BOOGIE BOOTS PLAY GUIDE

# Teeny-tiny Boogie Boots -song

END SONG OF THE PLAY SESSION

Type: **indoor or outdoor play**
Age: **3 to 7 years**
Players: **as desired**
Duration: **2 minutes**



## Online support materials

(in Finnish) Audio recording / Teeny-tiny Boogie Boots (SoundCloud)

(in Finnish) Music class video / Teeny-tiny Boogie Boots end song (YouTube)

(in Finnish) Video tutorial / Strawberry and boogie chords on kantele and piano (YouTube)

(in Finnish) Instrument making instructions / written and video (oomc.fi)

Picture cards / Activity and Equipment Cards (pdf, oomc.fi)

## Skills exercises

- Emotion skill: kindness/tenderness

## Equipment

- Audio recording or accompanying instrument, such as a five-string kantele, rhythm instrument or self-made instrument. The Boogie Boots website contains instructions for instrument making and everyday musical instruments.
- The picture cards can be used to support play: circle and loving.

## How to play

1. Verse: Sit in a circle. The players put their toes in the middle of the circle and wiggle them to the beat of the music.

2. Verse: Players tickle their own toes. Players pat themselves on the legs, starting from their ankles and moving up to their thighs. They finish by giving themselves a hug. Players can also hug a friend if it feels nice and is OK for the group.

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## Accompanying and playing a song together

The song can be accompanied by a five-string kantele. Playing is also very well suited to older players.

Two different chords are played on the kantele:

- Boogie chord: Dampen the middle string with your left hand. Use your right hand to strum the other chords.
- Strawberry chord: Dampen strings 2 and 4. Use your right hand to strum the other chords.

The song is played in D-major (start from the longest string to the shortest D-E-F#-G-A).

## Adapting a task

**Make the task easier**

- The players can also move around the circle along with the music. Finally, all of the players can join in a group hug.

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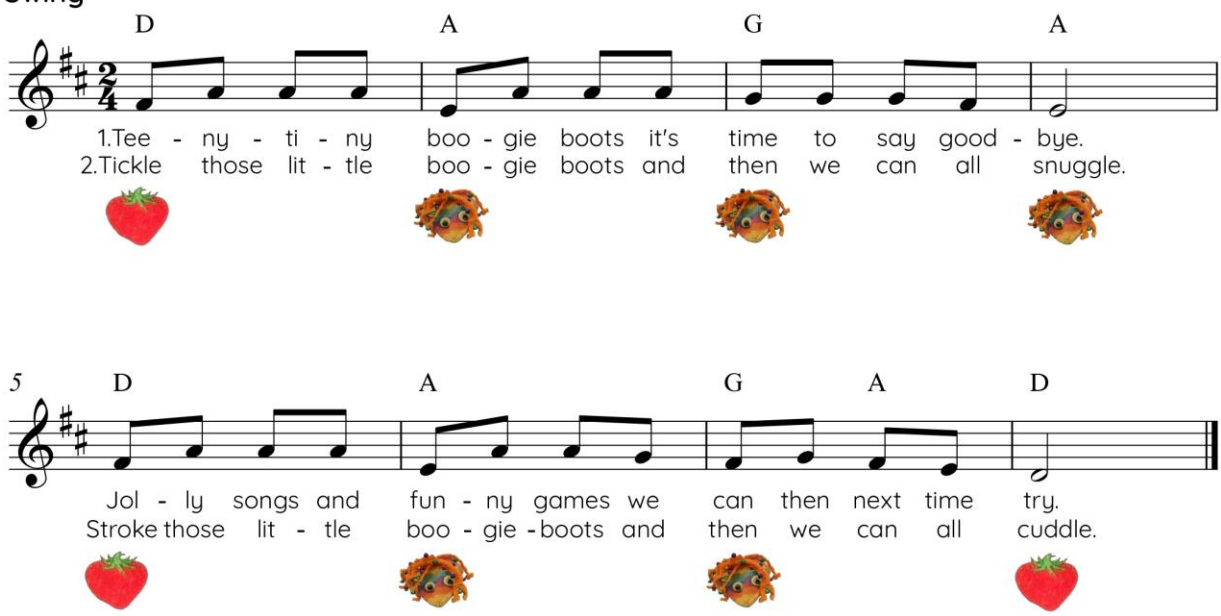
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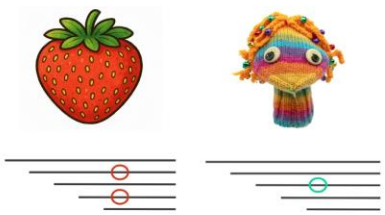
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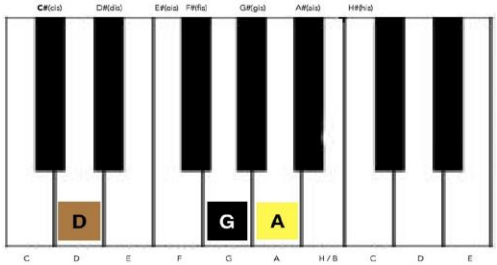
Swing




Accompaniment with kantele



Accompaniment with piano




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