

Keep Calm and Make Music

Weekly Wonder

Underwater – YR +KS1



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What might you see under water?

Talk together

Find some pictures

Move as if you are underwater

Make some underwater sounds





Listen and explore ...

Blow some bubbles and follow them with your
finger as they float through the air

Find something shiny and make it dance like a fish
in the water

Fill a bowl with soapy warm water and enjoy
moving your hands around in it

A vibrant underwater scene featuring a diverse coral reef. The water is a deep blue, with sunlight filtering down from the surface, creating a shimmering effect. Numerous small, dark fish are scattered throughout the water column. The foreground is dominated by various types of coral, including branching, brain, and sea fan corals in shades of orange, yellow, and pink. A large, white, whale-like creature is visible in the lower left corner, partially obscured by the coral.

Listen to this song...

what does it sound like?

Can you hear the voice singing underwater, *underwater* Try joining in

Listen again and draw/write what else you hear in the song

Bubbles
Seaweed
Whales

Did you
get them
all?

Listen and sing

Try singing the words
Bubbles underwater, ripple way down deep
Seaweed underwater, floating way down deep
Whales underwater,, swimming way down deep

Try singing underwater, underwater all the way through the song.....

add some actions to the song

Sounds from our song

The song is about 3 things under the water

Bubbles

Seaweed

Whales

Can you think of a sound for each of these?

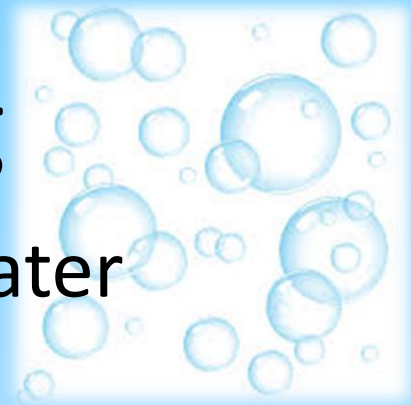
You could use
mouth or vocal
sounds

You could use
other body
sounds

You could use
sounds you find
around you

What other underwater sounds can you make?

PSSTT.....have a look on the next slide for some ideas



Your underwater sounds

Maybe your sounds could include some of these:



Make or find a sound to go with all the ideas you choose



Your underwater music

Draw a picture to show which underwater sounds you have chosen

Don't forget to include the bubbles, the seaweed and the whales.

Once you are happy with your picture and sounds, perform them along with the song backing track (above) creating your very own Underwater Music



Woo hoo!
Your music is splashingly

awesome!

Additional sensory ideas...

if you have time you could listen to the song and try out some more activities

- Make a fish and move it along with music
- Set up an *underwater explore* tray with aquarium stone, water, floating greenery, toy fish and other underwater creatures
- Make an underwater collage using different materials eg foam, foil, glitter, netting
- Explore different shells – how do they feel, what sounds do they make
- Enjoy blowing and watching bubbles
- Fill a glass bowl with water and look at things through it / in it, try adding drops of food colouring and see how it swirls in the water

Let your imagination swim free!