

## ARM YOUR CHILD WITH MUSIC

### Professional Development (ECE) "Exploring Music with Young Children and Integrating Early Learning Content Standards" (3 hours)

This is an interactive high-energy multimedia music and movement workshop.

Participants will learn:

- Innovative teaching strategies that can be used in a variety of center based classrooms and home day care settings
- Songs that enhance English Language Arts, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies
- How to integrate music to teach across curriculum and address Common Core standards
- How to Integrate gross motor fine motor and strengthen oral language development

### Children's Classroom Workshop

*Kindergarten Readiness Presentation*

- Interactive workshop presented in classroom or designated area
- Children are guided through songs and movement using a multimedia approach
- Usually presented minimum once a week for four weeks.
- Presentation lasts for 45 minutes with follow-up as requested

\* Weeks and times can be adapted or extended based on center's goals and class sizes

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*Exploring Music with Young Children...* training approved by Ohio Department of Jobs and Family.



Early Childhood Professional Level IV - Ohio Professional Development Network



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Arm Your Child With Music Company™



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## The Songs

- ✚ Promote Language and Literacy Development
- ✚ Address the Common Core Standards plus one or more of the following "5 Essential Domains of School Readiness:"

1. Social and Emotional Development
2. Physical Well-Being and Motor Development
3. Approaches Towards Learning
4. Language and Literacy Development
5. Cognition and General Knowledge

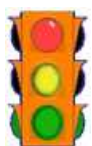
### Concepts of a few songs from CD presented in the workshops



**ALL MY FRIENDS ARE DIFFERENT**  
*Social Emotional Development,  
Math and Science.*

Focus on multicultural awareness that points out the physical differences between people (weight, height, tastes) but suggests all the things they can accomplish together just because they are friends.

### BE CAREFUL CROSSING THE STREET



*Health and safety, Science, Cognition,  
Social studies.*

Song Lyrics reinforce the purpose of traffic lights and tell what they mean, and warn children to look both ways before crossing the street.



### THESE BONES UNDER MY SKIN

*Physical Well-Being, Motor  
Development, Math- Science*

Up tempo song to get children singing and moving to **the connections of the bones**

### DON'T PLAY WITH MATCHES

*Science, Safety*

Urban dance beat is used to support lyrics that "matches are not toys; they hurt the little girls and boys." Activity sheet included on CD has a fun maze to stimulate cognitive development

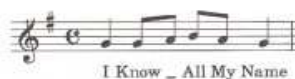


### The COLOR SONG

*Approaches Towards Learning  
Health and Safety, Science*  
Focus on primary colors and their relationship to things in nature

### I KNOW ALL MY NAME

*Social Emotional, Physical Well-being, Cognition*



I Know \_ All My Name

A song that allows the children a chance

to sing and practice their first and last name, address and telephone number in a timed game



### LOOK A SPECIAL MIRROR

*Social Emotional Development,  
Physical Well-Being*

Song focuses on similarities within the differences that people have in common like the eyes, teeth, age and height



### PAY ATTENTION, LEARN TO LISTEN

*Social Emotional Development,  
Physical Well-Being*

Up tempo Rap song to reinforce following directions



*Physical Well-Being Social and  
Emotional Development*

Song lyrics tell why, when to call and the importance of a child remaining calm once they decide to call 911



### YES, PLEASE and THANK YOU

*Social and Emotional Development,  
Physical Well-Being*

Lyrics focus on common courtesy. Song is also effective in teaching American Sign language

The full CD contains 19 songs, available on iTunes and Amazon.

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