

# Music from Around the World: Exploring Music from Other Cultures...



Our world is enormous with billions of different people living all over, all different and all liking different things. But no matter who you are or where you are in the world, people love music.

But what is popular in one country isn't always popular in another. Sometimes different parts of the world have their own unique styles of music, and even their own instruments which can be quite different from our own.

In this unit, you will listen to music from all over the world and learn a little about the countries and the people who live in those areas.

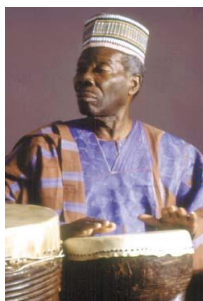
## Nigeria – African Drumming



Nigeria in Africa



Djembe Drums



Babatunde Olatunji, famous African drummer

## India – Traditional Dance Music vs Bollywood Dance Music



India in Asia



India is famous for its Bollywood film industry. These films feature fantastic dance sequences.

## Argentina – Tango



Argentina in South America



Tango is quick, energetic dance.



Astor Piazzolla, famous tango composer

## Trinidad and Tobago – Calypso



Trinidad and Tobago in North America



Steel drums



Carnivals are hugely popular where people dress up and dance to calypso music.

## Brazil – Samba



Brazil in South America



Carnivals are hugely popular where people dress up and dance to samba music.



Sérgio Mendes, famous samba composer

## Pakistan – Qawwali



Pakistan in Asia

Qawwali music is a type of traditional singing sung in groups called parties.



Nusrat Fateh Ali Khan, a master Qawwali singer