

Music Challenge



It's universal, a language like any other...

From samba drumming to classical arrangements; across all countries, religions and cultures music can be heard. Travel the world and discover your sound!

For even more programme ideas check out our 'Music' board over on
www.Pinterest.com/PawprintFamily

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Meet the FAMILY

Hi there! We're Charlotte & Jamie, the husband and wife team behind the Pawprint Family and we believe in #AdventureForAll.

It's our mission to help leaders, teachers and parents save time by providing ideas and opportunities to help them deliver everyday adventure and skills for life. We do this through our family of brands; find out more below and head to the website for your next adventure!



PAWPRINT BADGES

Pawprint Badges provides thousands of free activity ideas and resources to help leaders, teachers and parents deliver fun and adventure.

Every activity helps you share skills for life and is linked to one of our pawesome embroidered badges. Build your collection and celebrate adventures, new skills and knowledge gained.

PAWPRINT TRAILS

Pawprint Trails are treasure-hunt style walks around locations in the UK. Solve puzzles, track down the answers and explore everything our great country has to offer.

From historical sights to popular culture discover something new or rediscover a love for where you live then collect the badge to remember your adventures!

Whether you're looking for the perfect addition to your next family holiday or a few hours of fun with friends; each trail can be completed in a few hours or extended with our activity suggestions in to a weekend or a week's worth of fun!

PAWPRINT TALES

Pawprint Tales are fully illustrated stories that can be enjoyed by the whole family. Join Alfie (our fox-red Labrador) on his adventures around the UK – solving puzzles, turning detective and making new friends. With twists and turns, every tale is an opportunity to discover new places, people and history without needing to leave the comfort of your own home.

Enjoy Pawprint Tales alongside your Pawprint Trails or as a standalone adventure!

PAWPRINT TRUST

Every brand in the Pawprint Family supports the Pawprint Trust with a percentage of profits from every sale providing grants to young people. We're passionate about enabling young people to access life changing adventures.

Share your adventures and join us over on our social channels for even more adventures and a nosy behind the scenes at Pawprint HQ!



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Craft

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- 🎵 Make your own recycled guitar from an old cereal box.
- 🎵 Create a banjo from a paper plate or a miniature one from a jam jar lid.
- 🎵 Sculpt your own bowl from old vinyl records or build an afternoon tea stand using different sized records. You can find some instructions at: www.instructables.com/How-to-Make-Vinyl-Record-Bowl/
- 🎵 Make yourself a sun catcher using old CDs.

Remember!

When using old records or CDs make sure it's ok to use them for your crafts as you don't want to be responsible for ruining someones favourite songs. If in doubt you can pick up old records and CDs from charity shops and the money goes to a good cause too!

- 🎵 Use old sheet music to make flowers or fold another origami of your choice.
- 🎵 Make a mix tape or create a playlist for a friend with songs that mean something to you.
- 🎵 Draw or create art to music. How does the music influence your art?
- 🎵 Discover what the term 'form' means in music and sculpt to music.
- 🎵 Create your own didgeridoo from an old wrapping paper roll.
- 🎵 Build your own cajón (box drum) from Peru.
- 🎵 Have a go at making your own shekere from Africa.
- 🎵 Recycle a plastic bottle to make a guiro from Latin America.
- 🎵 Model your own ocarina from clay.
- 🎵 Get creative with old cassette tape...what will you make?
- 🎵 Make a Chinese gong using a metal foil roasting tin/pie dish.
- 🎵 Create your own mbira (from Zimbabwe) using hair grips and a piece of wood.
- 🎵 Design your own musical instrument; what will it sound like? What type of music will it be used for?



Food

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🎵 Explore rhythms in food.

How?

Clapping out rhythms is a great way to start learning about note length. Clap out the rhythms for different foods and then see if you can write them out in musical note form. For example: ice cream, strawberry, avocado toast. See our Pinterest board for some more ideas.

🎵 Use cooking items and recycled food packaging to make a drum kit.

🎵 Create your own maracas using rice, dried pulses or pasta.

🎵 Make your own treble clef pretzels.

🎵 Bake your own bread conductors baton.

What?

Baton is the stick used by conductors to exaggerate their hand and body movements and make them clearer for musicians to see. Baton is also a term for a stick shaped bread so why not combine the two and make a tasty treat to enjoy when you've conducted your orchestra?

🎵 Carve a whistle from a carrot.

🎵 Create a drum from a tin can and use the contents to make a new recipe.

🎵 Set up your own glass harm/musical glasses, listen to some glass harp music and have a go at playing your own. Test the effects of different liquids.

🎵 "Be our guest"...make a meal for a friend and listen to the soundtrack or watch *Beauty and the Beast*.

🎵 Have a go at making your own Mozart Balls (Mozartkugel).

🎵 Bake your own opera cake and listen to operatic music whilst you bake.

🎵 Make your own Peach Melba, created by chef Auguste Escoffier at the Savoy Hotel, London, to honour the Australian soprano Nellie Melba.

🎵 Taste test chili foods inspired by the Red Hot Chili Peppers band.

🎵 Bake and decorate your own music inspired cakes/biscuits.



Games

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- ♪ Play 'Guess the Spice...Girl'. Ok, so we're not all girls but we had to get a pun in somehow! Smell the spices and see if you can guess what they are!
- ♪ Listen to pieces of music from around the world and see if you can guess the country correctly.
- ♪ Name that tune! Hum a song and see if others can guess it correctly.
- ♪ Have a game of one of these party favourites: musical bumps, musical statues, musical chairs.
- ♪ Race to piece back together jumbled lyrics from popular songs.
- ♪ Guess the sounds.

What/how?

Experimental American composer John Cage was quoted as saying, "There is no noise, only sound." Close your eyes and listen whilst your leader/adult makes noises with household objects. Can you guess correctly what's making the sound?

- ♪ Have a game or two of the name game using only names of famous musicians, pop stars and composers...you might have to do some research first. Why not make some profile cards or some Top Trump style cards?
- ♪ Guess the film from the movie soundtrack. There are lots of famous soundtracks played by orchestras and you can find many of them on your favourite music streaming service.
- ♪ Learn about pitch with a game of higher or lower. Strike an object i.e. a frying pan, with a wooden spoon and then guess whether the pitch of the next object will be higher or lower than that.
- ♪ Create a classical music timeline by listening to different pieces and then seeing if you can correctly put them in date order.
- ♪ Use our free resource and organise the orchestra in the quickest time.
- ♪ Play a follow the leader game using rhythm.
- ♪ Have a treasure hunt but use sounds for clues instead of written words.
- ♪ Take part in a music themed quiz; you could have categories based on different genres, a picture round and a name that tune round!



Other

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- 🎵 Music is universal existing around the world in different religions and cultures. Listen to music from different countries and compare. What are the similarities? What are the differences?
- 🎵 Sing together with a group.
- 🎵 Take part in a drumming workshop.
- 🎵 Play as part of an ensemble/group. This could be as a one off performance or as a regular commitment.
- 🎵 Dance to music of different genres. How do the different genres affect how you move?
- 🎵 Watch a live music performance, you choose the location, the genre, band or musician. How does attending a live performance make you feel compared to listening at home? Write a review or create a review using a method of your choice and share with friends.
- 🎵 Speak to a musician or composer and ask them how music makes them feel.
- 🎵 How does different music make you feel? Music has a profound effect on our mood and can also take us back to specific moments in our lives. Discuss some of your favourite songs with friends/family.
- 🎵 Discover how accessing music has changed throughout history from sheet music to the phonograph and the record player to digital music.
- 🎵 Put on your own musical performance; whether you're playing a musical instrument or singing it's up to you.
- 🎵 Have a go at busking; check relevant permissions first.
- 🎵 Write your own piece of music or song. You don't need to be able to write your song using music notation you can simply write it down in a way that you can read and if you like perform it for friends/family.
- 🎵 Watch an opera or musical and visit the theatre.
- 🎵 Try karaoke with friends/family.
- 🎵 Discover instruments from around the world, their origins, how they are made and played. How do they differ from one another and are there any similarities?

Adventure Complete?

Reward your young adventurers with their Music Challenge badge to mark their achievements! Head to the website to bag yours, download certificates and discover even more adventures!



Create a Keepsake!

Experienced adventure? Made memories? Then it's time to create a keepsake! Our Pawprint Family camp blankets are the perfect place to sew your badges and look back on them for years to come.



Personalise it!

Got your camp blanket? Then it's time to make it yours! Our alphabet badges are big, bright and bold...the perfect addition to your camp blanket, hoodies, bags and more. What will you personalise first?



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