# **PROJECT: THE PLANETS**

AGE RANGE: 4 - 5 YEARS (It can be extended and adapted to other age groups)

#### **ACTIVITY 1**

## PREPARATION FOR SPACE TRAVEL

Ask students what they would find on a journey through space and how we would make this journey.

Start with the preparations for the space travel by putting on space indumentary (clothes, boots and helmet).

## **BOARDING THE ROCKET**

We visit several planets following the sound of the tambourine, and as soon as we land on each planet, due to gravity, the astronauts make different poses.

## **ASTRONAUT (RHYME)**

EU SOU UM ASTRONAUTA (I AM AN ASTRONAUT)

E VIM PARA VOAR (AND I CAME TO FLY)

NUMA POSE ESPACIAL (IN A SPATIAL POSE)

NA ESTRELA VOU PARAR (ON THE STAR I WILL LAND)

https://youtu.be/EbsJraUym4I (Astronauta)

# **ACTIVITY 2**

Time to know the names of the planets and imagine the sounds of each planet using everyday objects available in your home.

https://youtu.be/kIPG9ci68q0 (Sons dos Planetas - Planets' Sounds)

## **PLANETS' SOUNDS**

VAMOS OUVIR (LET'S HEAR)

VAMOS ESCUTAR (LET'S LISTEN)

O SOM DO PLANETA (THE SOUND OF THE PLANET)

QUE VOU APRESENTAR (THAT I WILL PRESENT)

# SONS DOS PLANETAS

Gabriela Abdalla



# **ACTIVITY 3**

The time has come to get to know the planets' sounds.

Can you recognize the instruments?

https://youtu.be/42ZXwDDas7M (Viagem Interplanetária - Interplanetary Travel)



Now it's time for you to create the sounds for your journey!

https://youtu.be/u3fpG Mgprg (Viagem interplanetária - Interplanetary Travel - no sound)

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