

## PAPER MARACAS

## Lesson of the Day:

Music is a universal language. No matter what language someone speaks, a piece of music can speak to their heart. Even if the words to the song are in another language, someone can still connect to the emotion. Try listening to some music from another country. You never know what you might like!



## **Materials:**

- Paper
- Markers
- Glitter glue
- Popsicle sticks
- Scissors
- Glue



## Instructions:

- 1. Discuss the lesson of the day with your students. Talk about what it means to them.
- 2. Have students draw the outline of a maraca, or draw one for them. Have them color it in, with a fun pattern if they want. Just tell them to make sure it's colorful!
- 3. Let them decorate with glitter glue, sequins, or whatever other decorations you want to allow them.
- 4. Have them cut the maraca out of the paper.
- 5. When they've cut it out nicely, have them glue the paper maraca to the popsicle stick.