

**Music: May 4th - May 8th**

**Happy Cinco De Mayo!**



A big part of Mexican culture is their music. You will find a brief presentation of Mexican traditional music in slides:

[https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1NAqDE-nfWDdUVKabTRfygXm9\\_ZQKHsEvdNF\\_UfqaiX4/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1NAqDE-nfWDdUVKabTRfygXm9_ZQKHsEvdNF_UfqaiX4/edit?usp=sharing)

Expand your learning, read about Latin American Dances and answer a few questions:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1h3NmB3UPMm2d668bd2oOBNrgduju1TBj/view?usp=sharing>

## Questions:

1. Circle Latin American dances.

Waltz    Polka    Tango    Foxtrot    Swing    Rumba    Quickstep

Paso Doble    Samba    Mambo    Cha Cha    Jive

2. What are the three cultures that Latin American music mixed together to form its own sound?
3. What family of instruments was NOT present in Latin American culture?
4. How do you and your family celebrate Cinco de Mayo?



### Fun Songs to sing a long or just to listen:

#### **Pre-K-2 grade**

**“Cinco de Mayo Song”, “La Bamba”** (with word learning and simple rhythm. You can use pots, cans for the drum part and any shaker (like a jar with sugar) for the maracas), **“La Cucaracha”**. Have fun!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=19w04KBhILc>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nxpRHDsTOI4>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iABtli2GBnY>



#### **Fun songs for everyone**

##### **“La Cucaracha”**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-l5TV3veFOY>

##### **“La Bamba”**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AZ\\_GFkvfBHc](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AZ_GFkvfBHc)

##### **“Mexican Hat Dance”**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4bFJnpaE5O4>

##### **“Querida”**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EnX214riuPw>

