





# April



 <b>Miss you all!!! Keep singing and moving to the beat!</b> <b>Mrs. McHenry</b>	<b>Visit on the web:</b> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cPZtuPyXRfw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cPZtuPyXRfw</a> to hear Pete Seeger sing and read his musical story, "Abiyoyo". This one is found in our music curriculum in second grade.	<b>1</b> <b>←---See activity in previous box for today.</b>	<b>2 Musical Bingo@ Home</b> Use your musical bingo board and start playing with your family. If you have internet access, go to some of the links and complete those games & activities for fun.	<b>3 Magnet Game:</b> You are magnetic. Your body is stuck to the ground. Turn on your favorite song and try to get your body off the ground part by part to the beat of the music.
<b>6</b> 	<b>7</b> <b>SPRING</b>	<b>8</b> <b>BREAK</b>	<b>9</b> <b>WEEK- get outside &amp;</b>	<b>10</b> <b>Sing while you play!</b>
<b>13 Homemade Shakers:</b> Take an empty plastic Easter egg and put a teaspoon of rice or sand inside. Tape it closed with duct tape. Voila! Your own egg shaker to make music!	<b>14 Learn a song: "Circle Round the Zero":</b> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l2Gy-06zZsg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l2Gy-06zZsg</a> This song is not only fun for singing but has a great singing game we can learn together later!	<b>15 Air Band Freeze:</b> Freeze dance but with air instruments! Guitars, trumpets, drums, everything else!	<b>16 Head, Shoulders, Knees &amp; Toes:</b> Sing Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes. Can you speed up? When you change the speed, you are changing the <i>tempo</i> !	<b>17 Old MacDonald's Singing Farm:</b> Sing the song using the following animals & sounds: Kitty: "Meow", Owl: "Hoo Hoo", Monkey: "Oo, Oo," Wolf: Howl.
<b>20 Balancing on One Leg:</b> Have student balance on one leg, then the other, up on toes.	<b>21 Shower Sounds:</b> Did you know the bathroom in your house has the best acoustics for singing? GO and sing "If You're Happy & You Know It" in your shower and listen to the sound. Awesome!	<b>22 March King:</b> Hum your favorite song while marching in place.	<b>23 Musical Kitchen:</b> Put 2 spoons together back to back and tape the handle to create an instrument that clacks.	<b>24 Game On!</b> Visit <a href="http://sfskids.org/">http://sfskids.org/</a> (You will have to enable Adobe Flash to run.)
<b>27 Musical Alphabet:</b> Can you name a song or an instrument that begins with every letter of the alphabet? I'll get you started: A= accordion	<b>28 Musical Stories You can Sing:</b> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C6ljGXMMB-g">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C6ljGXMMB-g</a> "Over in the Meadow"	<b>29 Music Tracing:</b> Can you write the word MUSIC in the air with your finger/ How about your whole hand? Now elbows? Try it with your feet lying down!	<b>30 Looking for a great book with a musical hook?</b> Check out: "The Maestro Plays" by Bill Martin, Jr. and Vladimir Radunsky .	

**\*\*Email Mrs. McHenry with pictures of you or your family singing, freeze dancing or playing home made instruments.**

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