

1st Grade Lesson Plan

Opening: (3-5 Minutes)

- Hello Song
 - Hel-lo Hel-lo I'm so ver-y glad to see you
 - Hel-lo Hel-lo how are you to day?
 - § Continue using other languages of 'Hello' such as knee-how, Bonjour, Hola.
- Introduce: Cut the Cake- Use the parachute

High Concentrations: (5-7 Minutes)

- Have the students clap out the first 4 measures of the song

Change of Pace: (5-7 Minutes)

- Skip-to-my-Lou
 - There are multiple verses so every time a verse is sung the kids do the actions to the song, when the melody comes up the kids skip in a circle then stop at the next verse.

Moderate Concentration: (5-7 Minutes)

- Put students in groups of 3 or 4 in front of xylophones. Play a rhythm on yours and have the student at the instrument repeat that rhythm to you. Do that for each student having them take turns.

Ending: (5-7 Minutes)

- Play Poison.

Give the kids a rhythm that will be considered the "poison" proceed to clap rhythms sometimes adding in the "poison" if the kid claps that rhythm then they are out but their classmates can get them back in by all not clapping the "poison"