



Below is a proforma that can be copied and sent home prior to unit 4 lesson 3 (*Music for Different Purposes*).

Similar letters could be sent home prior to the lessons 1 (*Music from other Times*), 2 (*Music from other Places*) and 4 (*Music for Dancing*), encouraging parents to send music and dance from their own countries and cultures, or from their own teenage times.

Any link between music at school and music at home is valuable in establishing a link between the classroom and the broader world. It is also valuable in promoting self-esteem in the students and connections between school and school community, students and parents.

## Proforma

Dear Parents

In our music program, we are learning about the different uses of music in the world.

As a part of our study, we will be learning about lullabies.

Next week the students will be given the opportunity to sing or play a recording of a lullaby from home. This could be something that was sung to them as a baby or something that their parents or grandparents remember from their childhood.

Do you have a lullaby to share with our class?

This lesson will be on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

We thank you for your assistance

Signed \_\_\_\_\_