



VIRTUAL MUSIC CLASS RESOURCES & TIPS

@HOME RESOURCES

- How to build your own @home musical instrument bin - You'll need something to:
 - WAVE: scarf, towel, ribbons
 - TAP: wooden utensils, chopsticks, empty plastic or cardboard boxes or containers
 - SHAKE: salt & pepper shakers, dried foods (pasta, rice, beans) in plastic, cardboard, or empty pop cans
- Spotify Playlist - [CLICK TO LISTEN!](#)
- Early Childhood Facebook Page - [CLICK TO JOIN!](#)
 - Videos (tutorials, musical activities, pop-up performances)
 - Event updates
 - Fun facts highlighting the benefits of music in your child's overall development

ZOOM TIPS/TRICKS

- Please allow for your instructor to control your mute function
- Stay away from the virtual backgrounds, as it takes up internet bandwidth and may slow down your connectivity.
- Label/name your child in Zoom profile

CLASS OPTIMIZATION TIPS/TRICKS:

- Create your very own @home musical instrument bin
- Avoid eating food/drink
- Create your music routine/transition:
 - Designate an area of your home to be the "Music Class" area
 - Prior to music class, take a pretend walk, break to use the bathroom, change diaper, eat snack.
 - Prompt your transition to music class by saying:
 - "It's time to get ready for music class!" OR "We are getting ready to go to music class, let's walk over!" OR "Time to go to our music classroom!"
- AirPlay or stream your smart device on a larger TV screen
- Set up your computer or smart device in a well-lit area for optimal visibility