

CBC Music's Canadian Music Class Challenge is proud to announce the song list for our 2018 edition. If you're a teacher of an elementary, junior high, high school, after-school program or music club, or know somebody who is, be sure to share this list with them.

If you're a music student or parent of one, be sure to alert your music teacher. The challenge is open for students at the elementary, junior-high, and high-school levels.

Below is the list of this year's pre-approved songs for use in the challenge. If you're new to the Class Challenge, this is your chance to teach Canadian music in the classroom with the support of CBC Music and MusiCounts.

- "Stay" by Alessia Cara
- "There's Nothing Holdin' me Back" by Shawn Mendes
- "Hallelujah" by Leonard Cohen
- "Big Yellow Taxi" by Joni Mitchell
- "What I Wouldn't Do" by Serena Ryder
- "Knocking at the Door" and "People's Champ" by Arkells
- "If I Had a Million Dollars" by Barenaked Ladies
- "Giants" by Lights
- "The Unforgotten" by Iskwé
- "Must be Santa" by Raffi

- "Rien a Faire" by Marie-Pierre Arthur
- "Life is a Highway" by Tom Cochrane
- "Sure" by aquakultre
- "Takin' Care of Business" by Bachman Turner Overdrive
- "Carry it On" by Buffy Sainte-Marie
- "C Okay" by LGS (Le Groupe Swing)
- "Mon Pays" by Gilles Vigneault
- "Mummers Dance" by Loreena McKennitt
- "Charmed Life" by Diana Krall
- "I Went to the Market" (traditional)
- "Je Veux Tout" by Ariane Moffatt
- "Weighty Ghost" by Wintersleep

Your challenge: choose a song from the list, then teach it to your students once classes commence in the fall of 2018. Register your class, then submit a video of the class performing the song by our deadline.