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SingMaker interactive films

Session notes

Week 3

The Do Be Do Song

Teacher Notes

This is the third of our interactive singing films in this series. Children can have a lot of fun with this catchy song. 'When you're feeling sad and blue, and you don't know what to do. Don't be grumpy...' Ula introduces the song and then begins to give instructions so that the children can begin to join in. If they have participated in our first two films they will understand our teaching and learning style. By the end of the song they will be jumping and making up moves and singing along. Encourage your children to get familiar with the song by adding their own actions and getting a family member to join in with them. There is a strong, apparent pulse throughout and you could ask them how the pulse changes towards the end of the film (we get faster and faster!).

Children Notes

Don't be grumpy, sing a song...It goes like this, just sing along....Press play, and follow Ula's instructions and you'll soon be singing, and moving along with us. Try adding some of your own groovy moves. Keep up at the end as we get faster and faster! When you know it really well sing it to someone else at home and get them to make up some groovy moves for you to copy. Have fun!

Draw a picture of a grumpy face and then draw a picture of your face once you've sung with us! – We hope it is a happier face....!

What did you think of this song? Don't forget to come back next Monday where we will introduce you to the next song, have a lovely week and keep singing.

Ex Cathedra SingMaker team