

80 SONGS CHILDREN SING



A Collection by Michael Stocks for The Voices Foundation

Songs Children Sing

A Collection for Teachers (Courses)

ALPHABETICAL CONTENTS

A goblin lives in our house

Alice, the camel Bala, bala, bala Bells in the steeple

Biddy, biddy Blow ye winds

Can you tap this rhythm?
Can you tap your shoulders?
Chest, chest, knee, toe
Chop, chop, choppety chop

Clap your hands Dance to your Daddy

Ding, dong, I've got the rhythm Do you want a chocolate ice?

Doggie, doggie Double, double Emeline

Engine, engine Four white horses Good News!

Have you brought your talking voice?

Have you ever, ever, ever?

Hello, how are you? Here I come (Lemonade) Hey, hey, look at me

Hey there!

Hi, can you hear me?

Hickety Tickety High, low, chickalow

Hill 'n Gully

I gave my love a cherry
I have lost the cupboard key

I want to go to....

I, I, me oh my (pie song)

I've a grey mare Jack-in-the-box

Janey

John, the blacksmith

Jump Jim Joe La, la, la, la, la Lavender's Blue

Listen, listen, here I come

Little Arabella Miller
Little Johnny dances
Little Sally Saucer
Magic fingers

Michael row the boat My strange body Naka, naka, hoi Now the day is over

Obsiwana Oh, won't you sit down?

Once a man fell
One little candle
Pease pudding hot
Rain on the green grass

Rain, rain

Row, boys (girls), row Sawubona Masithole

Snail, snail

Snow in the night Spinning top Summer Goodbye Teddy Bear

There was a tailor

The keys of Canterbury

There was an old woman

This is how a drummer boy (girl)

This old hammer This old man Tingalayo

Touch your shoulders

Walk Daniel We can sing high Who has it?

Wild and running horses Willum, he had seven sons Winds through the olive trees Yes, we are going on the train

Young Peter, the fiddler

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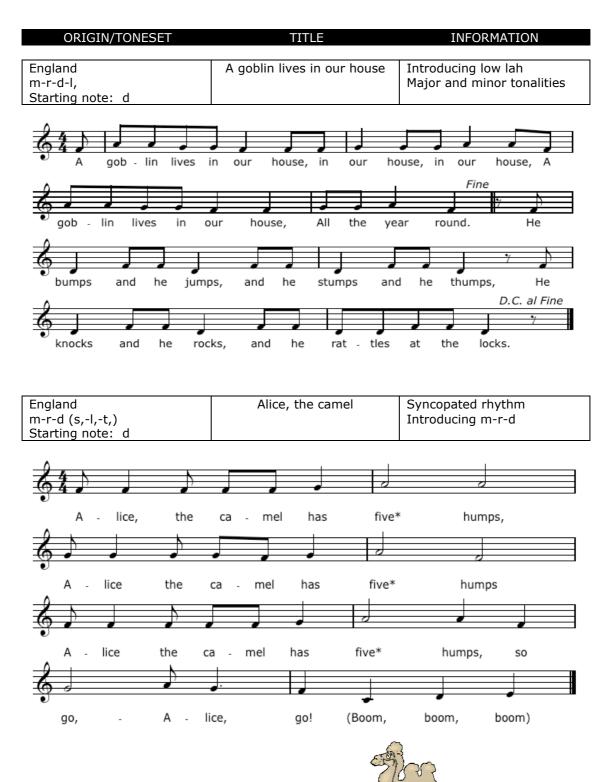
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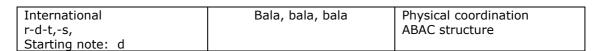
Who has it ?	(as chosen)
Chop, choppety chop	Chant
Double, double	Chant
Hey there !	Chant
Clap your hands	d'-l-s
Tingalayo	d'-t-l-s-f-m-r-d
9 ,	d'-t-l-s-f-m-r-d-t,
Young Peter, the fiddler	
Hickety Tickety	d-l,-s,
High, low, chickalow	d-l,-s,
Pease pudding hot	f-m-r-d
My strange body	f-m-r-d-l,-s,
Little Johnny dances	f-m-r-d-t,-l,
Willum, he had seven sons	f-m-r-d-t,-l,
Jump Jim Joe	f-m-r-d-t,-l,-s,
Do you want a chocolate ice ?	l-s
I've a grey mare	l-s-f-m-r-d
Lavender's Blue	l-s-f-m-r-d
Obsiwana	l-s-f-m-r-d
This old man	l-s-f-m-r-d
Winds through the olive trees	l-s-f-m-r-d
La, la, la, la	l-s-f-m-r-d-t,-l,-s,
Doggie, doggie	l-s-m
John, the blacksmith	l-s-m
Little Sally Saucer	l-s-m
Rain, rain	l-s-m
Row, boys (girls), row	l-s-m
Snail, snail	l-s-m
Chest, chest, knee, toe	l-s-m-r-d
Engine, engine	l-s-m-r-d
Janey	l-s-m-r-d
Michael row the boat	l-s-m-r-d
I want to go to	l-s-m-r-d-l,
Hill 'n Gully	l-s-m-r-d-l,-s,
I gave my love a cherry	l-s-m-r-d-l,-s,
There was a tailor	m'-r'-d'-t-l-s-m
Walk Daniel	m-d-l,
Ding, dong, I've got the rhythm	m-r-d
Good News!	m-r-d
Have you ever, ever, ever?	m-r-d
I have lost the cupboard key	m-r-d
Alice, the camel	m-r-d (t,-ls,)
A goblin lives in our house	m-r-d-Ì,
There was an old woman	m-r-d-l,
This old hammer	m-r-d-l,
Yes, we are going on the train	m-r-d-l,
Oh, won't you sit down?	m-r-d-l,-s,
One little candle	m-r-d-t,-l,
The keys of Canterbury	m-r-d-t,-l,
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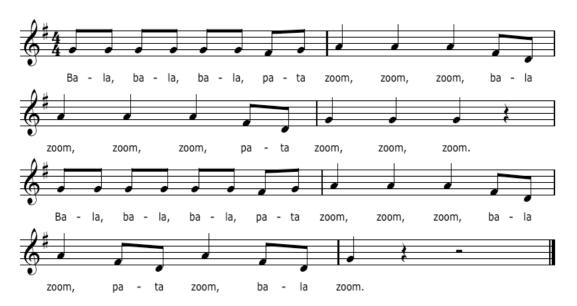
Wild and running horses Four white horses Snow in the night Bala, bala, bala Rain on the green grass Biddy, biddy Now the day is over Once a man fell Sawubona Masithole Summer Goodbye Emeline Blow ye winds Have you brought your talking voice? Hello, how are you? Here I come (Lemonade) Hey, hey, look at me I, I, me oh my (pie song) Magic fingers Touch your shoulders Bells in the steeple Can you tap this rhythm? Can you tap your shoulders? Hi, can you hear me? Jack-in-the-box Spinning top Teddy Bear This is how a drummer boy (girl) Listen, listen, here I come Little Arabella Miller Naka, naka, hoi	m-r-d-t,-l, m-r-d-t,-l,-s, m-r-d-t,-l,-s,-m, r-d-t,-s, s-d s-f-m-r-d s-f-m-r-d s-f-m-r-d s-f-m-r-d-t,-l,-s, s-f-m-r-d-t,-s, s-m s-m s-m s-m s-m s-m-d s-m-r-d s-m-r-d s-m-r-d
Dance to your Daddy	s-m-r-d-l,-t,-s,-m
We can sing high	s-m-r-d-s,

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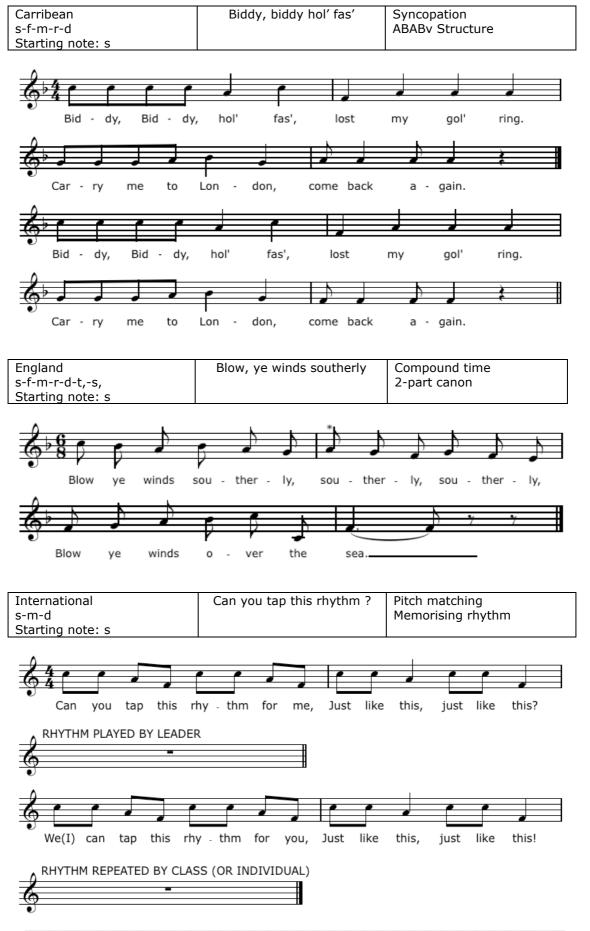


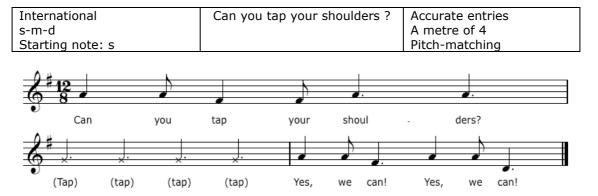
England
Starting note: d

Bells in the steeple
A metre of 3
Melodic shape

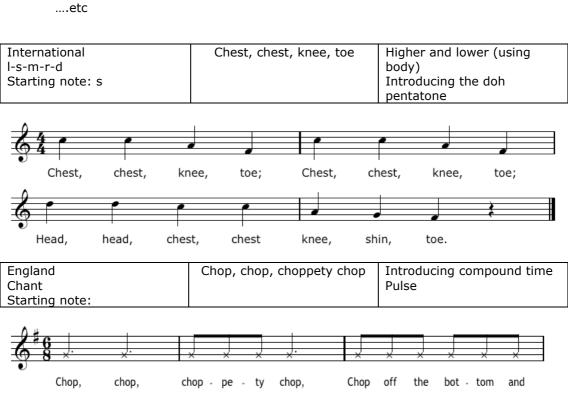








- 2. Can you tap your knees?
- 3. Can you tap your head?



What there is left we will put in the pot;

Making soup: chopping vegetables Making fruit salad: chopping fruit

chop off the top.

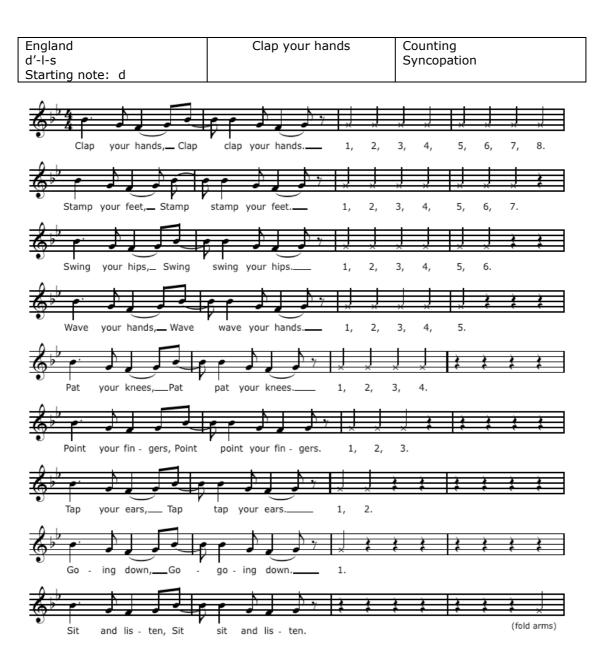
Making a stew: chopping meat and vegetables

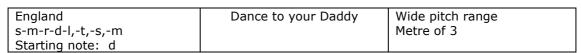


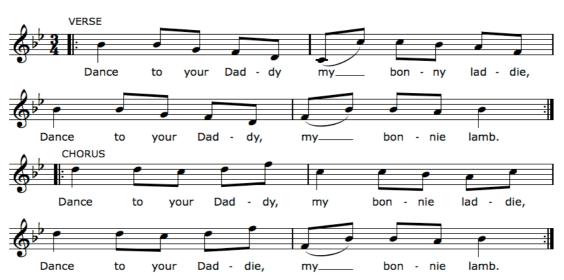
Chop, chop,

chop- pe - ty chop.

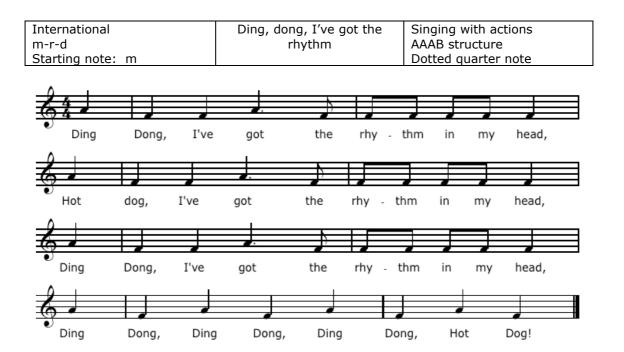


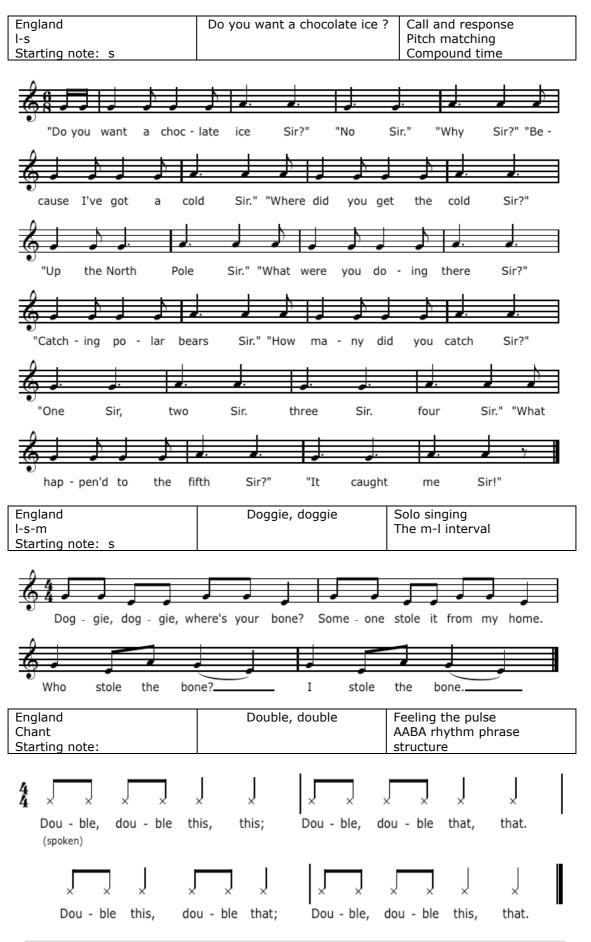


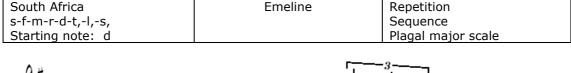




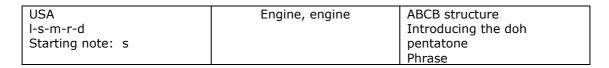
You shall have a fishy on a little dishy,
 You shall have a fishy and some bread and jam.
 CHORUS













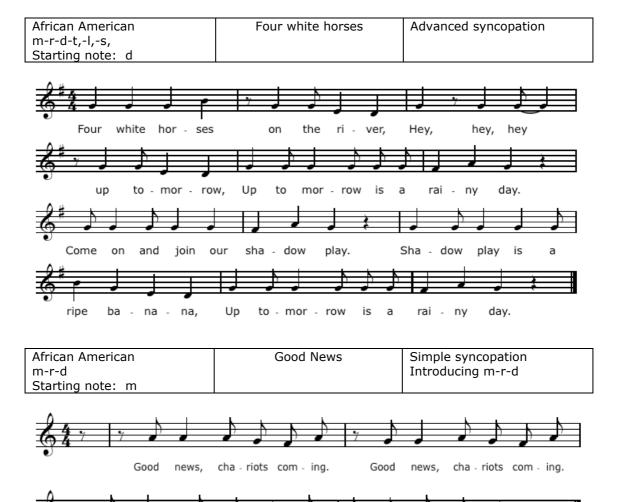
En gine, En gine, num ber nine, Run ning on the Lon don line.



If she's pollished, how she'll shine, Engine, Engine, number nine.

 Engine, engine, number nine, Running on the London line.
 If the train goes off the track Do you want your money back?





1. Good news, Peter's waiting......

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news,

Good

2. Good news, Goin' to heaven......

International Speaking and singing Starting note: s	Have you brought your?	Finding the singing voice Distinguishing types of voice
CALL	RESPONSE	
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Have you brought your	talk ing voice? Yes, we	have! Yes, we have!
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Have you brought your wh	is p'ring voice? Yes, we h	nave! Yes, we have!
Have you brought your sir	ng ing voice? Yes, we h	nave! Yes, we have!

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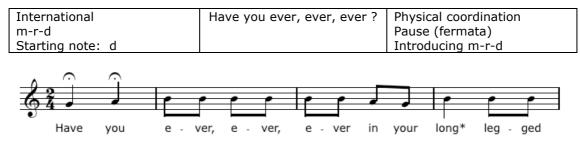
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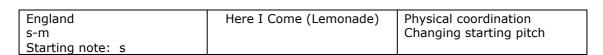


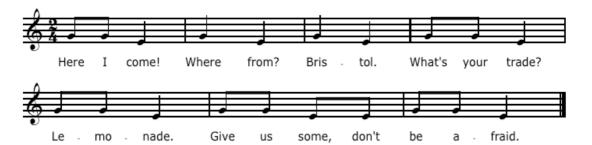


- 1. Have you ever, ever, ever in your short-legged life?
- 2.one-legged
- 3.bow-legged
- 4.cross-legged
- 5.hairy-legged

International	Hello, how are you?	Pitch-matching and solo
s-m		singing
Starting note: s		Higher and lower





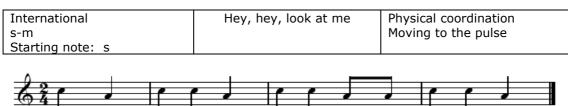


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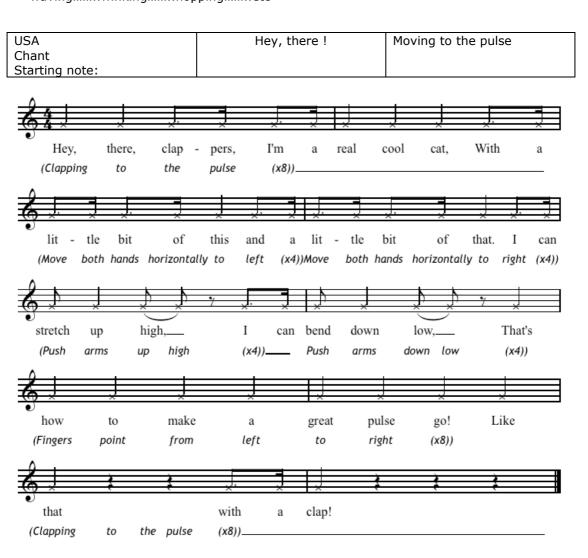
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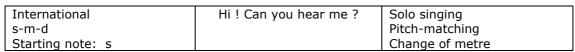
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Неу,

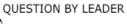




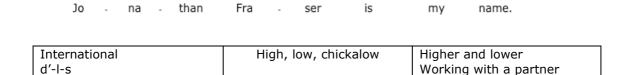




International	Hickety, tickety	Pitch matching
d-I,-s,		Solo singing
Starting note: d		

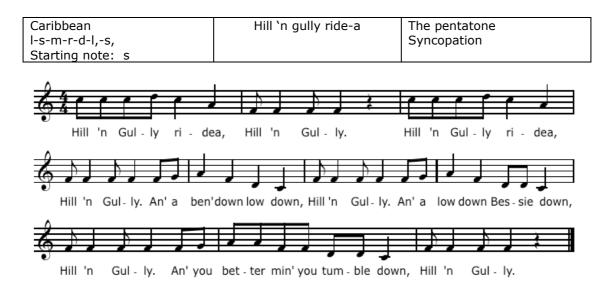


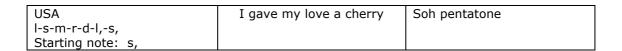


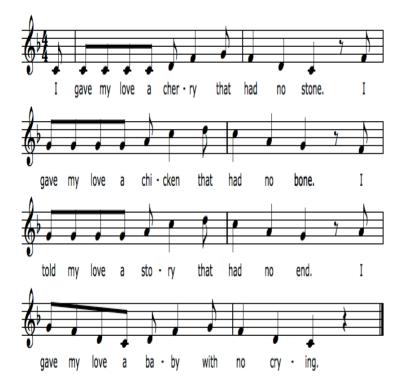




Starting note: d'

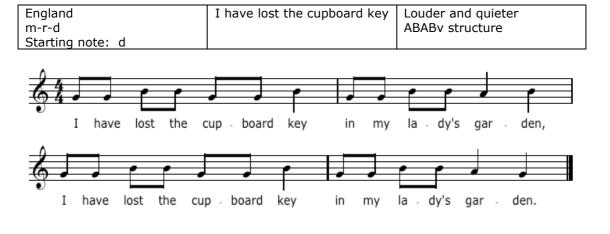


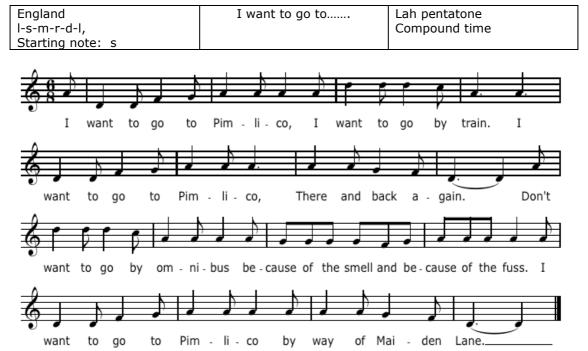




- 2. How can there be a cherry which has no stone? How can there be a chicken which has no bone? How can there be a story which has no end? How can there be a baby she's no cryin'?
- 3. A cherry when it's blooming, it has no stone A chicken when it's hatching, it has no bone

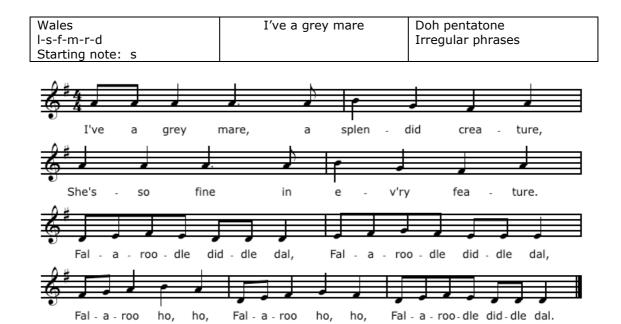
The story that I love you, it has no end A baby when she's sleeping, she's no cryin'.



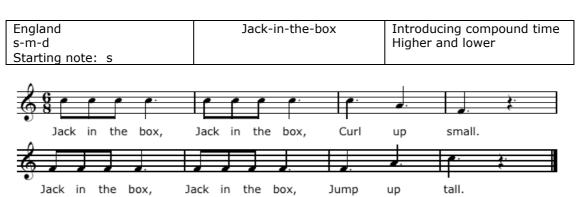


I want to go to Zanzibar, I want to go by train,
I want to go to Zanzibar, there and back again.
Don't want to go by hovercraft because of the wing and because of the draught.
I want to go to Zanzibar, without such stress and strain.

International s-m Starting note: s				I, I, me oh my		Solo singing Simple rhythm Introducing s-m				
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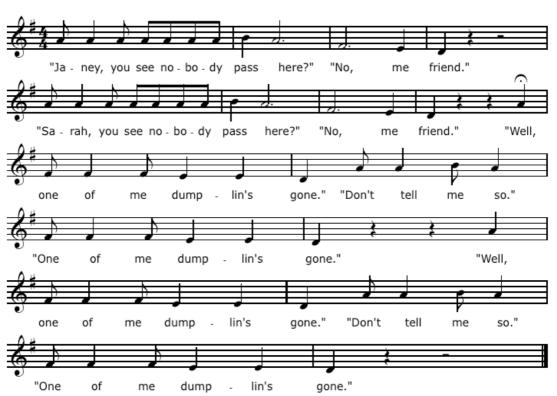


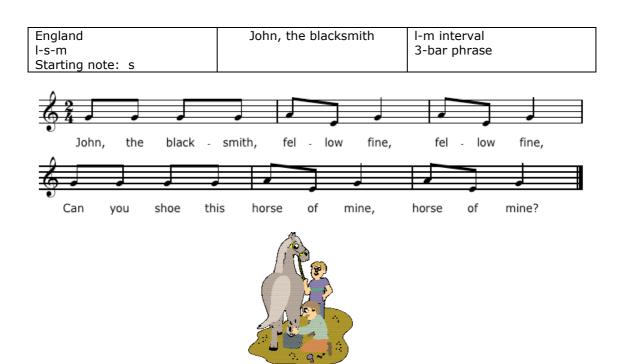


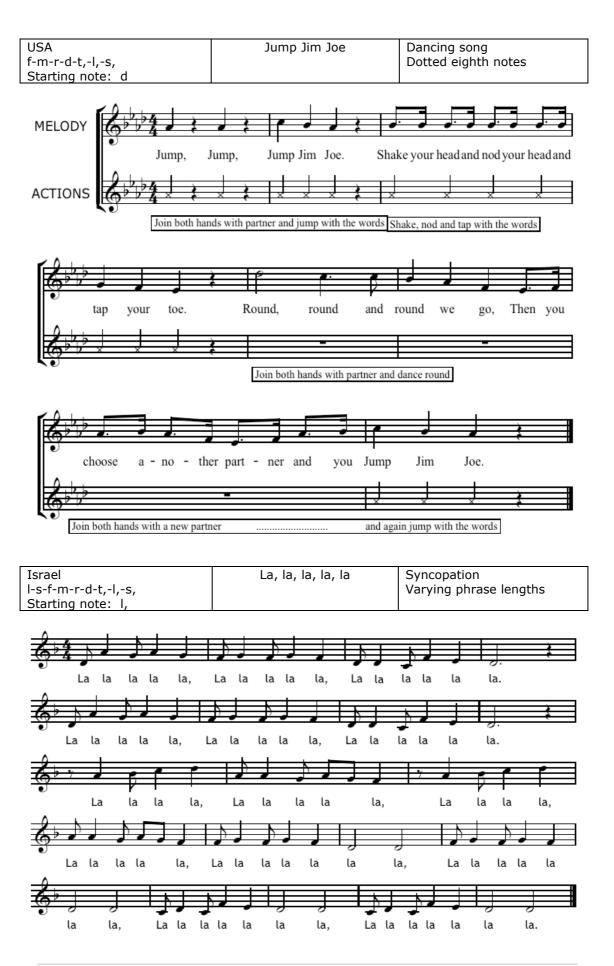




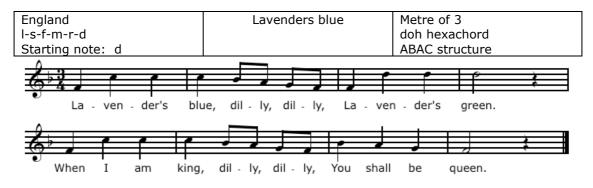




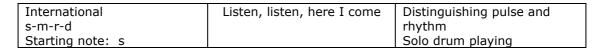






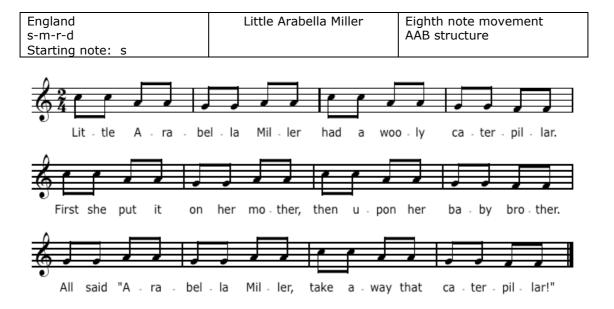


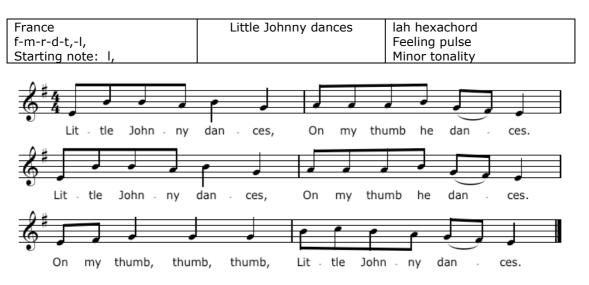
3. Roses are red, dilly, dilly, violets are blue, Now you love me, dilly, dilly, I will love you.



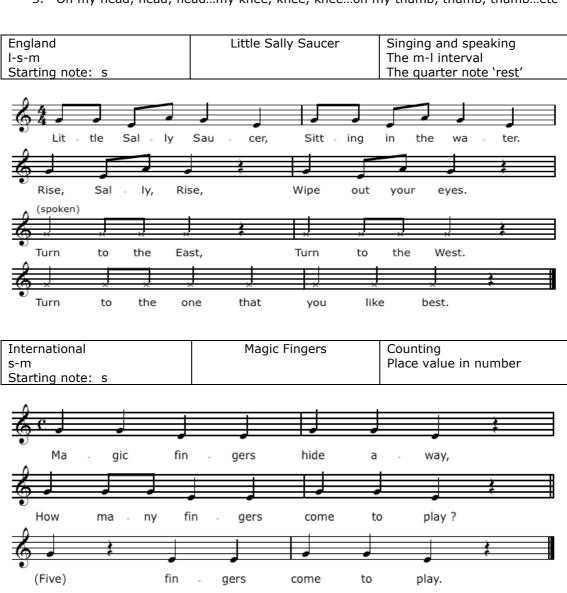


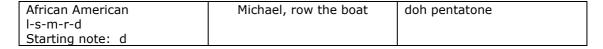
Lis ten, lis ten, hear I come, Some one special gets the drum.





- 2. On my knee, knee, knee...on my thumb, thumb
- 3. On my head, head, head...my knee, knee, knee...on my thumb, thumb, thumb...etc







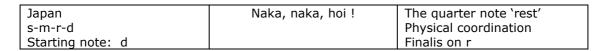
- 2. Sister help to trim the sail, Allelujah, Sister help to trim the sail, Allelujah.
- 3. The River Jordan is deep and wide, Allelujah, Milk and honey on the other side, Allelujah.
- 2. Jordan's river is chilly and cold, Allelujah, Chills the body but not the soul, Allelujah.
- 2. Michael, row the boat ashore, Allelujah, Michael, row the boat ashore, Allelujah.





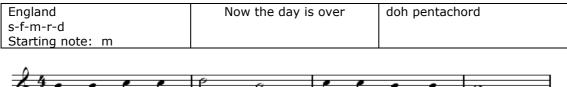






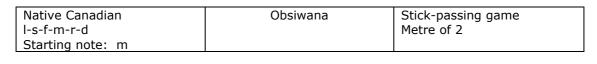


2. 'Naka' becomes 'soto'; 'soto' becomes 'naka'.





2. Now the darkness gathers, Stars their watches keep, Birds and beasts and flowers soon will be asleep.







Peace be with you (translation).



African American

m-r-d-l,-s,
Starting note: s,

Oh, won't you sit down?

Advanced syncopation

Da Capo al Fine

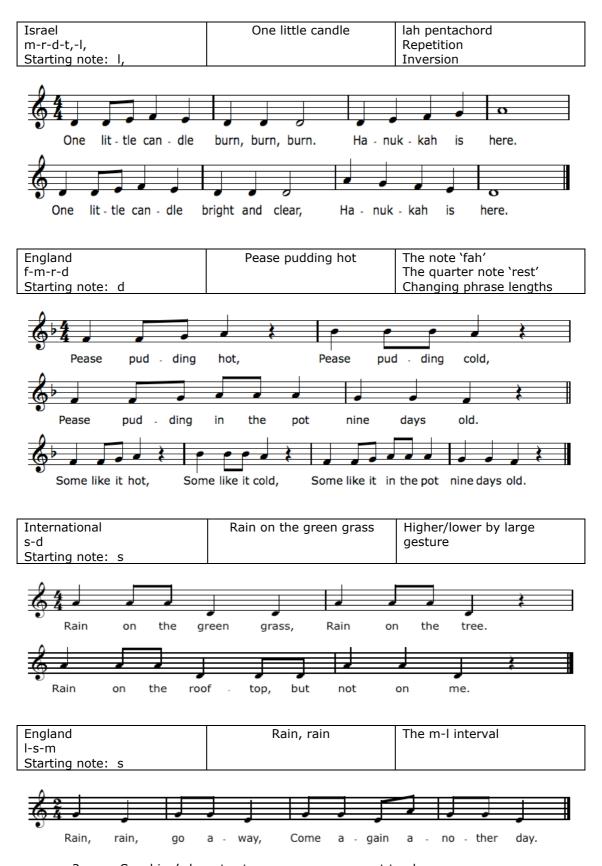
AAVAB chorus ABAB verse



- 2. Who's that yonder, dressed in blue ?
 Must be the children a-comin' through.
 Who's that yonder, dressed in black ?
 Must be the children a-comin' back.
- 3. Who's that yonder, dressed in green?
 Must be Ezekiel in his flyin' machine.
 Who's that yonder, dressed in pink?
 Must be Solomon a-tryin' to think.



2. Once a man fell off a cliff, walking with his daughter, Found himself a-tumbling down, splash into the water.



England Row, boys (girls), row Metre of two I-s-m The quarter note 'rest' Starting note: Changing phrase lengths Row, boys(girls), row, Up the go, Long pull, pull, Row, boys, row. strong s-m-d Sawubona, Masithole Solo singing Starting note: s Chang of metre bo le. Sawu na, Ma si tho Sawu bo na, Good morn ing, Ма si tho le. Good morn ing, si tho- le. Sawu - co -Ма tho le. Ма na, si Ма tho - le. Good morn - ing Ма tho si le. ZULU **ENGLISH** ACTIONS Yebo ma diamini. And how are you, my dear friend? (shake hands) Uphumaphi Masithole ? Where have you come from, my friend? (standing) Ngiphum' edolobheni. Oh, I have come from the town. (standing) Bowuyothengani na ? And did you buy anything? (standing) Bengiyotheng'isqoko. A lovely hat I did buy. (standing) Sibiza malini na ? What did it cost, my dear friend? (standing) Sibiz' ishumlopondo. It cost me ten pounds, my friend. (standing) Imal' engaka, Masithole. You must be rich, my dear friend. (show amazement) Ngiyazisebenzela. I have been working so hard. (show pride - tap on chest) Ang'sakufun' Masithole. Don't like you, Masithole. (hold hands to reject) Waza sidans' Masithole. Oh, come and dance now, my friend. (both dance) International Snail, snail Moving to a slower pulse I-s-m Moving by step Starting note: s Simple time rhythm



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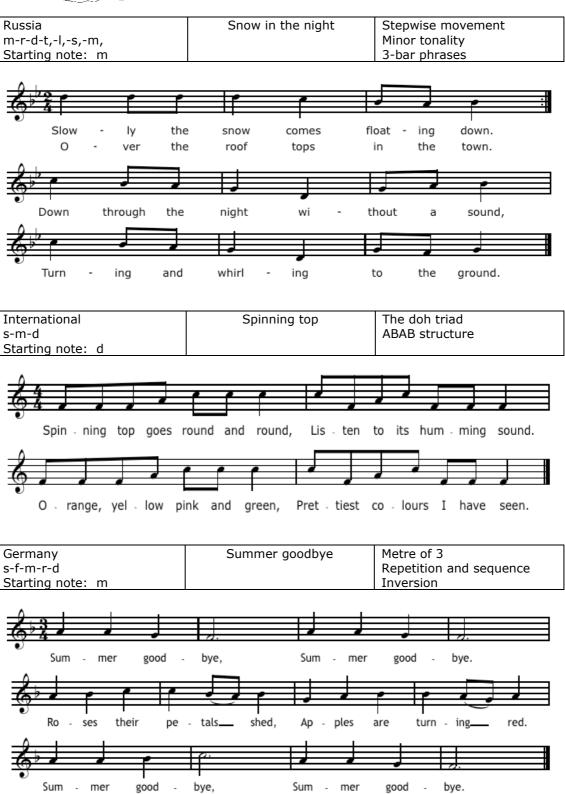
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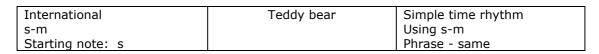
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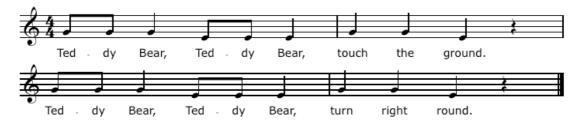
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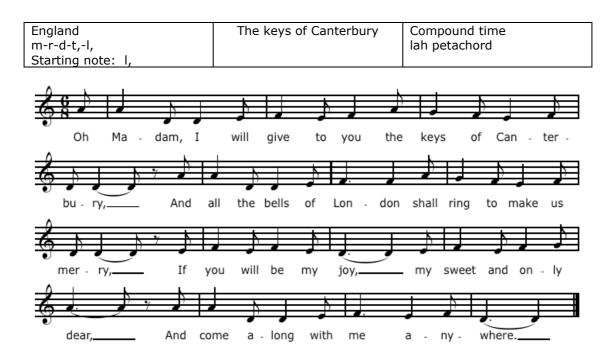




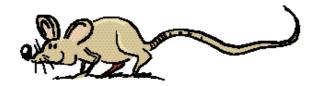




- 2. Teddy bear, teddy bear, climb the stairs, Teddy bear, teddy bear, say your prayers.
- Teddy bear, teddy bear, switch off the light,
 Teddy bear, teddy bear, say good night.
 (s m d)



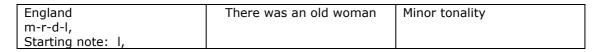
 Oh Madam, I will give to you a beautiful new gown, And, for your dreams and comfort, a bed of softest down. If you will be my joy, my sweet and only dear, And come along with me anywhere.



Scotland? There was a tailor Minor tonality Tonal shift
Starting note: m'

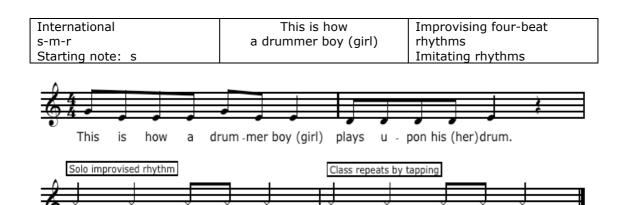


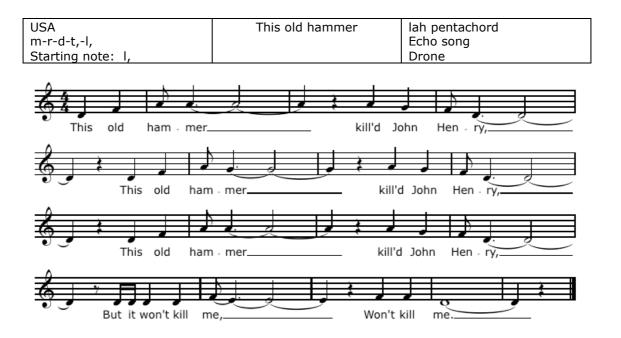
- 2. The tailor had a tall silk hat, etc. The mouse he ate it, fancy that, etc. CHORUS
- 3. The tailor chased him o'er the lea, etc.
 The last of that mouse he ever did see, etc.
 CHORUS



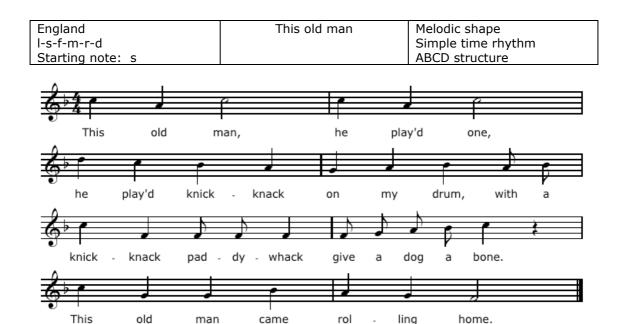


- 2. One night she thought she'd take a walk. Oo.....
- 3. She went down by the old graveyard. Oo.....
- 4. She saw the bones a-lying around. Oo......
- 5. She went to the cupboard to fetch a broom. Oo......
- 6. She opened the door, and BOO!!





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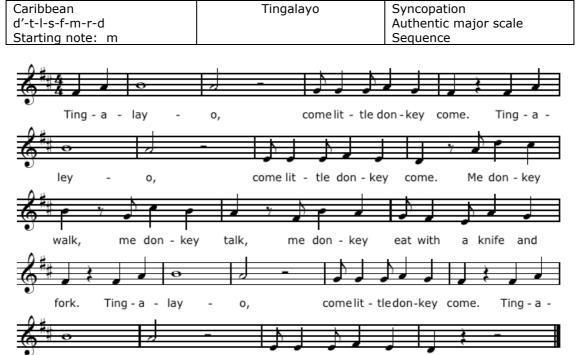
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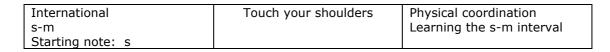


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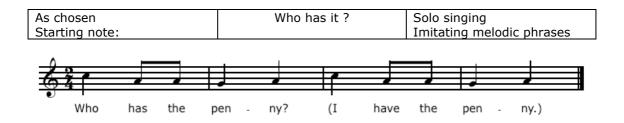
Touch your an kles, touch your toes, Pull your ears and touch your nose.

International Walk, Daniel African ring shout Moving to the pulse Starting note: m



- 2. Fly, Daniel, Fly, Daniel.
- 3. Fly the other way, Fly, Daniel.
- 4. Bend the kneebone, Bend, Daniel.
- 5. Now go back home, Daniel.



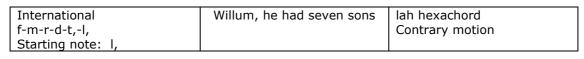


Unknown	Wild and running horses	Melodic shape
m-r-d-t,-l,		Minor tonality
Starting note: I,		AABA structure



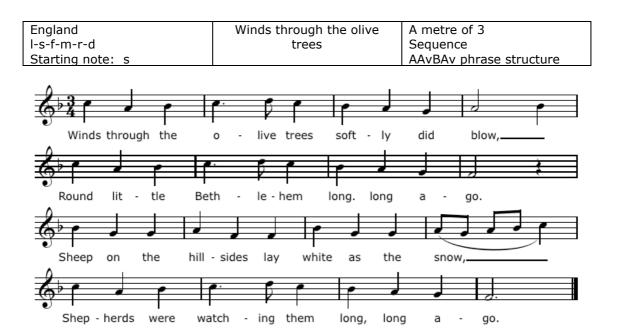
- 2. This is the dance of the swiftly racing horses. Chase down the racecourse.
- 3. This is the dance of the strong and pow'rful horses. Heavy your full load.



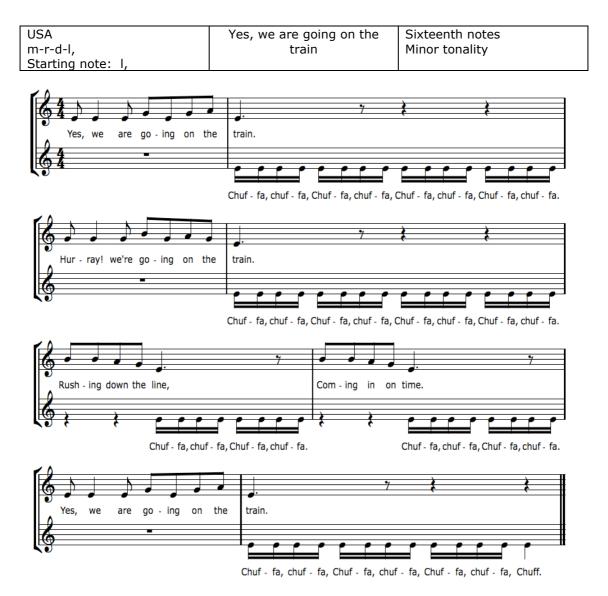




- 2. First they went to chop the wood, chop the wood, chop the wood......
- 3. Then they went to make a fire,.....etc









Sweden Young Peter, the fiddler The authentic major scale The note 'fah' d'-t-l-s-f-m-r-d-t, Starting note: s fid-dler, to Young Pe - ter, the fid-dler, to mar-ket did Young - Pe - ter, the go, And there sold his fid - dle and bow, And there sold his mar-ket did go, cow for a fid for dle and bow. "Hur rah old cow my good

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