
Changemaking kids round the kingdom

Let 'em live a long life, physically, mentally
Live their lessons not learn them by memory

Mild manners to move all the masses
Marvelous moves, many mock we're askin'

Nature's not knowin' our help nationally
We should be doing more things naturally

Government and opposition, all, oppressional
What they want, when they want, call us radical

Perfected prose, pickin' on picket lines
Every single minister up to the prime

Quick fake quotes keep quiet, don't want em
Deniers keep just fueling the combustion

Really rad kids, risin' up rapidly
Gunna be changing our whole society

Super scientific men are fraught
drilling for fossil fuels must be stopped

Take the folk, we see at the top
ADNOC, big boss, takes on the COP

Universally, each untouched
Under privileged, the rawest cut

Brexit vote victory invalid
Violate our rights then bam watch 'em vanish

Why would we, wanna dig that ditch?
To grow in some soil, organically rich

Tick-tock, the sixth extinction goes, extra fast

Exponential is how the threat grows

You're the ones, you can, open your jaws
Yesterday's gone this time is yours

Big Bad zombies, hate zoology Zealots
Net-zero in their thoughts, offsetting's a tick box

Ali's thoughts!



Don't just listen to music, Really listen to music.

Feel music, let music make you feel.

Engage with music and see where it takes you.

Let us know what you think

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This series on Renewable English

— What is a Changemaker?

— The Business of Caring

Give Change Sporting Change

— The Art of Changemaking

— If you need it, make it!

— Changing the Narrative

— Fashion, but Greener

— The sounds of change

More than Ok Boomers

School, Life and Changemaking

Empowering Future Changemakers