

Marching Rhythms

for creating your own marching song

Rhythms

We've taken our rhythms from last week, and broken them up into pieces...

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|---|--|--|--|---|--|--|--|
| x | | | | x | | | |
| 1 | | | | 2 | | | |

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|---|--|--|--|--------|--|-----|--|
| x | | | | x | | x | |
| 1 | | | | Quick- | | -ly | |

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|---|--|--|------|-----|--|-------|--|
| x | | | x | x | | x | |
| I | | | like | ice | | cream | |

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|-----|--|-----|--|-----|--|--|--|
| x | | x | | x | | | |
| Hey | | hey | | hey | | | |

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|---|--|------|------|--|--------|--|-----|
| x | | x | x | | x | | x |
| I | | love | dru- | | -mming | | and |

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|-----|--|-----|--|-----|-----|--|--|
| x | | x | | x | x | | |
| One | | too | | ma- | -ny | | |

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|-----|--|--|------|--|--|------|--|
| x | | | x | | | x | |
| ba- | | | -na- | | | -nas | |



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Activities to try...

You can use any percussion instrument to play these rhythms — even your body!

Feeling Unsure? 😐

- Try playing along with the video until you feel confident playing each rhythm clearly
- Try using different sounds and instruments for each rhythm

Feeling Confident? 😊

- Try putting together two rhythms, to make one, new, longer rhythm
- Try adding and changing the sounds
- If you are in a group, could you play different rhythms at the same time to create layers?

Feeling Very Confident? 😄

- Can you put together more rhythms? What combinations and patterns do you like best?
- Can you change the sounds for different parts of each rhythm you create?
- If you are in a group, could you play different rhythms at the same time to create layers?

