

PizzIMMERSION

Professional Learning Activities

Mini lesson plan

Title

Body Percussion Inspiration

Materials

A clear space in the classroom

Year level suggested

Years F-10

Useful for

Brain breaks
Body coordination
Group participation
Generating discussion

Learning intention

To engage students through movement

Steps

1. Choose a theme inspired by a book, current affairs, classroom creed or other student ideas
2. Collate sentences which resonate with the group and inspire an interesting rhythm
3. Use the syllables within the sentences to generate a rhythmic pattern
4. Clap the rhythms while saying the sentences
5. Explore other ways of tapping on the body to find different sounds eg: slapping thighs, chest, backs of hands clicking etc. to create body percussion choreography. Rely on students for creative ideas
6. Put it all together to create your body percussion composition!

Curriculum links

Music

- All Strands

Dance

- Explore and Express Ideas
- Dance Practices
- Present and Perform

Health and Physical Education

- Movement and Physical Activity

Capabilities

- Personal and Social
 - Social Awareness and Management, Collaboration

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