

music & children™

Q. I've heard that music benefits children, especially at a young age, but what exactly are these benefits?

A. Studies show that musical training is linked to the development of higher brain functions, such as math. Music involves fractions, proportions, and thinking in space and time, which are the skills needed for high-level mathematical concepts. Music helps a child's physical development with coordination and relaxation; emotional development with expression and role playing; intellectual development with language and listening, and social development through self-confidence and self-discipline. Music develops the entire person.

How can I get my children to enjoy music?

A. Playing games and singing with your child is a great way to develop their love of learning music. Allowing them to explore music without the fear of making mistakes will make them more confident and therefore, enjoy music. You can also have fun with your child by performing shows together at home or in front of other people.



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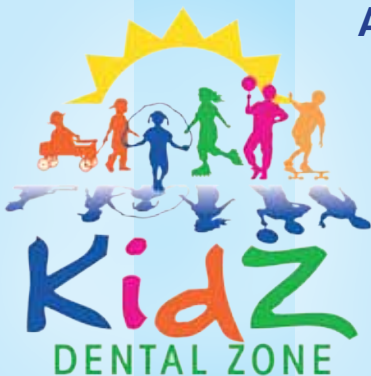
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