



THE BEATLES STORY ONLINE EDUCATION ACTIVITY

WRITE A LOVE SONG - ENGLISH

Activity Name:

Write a Love Song – Song Writing

Curriculum Focus:

English/ Music

Age Phase:

5-7 (KS1)

7-11 (KS2)

Activity:

Many of the Beatles' songs were inspired by people and loved ones. For example: '**Something**' was inspired by George Harrison's wife, Patty; '**The Ballad of John and Yoko**' was inspired by John's relationship with his wife, Yoko; '**Martha My Dear**' was inspired by Paul's dog, Martha; '**Here There and Everywhere**' was inspired by Paul's girlfriend at the time, Jane Asher; Julia, written by John Lennon about his late mother.

Task:

Can you write a song or poem about someone who is special to you? Have a listen to a few of the songs mentioned above, they may inspire your writing. The song can be about any type of love- a song for someone who looks after you and keeps you safe, a song for a pet, like Paul wrote for Martha, a song for anyone who is special to you, maybe a best friend or teacher!

Resources suggestions:

Pens, Pencils, Paper

