

# SONG ACTIVITY FACTORY

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## Musical Listening Practice GERUNDS

### Description

In this song activity – using various song extracts by copyright free singers and bands – students watch a video with five song extracts. The lyrics appear on the screen with some gaps. Their task is to write down the missing words as they hear them. You can use it as review, extra listening practice, reward activity, or just for FUN! You and your students deserve it! XD

OBS: This lesson plan was made for ONLINE TEACHING, but it can be modified for face-to-face instruction, as well.

**Language level:** (A2-B1)

**Learner type :** All ages

**Skills :** listening and writing

**Language:** Gerund

**Materials :** Video

**Duration:** 20 - 30 min

**Downloadable Materials:** none

## INSTRUCTIONS

You can play the video for them (face 2 face), or via Zoom or any similar app, if the speed of the Internet connection is an issue, you can send the link for your students to watch on their own devices. Instruct them to write down their answers for later correction. [VIDEO LINK](#)

### Step 1 (5 min)

Explain the activity. Play the video twice (or 3 times) without stopping, (or pausing after each one).. it's up to you!. And students write down their answers.

### Step 2 (5 min)

Put students in pairs to check their answers (breakout rooms).

### Step 3 (5 min)

(Back to the main room, Play the first song and pause the video. Have students write the words in the chat box.

Correct the exercise by writing the words in the gaps (annotation tool/board). Have students read the extracts.

### Step 4 (5 min)

Play the second extract and repeat the same steps.

## ANSWER KEY

### 1- Delacey - Dream It Possible (Sylenth Remix)

I will run, I will climb, I will soar  
I'm undefeated, oh  
Jumping (1) out of my skin, pull  
the chord  
Yeah, I believe (2)it, ooh  
The past is everything we were  
Don't make us who we are (3)  
So I'll dream, until I make it  
real  
And all I see (4) is stars

### 3 - NEFFEX - Struggle

Oh, growing (1) up ain't easy  
Too many things to do weekly  
Too many thoughts to think deeply  
Too many thoughts to be sleeping (2), yeah  
Oh my god, I'm not eating (3)  
I feel so empty, I'm receding  
And all of my friends (4) are misleading  
All of these posts and the laughs I'm leading, yeah

### 2- Diviners - Falling

Started to fall and where (1)  
were you?  
How could I know you were  
falling (2) too?  
Grabbing the wind cutting (3)  
my skin  
But it's hard because I'm-  
I'm falling  
Tell me why I'm falling  
Oh, life's calling (4)  
But it's hard because I'm falling

### 4- NEFFEX - Deep Thoughts

I keep on moving, yeah, I keep on doing (1), yeah  
I keep improving, so people(2) can feel it to and  
Go on and fix their lives, one decision at a time  
One vision, one mind, we're winning (3) this grind  
Okay, okay, let's make each other proud  
Turn the future into now (4)  
Turn this world upside down, uh, yeah

That's it for this week! I hope this activity is helpful and enjoyable!

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