

Listen Up!

Listen to these three **Rock 'n' Roll** songs
The first song is called **Tutti Frutti** and was first performed by in 1956 by Elvis Presley.



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hJ8mCwfUNq4>

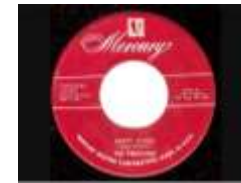
Now listen to **Little Bitty Pretty One** by **Frankie Lymon**



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hys-XGA8p60>

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And finally, listen to **Earth Angel** by **The Penguins**.



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VJcGi4-n_Yw

Find **one** statement from **each** of the boxes below that matches each song:

Introduction	
i	Piano, bass, drums and voices
ii	Guitar
iii	Drums & voices
iv	Solo voice

Backing Singers	
i	Children's choir
ii	Female
iii	None
iv	Male

Singing Styles	
i	Scat & oohs
ii	Scat singing
iii	Humming and wahs
iv	Oohs and aahs

Explore

Scat singing is used in jazz music. It is performed by using the voice to make sounds, but not using any recognisable words. A singer would improvise (make up) a solo using nonsense syllables which is like a musical instrument solo in a song. Scat singing probably started when singers like **Louis Armstrong** and **Ella Fitzgerald** began to use their voices to copy the sounds of instruments.

Listen to **Ella Fitzgerald** singing a song called **One Note Samba**. Can you pick out any of the nonsense words she uses?
Write them down.



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PbL9vr4Q2LU>

Here is a list of nonsense words that are often used to Scat sing:

Doo doo; Doo wah; Bap de ba ; Be bop; Scoobie ooh da; Doobidy roo;

Can you make up some of your own?

Extras

Listen to each song from the first section again but this time write down **all** the instruments used in each song. Choose from the following list:

PIANO BASS SAXOPHONES DRUMS
ELECTRIC GUITAR TRUMPET TROMBONE

Watch this cartoon called **Scat Cat**.
Try to join in every time the cat sings with your own scat words!!



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-Gt-Lj7fekk>