You're Gonna Be Popular!

INCLUDING POPULAR MUSIC IN YOUR CLASSROOM AND PERFORMANCES

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Who are you? Who, Who?

- General Music Teacher at Lakeview Elementary School in St. Cloud, Florida
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- MME from Boston University
- Working towards PhD from the University of South Florida
- Music Tech enthusiast
- All-around cool guy
- Tired dad



Blurred Lines

- TraditionalClassroom Music
 - ▶ Basic Structure
 - Simple Chords
 - ▶ Simple Melody
 - Repetition

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We Found Love



Snap	Scissors	Pat	Winshield Wipers
Clap	Shoulder Taps	King Tut	Bounce
Hammers	Castanets	March	Click Tongue
Funky Monkey	Bend Knees	Hula	Hand Jive

Let's Get it Started

Home – Phillip Phillips

Feels So Close – Calvin Harris

Blank Space – Taylor Swift





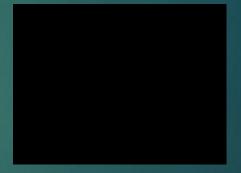


Whatever it Takes

Recorders with buddies

Recorder challenges

Boomwhacker playalongs



Don't Stop Believin'



Resources I like

- Youtube
 - Ukulele Tenor
 - Musication
 - Andrew Huang
- ▶ Little Kids Rock
- Kidz Bop Kidz
- Favoritest, most important resource:
 - ▶ The students