

## RSE Day: 29<sup>th</sup> June 2023

**Enjoy music on the themes of friendship and kindness with Nottingham Music Hub's playlist.**

The playlist can be used for activities with children including dancing, singing and asking children to share experiences where others have been kind to them or they have been kind to someone else.

See our list of songs with a link to the YouTube playlist [here](#). You can also create your own list on Spotify or another audio app by using the song titles below.

We've shared a brief introduction to the piece as well. Enjoy!

1. *Feel the Love* by Dadi Freyr

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Ujj03vQTjI>

This is a song by the Icelandic singers Daði Freyr and Ásdís. Daði Freyr represented Iceland at the Eurovision Contest 2021. This song has been a hit online and received over 75 million streams!

2. *One Love* by Bob Marley

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vdB-8eLEW8g>

'One Love' is a ska song by Bob Marley's original group The Wailers. This song featured on their 1965 debut studio album: *The Wailing Wailers*. Bob Marley is one of the most famous musicians from Jamaica and this song is one of his biggest hits. 'One Love' is an expression of unity and inclusion.

3. *Togetherness* by Alison Hinds

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=30azP2lsyZl>

Alison Hinds is a cultural ambassador for Barbados and the Caribbean. She is famous for her powerful vocals and high-energy performances. The song has powerful lyrics about unity, community and togetherness, and is well suited to being performed at carnivals and festivals.

4. *Touch the Sky* by Julie Fowlis

[Brave | Touch the Sky | Disney Sing-Along - YouTube](#)

This inspirational song was performed by the Scottish folk singer and musicians Julie Fowlis. The song is featured in the Disney/Pixar animated movie 'Brave'.

5. *Sing* by Gary Barlow  
[Sing - Gary Barlow & The Commonwealth Band featuring Military Wives - YouTube](#)

This song is written by British singer-songwriter Gary Barlow, and British composer Andrew Lloyd Webber. It was performed by a number of artists organised by Barlow from across the Commonwealth to commemorate the Diamond Jubilee of Queen Elizabeth II.

6. *With a Little Help from My Friends* by Joe Cocker (cover version)  
[Joe Cocker - With a little help from my friends - YouTube](#)

This track was written by John Lennon and Paul McCartney and originally performed by the Beatles. This version is by American singer/songwriter Joe Cocker.

7. *Be More Kind* by Frank Turner  
[Frank Turner - Be More Kind \(Visualiser\) - YouTube](#)

This lovely, mellow song is written by Frank Turner, an English singer/songwriter. It was released in 2018.

8. *Help* by The Beatles  
[bit.ly/3U2t62y](http://bit.ly/3U2t62y)

This is a song by one of the most famous bands in England, the Beatles. It was released in 1965.

9. *Treat People With Kindness* by Harry Styles  
[Harry Styles - Treat People With Kindness \(Official Video\) - YouTube](#)

This upbeat song was recorded by Harry Styles, a British musician, and is included in his second album released in 2019.

10. *You've Got a Friend* by Carole King  
[Carole King - You've Got a Friend \(Official Audio\) - YouTube](#)

This is a song by an American singer/songwriter. It was first released in 1971 and since then has been covered by any other artists and won Grammy awards.

11. *You're My Best Friend* by Queen  
[Queen - You're My Best Friend \(Official Video\) - YouTube](#)

This song is by the British rock band Queen, written by the band's bass player, John Deacon, who wrote it for and about his wife. It was first included on the 1975 album 'A Night at the Opera', and later released as a single.

12. *Lean On Me* by Bill Withers  
[Lean on Me - YouTube](#)

This song is written and recorded by American singer-songwriter Bill Withers. The inspiration for this song comes from Bill Withers' childhood in a coal mining town in West Virginia, USA. He wrote the song after he had moved to Los Angeles and found himself missing the strong community ethic of his hometown.

13. *True Colours* by Cyndi Lauper  
[Cyndi Lauper - True Colors \(Live\) - YouTube](#)

True Colors was written by American songwriters Billy Steinberg and Tom Kelly. This song was both the title track and the first single released by American singer Cyndi Lauper's second album (1986). It is one of Lauper's most famous songs. The lyrics are inspired by Steinberg's mother.

14. *Hey Brother* by Avicii  
[Avicii - Hey Brother \(Lyrics\) - YouTube](#)

This is a dance song by Swedish DJ and record producer Avicii. The vocals are by American bluegrass singer Dan Tyminski. The piece was written by Avicii, Ash Pournouri, Salem Al Fakir, Vincent Pontare and Veronica Maggio.

15. *Yaron* by KK  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LCfvYo3ILG0>

This song is by Indian artist Krishnakumar Kunnath, who was popularly known as KK. KK was an Indian playback singer and he passed away in 2022. This song (*Yaron* is a Hindi word and can be translated as 'friends') is about how precious friendship is and how life wouldn't be as beautiful without our friends.