## Foundation Programme in Literacy, Numeracy and Skills

# **WESTERN MUSIC**

### Student's Worksheets: GRADE 8 Week 7

## **Stage Performance**



#### Introduction

When people perform on stage, it is important for everyone to be respectful so the show is enjoyable for all.

#### The **audience** should:

- watch the show quietly and attentively.
- avoid talking or making loud noises, and allow everyone to enjoy the performance without distractions.

**Performers** should also behave respectfully on stage. They should be:

- well-prepared
- arrive on time
- show appreciation for the audience
- Showing confidence

When both **performers and audience members** show respect and behave appropriately, the performance becomes a positive and memorable experience for everyone involved.

#### **Activity 1**

#### **Understanding Stage behaviour**

- Watch the following video on 'Concert Etiquette for Performers'
  - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P-dTwlL7KKQ
- What have you learned about concert behaviour for performers?
- Watch the video below on 'What to do at a Concert?'
  - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=re\_SypFujRk
- What have you learnt about the way to behave as an audience at a concert/performance?

#### **Activity 2**

#### **Practicing Performance behaviour**

#### **Get ready to perform:**

- 1. Prepare for a short performance in class in groups or individually.
- 2. Use a song you have learnt in a previous lesson in front of the audience.
- 3. Adopt the proper behaviour during the performance.

#### **Performance behaviour**

#### Performers should:

- Be prepared and focused.
- Enter and leave the performance area calmly.
- Perform with confidence and respect for the audience.

#### Audience members should:

- Remain quiet and attentive throughout the performance.
- Avoid talking or making noises.
- Clap politely at the end of each performance.