



A	Name Games		F	Pitch	
B	Warm Ups		G	Composition	
C	Pulse & Tempo		H	Soundworlds	
D	Rhythm		I	Songs & Rhythms	
E	Dynamics		J	Instrument Making	

sound52 is one of 24 Youth Music Action Zones in England and Wales providing music-making activities to young people who might not otherwise have the opportunity. In addition to the nationwide Youth Music programme, the Arts Council and Lincolnshire County Council, contributors to the project include the county's seven district councils, six Arts Centres, Early Years Development & Childcare Partnership and the Pre-School Learning Alliance.



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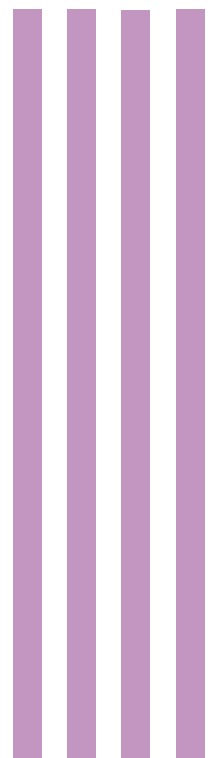
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First Steps to First Notes



A blueprint for making music in pre-schools



■ ■ **Making music** with pre-school children is fun. But it's also an important part of growing up, introducing such concepts as sharing and listening, boosting confidence and communication skills and working towards wider curriculum goals.

A comprehensive and user-friendly guide to creative music sessions with young children has been published by soundLINCS, Lincolnshire's music development agency. Devised in collaboration with Early Years Curriculum Advisors, the Pre-School Learning Alliance and the Early Years Development & Childcare Partnership, the pack comes in a practical, self contained wallet, giving details on activities and instruments, educational targets and ideas for further discussion.

60 activity cards cover 10 musical concepts, such as Pulse, Rhythm and Pitch, and are linked to Foundation Stage goals, with specific reference to Areas of Learning, Aspects and Stepping Stones. Each activity is described in detail, supported by suggestions for further development and extension tasks.

■ ■ **This blueprint** for making music with pre-school children has evolved from Lincolnshire's unique First Notes project, where a team of professional music facilitators has spent the last two years delivering workshops to over 7,000 pre-school children, plus their carers and practitioners.

Out of their experience, research and ideas has come the Resource Pack, opening up the possibility of music-based group sessions with young children across all areas of childcare, including private and state-maintained pre-schools, childminders and parent-&-toddler groups.

Copies of the First Notes Resource Pack are now available direct from soundLINCS at £30.00 + £7 to cover postage and packing. Please complete and return the order form attached, or contact soundLINCS on 01522 510073 for more details.



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