

Resource 6: **Bang the Drum**

Action: Give each learner a turn on the drum and sing the song 'If you're happy...' encouraging them to beat the drum when they hear the words 'bang the drum'.

If You're Happy and You Know it Bang the Drum

If you're happy and you know it bang the drum
If you're happy and you know it bang the drum
If you're happy and you know it and you really want to show it
If you're happy and you know it bang the drum

Loud and Quiet Beats

(Sung to the tune of London Bridge)

Play the drums so quietly, quietly, quietly
Play the drums so quietly, we all play along

Play the drums so loudly, loudly, loudly
Play the drums so loudly, we all play along

Action: This is a counting activity of beats up to five you can use with some learners.

Beat the Drum

Beat, beat, can you beat the drum?
Beat, beat, can you beat the drum?
Beat, beat, can you beat the drum?
How many times can you beat the drum?