

Music is Fun! - Let's Learn a Clapping Game Song April 27 - May 1

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**Step 1** - Click on the song title below

[Bim Bum ~ A Clapping Game Song](#) (Press Ctrl and Click to go to the link)

- Step 2** - Play song - Watch and Listen to the Song
- Step 3** - Play song - Notice that the blue bird goes first and the red bird echoes
- Step 4** - Practice the actions and say the words below (three times)
- Step 5** - Practice with the song – you will be singing and doing the actions with the red bird
  - do the beginning as often as you need to
  - take your time
  - if you can do it slowly you will be able to do it faster

Motions

“Bim” = clap

“Bum” = snap (you can change snap to tapping your shoulders)

“Biddy” = pat

Lyrics (words to the song)

**Part A**

Bim bum bim bum, biddy biddy bum,

C S C S P P S

Biddy bum, biddy biddy bum, bim bum.

P S P P S C S

Biddy bum, biddy biddy bum, bim bum.

P S P P S C S

**Part B**

Bim bum, biddy biddy bum,

C S P P S

Biddy bum, biddy biddy bum, bim bum.

P S P P S C S

Biddy bum, biddy biddy bum, bim bum.

P S P P S C S

Create Your Own Then Give It a Try!

**EXAMPLES:**

1. <u>Bim</u>	2. <u>Bum</u>
1. <u>Bim</u>	2. <u>Bum</u>
3. <u>Bitty</u>	3. <u>Bitty</u> 2. <u>Bum</u>
3. <u>Bitty</u>	2. <u>Bum</u>
3. <u>Bitty</u>	3. <u>Bitty</u> 2. <u>Bum</u>
1. <u>Bim</u>	2. <u>Bum</u>

**WORDS:**

1. <u>Bim</u>
2. <u>Bum</u>
3. <u>Bitty</u>



**WORDS:**

1. <u>Grilled</u>
2. <u>Cheese</u>
3. <u>Mm</u>



1. <u>Grilled</u>	2. <u>Cheese</u>
1. <u>Grilled</u>	2. <u>Cheese</u>
3. <u>Mm</u>	3. <u>Mm</u> 2. <u>Cheese</u>
3. <u>Mm</u>	2. <u>Cheese</u>
3. <u>Mm</u>	3. <u>Mm</u> 2. <u>Cheese</u>
1. <u>Grilled</u>	2. <u>Cheese</u>

Create Your Own Words for Part A!			
Homeroom Teacher: _____ Name: _____			
Choose 3 Words	1.	2.	3.
Insert Words According to the Number			
1.	2.		
1.	2.		
3.	3.	2.	
3.	2.		
3.	3.	2.	
1.	2.		

Option: For students who play instruments you could:

- Learn the song
- Learn the song and sing
- Learn the rhythm
- Learn the rhythm and sing
- Invite others to join you
- Your Choice

## Bim Bum

American folk song



Bim bum, bim bum, bid - dy bid - dy bum, bid - dy bum, bid - dy bid - dy bum bim bum.



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