

Song Learning tips

Listen to the song 3-4 times in silence. Don't try to sing or practice along just yet-- you'll be practicing the wrong words and notes until you know the song well.

Listen another 3 or 4 times and mouth the words but don't sing yet!

Sing through the notes - without words - using a single vowel such as *ah* or *oh*

Memorize the lyrics. Keep singing along with the lyrics in front of you until you feel like you have them memorized, likely five or six times depending on the song.

As you get comfortable, close your eyes and sing sections to see if you have them down.

Practice good singing habits. While everyone is born with a set vocal "range," taking care of your voice and practicing vocal exercises can make the difference between nailing a song and struggling. And, though everyone has a set range, you need to practice in order to reach that range. to hit every note.

- Always warm up your voice before singing.
- Try not to scream or yell during the day, as it strains your vocal chords.
- Have a reference note on hand if you are having trouble staying in tune.

Break down the song into smaller parts. Practice each section on its own, perfecting one before moving on to the next. Mastering the hard parts instead of trying to sing the entire song every time will highlight and eliminate mistakes faster.

Practice as often as you can. Keep singing the song until you feel comfortable, record yourself singing and listen in to find any mistakes.

Revise the song at least once a week. Regularly sing the song to remember everything you have worked on. Lyrics are usually easy to remember but those notes can take longer! Just keep going 😊