

# Music news & notes

## Music To Enchant Children

(NAPSA)—It's music to their ears: An award-winning educational program bringing the powerful benefits of music and music-making to millions of youngsters with the help of some popular pals.



**These Sesame Street characters are just part of the fun of learning about music.**

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Created in response to studies linking active music-making to such benefits as improved brain-power, academic performance and social adjustment, the multimedia “Sesame Street Music Works” program provides the start on a lifetime of music-making. Children can visit the free, interactive Sesame Street Music Zone Web site or order the “Music Works Wonders” video.

- Sesame Street Music Zone offers educational fun and games for young kids while exploring such key music concepts as sound, rhythm, form, melody and musical expression.

- The 22-minute “Music Works Wonders” video demonstrates that music is all around and that it's something anyone—even a child (or a muppet)—can enjoy creating.

To visit the Sesame Street Music Zone, go to [www.sesamestreet.com](http://www.sesamestreet.com). Copies of the video can be ordered online for \$17 each, plus shipping and handling, from [www.sesameworkshop.org/educationalresources](http://www.sesameworkshop.org/educationalresources).

To find out more about music's proven benefits for kids, visit [www.amc-music.org](http://www.amc-music.org).