

# PROJECT My parents favourite music

GRADE	TIMMING	TERM	SCHOOL YEAR	TEACHER	
Cicle Superior	8 sessions	Second term			
<b>CROSS CURRICULAR</b>		<b>AIM</b>			
Music. ICT, arts and crafts, history (geography, maths)		This is a project about the music the students' parents and grandparents listen to.			
<b>MATERIAL</b>		The students will develop a full project contrasting and comparing different issues: culture, lyrics, bands, singers, traditions, places, dancing styles, performances, type of music...			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Computers (Audacity, You Tube, Power Point...)</li> <li>Photo and video camera.</li> <li>LPs and tapes</li> <li>costumes</li> <li>Old stuff</li> </ul>		We will offer different possibilities for the final task: work the lyrics out, perform the dancing style of each music or song, create a mix-song file (revival), show and tell, design an LP cover or "jacket", a display or an exhibition...			
<b>LEARNING GOALS</b>		<b>KEY COMPETENCIES</b>		<b>ASSESSMENT CRITERIA</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To do a survey to parents and grandparents about the English music they listened to.</li> <li>To do a research on different aspects of the English music they listened to: lyrics, singers and bands, clothes, style, performances... of that time.</li> <li>To present the results in the formats they choose: video, "revival", performance, "show and tell", display, Power Point ...</li> <li>To leader an activity to the class: filling the gaps, ordering the paragraphs, acting out ...</li> <li>To appreciate the other works</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Social competence</li> <li>Learning to learn</li> <li>Mathematics</li> <li>Communicative</li> <li>Audiovisual and new technologies</li> <li>Personal autonomy</li> <li>Learning to learn</li> <li>Communicative (reading and writing)</li> <li>Artistic</li> <li>Communicative (Reading, Asking for information, Speaking, Writing, Interaction)</li> <li>Communicative (Reading, Asking for information, Speaking, Writing, Interaction)</li> <li>Social competence</li> <li>Learning to learn</li> </ul>		1	We agree on the questions of the survey. (Teacher observation grid)
				2	They actively participate (Self assessment grid)
				3	They organize the information in a coherent and clear way (teach observation grid)
				4	They collaborate in the implementation of the task (Self and group/peer assessment grids)
				5	They listen with interest and they are eager to learn from others (group/peer and self assessment grids)

## CONTENT

### • Vocabulary

- Music styles, clothes, personal descriptions, musical instruments, jukebox, cassette, long play, record player, single, lyrics, LP covers, singer, players
- Adjectives: fashion, cool, modern, old fashion, urban, casual, traditional, country, rural ...
- Feelings
- Places: disco, private parties, “boites”, pubs, disco bars, “envalats” ...
- Festivities and events.

### • Structures

- Verbs in the past
- Comparatives: older, younger, cooler, more fashionable,
- Likes and dislikes, favourites, preferences, giving reasons (why and because)
- Differences and similarities
- This music makes me feel...

## TEACHING / LEARNING ACTIVITIES

### 1<sup>st</sup> session

- Warm up: watch one of the videos proposed (*Evolution of music, Pentatonix in Youtube*) and encourage children to note down the groups or singers they already know.
- Explain the objectives and the outcomes of the project

### 2<sup>nd</sup> session

- Warm up: perform a song
- Brainstorm questions for the survey about the music, groups or singers their parents used to listen to when they were young, gadgets they used to listen to, where they went to listen/sing/dance to music, performance, clothes, accessorize and fashion style, ...
- Survey online and / or paper (doodle/surveymonkey/google docs...) when the kids have agreed the questions to ask

### 3<sup>rd</sup> session

- Warm up: mime or playback a song
- Teachers deliver the surveys to students on paper and /or show the link to do the survey online explaining how to do it.
- Agreement on how to collect data (captions) according to the answers.
- Create the grid to fill with the information.

### 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> session

- Warm up: sing a karaoke song / Work the lyrics of a song
- In groups. Each group fills one grid with information from parents: group 1, music; group 2, groups or singers; group 3, gadgets; group 4, performances; group 5, clothes, fashion and accessorize; group 6, places to listen to music. Make a graph

- Share the results in the whole group
- Brainstorm: what can we do with this information? (work the lyrics out, perform the dancing style, perform a playback or karaoke, design a cover or a t-shirt, show and tell, ...)

#### **6th session**

- Warm up: make a poster with LP covers.
- Display the graphs (poster, blog, word doc, Power Point...).
- Time for group working. Prepare the outcomes

#### **7th session**

- Final show

#### **8th session**

- Assessment

## **Comments and observations:**