

The Man in the Moon

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The image shows two staves of musical notation in 4/4 time. The first staff contains the melody for the first line of the poem, and the second staff contains the melody for the second line. The lyrics are written below the notes.

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About the Music:

- Instruments: Percussion – Glockenspiel
- Dan recites the rhyme very slowly while the glockenspiel plays freely.
- Monica and Julie make 'ooh' sounds as Dan recites for the second time.

Activities:

1. Choose a glockenspiel and make free patterns while the rhyme is said.
2. Add a triangle to the glockenspiel and build layers of sound.
3. Add a bass drum and have the bass drum play slowly to match Dan's reading.
4. Make up some sounds of your own to go with Monica's and Julie's sounds.
5. Find out what **plum-porridge** is.
6. Move very freely to the rhyme but move as silently as you can.