

Row your boat

Sing it together, then sing it as a round.



ACT 1

NAME _____ CLASS _____ DATE _____

LEARNING GOAL

Sing a traditional round in parts.

SUCCESS CRITERIA

- ☐ I can follow the breathe marks and dynamics.
- ☐ I can start on my group's cue.
- ☐ I can keep my part with a steady beat.

1 Sing the song

ACT 1

This traditional round has 4 lines. Follow the cues above and beside each line.

1 <i>f</i> loud	Row, row, row your boat,
2 <i>p</i> quiet	Gently down the stream.
3 <i>f</i> loud	Merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily,
4 <i>p</i> quiet	Life is but a dream.

Breathe mark
Take a quick breath.

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f is forte
Sing loudly.

f

p is piano
Sing quietly.

p

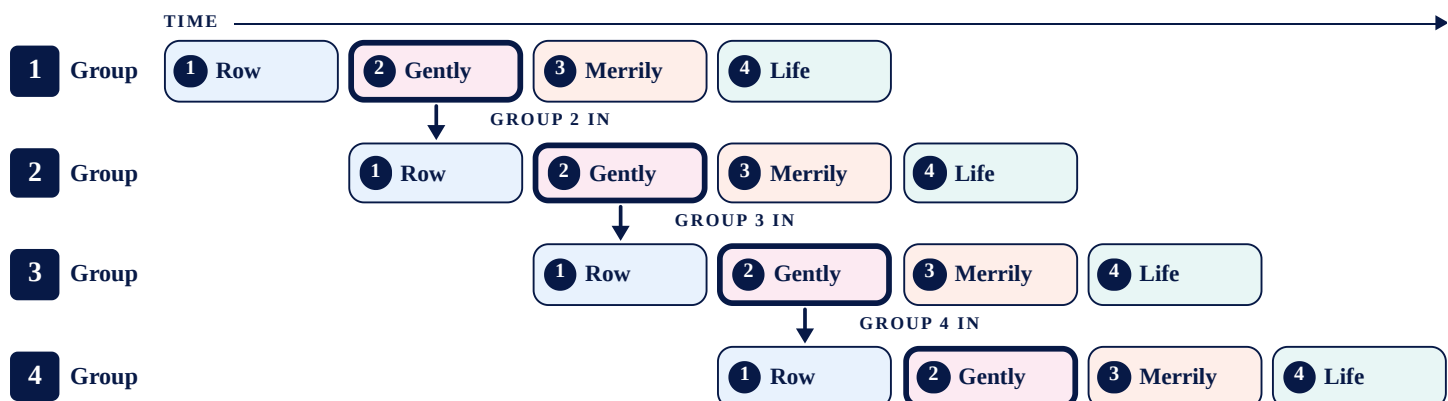
Round cue
The next group starts here.



2 Sing it as a round

ACT 2

Each box is one line. Group 1 starts. Each group after starts when the group before reaches "Gently".





NAME _____ CLASS _____

3 Add the cues

ACT 3

Write f or p in each box. Draw a breathe mark 9 and a round flag ʘ above the words.

LINE 1

Row, row, row your boat,

LINE 2

Gently down the stream.

LINE 3

Merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily,

LINE 4

Life is but a dream.

4 My concert card

SCENE 1

Song title _____

My group starts when group _____ reaches the word _____

Cues I must remember (breathing, loud and quiet)

Repertoire card

MY GROUP

LINES I WAIT

Group 1 starts first.

5 After the concert

FINALE

What went well when we sang the round?

Was it hard to keep your part? Why?

How well did I keep my part?

☐ Not yet ☒ Getting there ☒ Got it

ENCORE

Sing in four groups and end one group at a time.
Which group finishes last?