SINGING IN 3D WITH SHABANG!

THE POP SONG

We hope you enjoy this original Shabang Song.
Here are some ideas to help your song go with a swing – we call this "singing in 3D" – it helps to make a song as accessible as possible, for everyone. Shabang songs are pretty straightforward to sign in Makaton.

THE POP SONG is great for:

· Naming parts of the body
· Getting moving
· Learning "P" sounds
· Use hand held bubbles to learn to blow - great for speech and language, strengthening mouth and face muscles

Add some bubbles to this song and you have a fun sensory experience everyone will love. Bubble machines are easy to get hold of and usually quite cheap.

Other ideas:

· Use paint and bubble wrap to make bubbly prints
· Blow bubbles in a tray of watery paint and make prints – add some bubblemix to the solution to make super bubbles
· Make your own bubble blower by shaping pipe cleaners – you can make round, heart shaped, oval triangular ends.
· Foot spas filled with bubble bath are great sensory experience

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· Make your own giant bubble blower from a plastic bottle. (cut the bottom off the bottle and replace it by taping some net from oranges or lemons bags) Dip into a solution and blow. The net will make big bubbles. If your bubble solution has some water based paint in it you can make amazing patterns. Also great for a big group project – a huge piece of paper shared amongst a group of bubble blowers will make a wonderful collaborative picture.

Have fun and let us know how it goes – send us pictures – we would love to see how you get on.

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