Music Activity Ideas for Home

(Severe and Profound Special Education Classrooms)

- Listen to a good morning song when you wake up or during breakfast. Listening and singing along to the same song every morning gives students an opportunity every day to recognize and begin interacting to a song through repetition.
 - Links to YouTube good morning songs (either search for the titles or click the link if able):
 - The Singing Walrus Good morning song <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cul_p7a9VGs</u>
 - Greg & Steve Good Morning <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xFFbWH3nial</u>
- When listening to your favorite music at home clap to the simple steady beat. You can hand over hand clap or stomp with them, as well.
- Easy at home instrument making:
 - Easter eggs are readily available right now. Fill them with household objects (beans, rice, pasta, beads, etc.) and tape them shut. You can also decorate them with permanent markers or decorative tape. Use these "shakey eggs" to experiment with the different sounds the different objects inside make. Use them to shake along with your favorite music.
- Listen to and Learn about the ABC's through a fun song!
 - Search for "Reggae ABC song" to find the video "Watch the Letters Get Down-Reggae Remix" or here is the link:
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VgDmGu7Pur8
- If you have a streaming video service, find musical movies to watch together and take notes on the music. Charlie Brown movies are great to showcase Jazz, Fantasia is wonderful classical musical centered movie.
- If you have an iPad at home, try these apps:
 - SoundTouch or VideoTouch
 - StoryBots
 - Music Sparkles
- On your computer, the website www. <u>https://www.incredibox.com/</u> for a fun and easy activity. You click on the different people that add different sounds to create your own song. There is also an app you can download.
- Check out the group "Blazer Fresh" on YouTube. There are lots of songs that teach educational concepts and are fun catchy tunes.
- <u>https://family.gonoodle.com/</u> is a wonderful website with meaningful screen time activities. There are core curriculum concepts that are addressed as well as fun songs and PE activities you and your children can do together.
- Here's a YouTube Link for a playlist of songs we sang for the 2020 Music Program. You can also search for "Adapted Music Teacher" in YouTube and find all of my playlists on YouTube.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fH_OnJk6QqU&list=PLEuWtuyHL0_EgvxXFJY8W26EfAQckfvv

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