Creating Your Own Tracks

Create your own tracks in GarageBand using four “familiar songs” and one of your own!

**Set Up**

Open GarageBand

Click “New Project”🡪 Piano 🡪choose

Save As: YourNameFamiliarTunes (ex. MrRosnerFamiliarTunes)

Click “Create”

To create your tracks for bass and drums, click Track🡪New Track🡪 Software Instrument. You will do this twice (once for bass, once for drums).

To switch the type of track, click on the different instruments on the right side of the window. There are many options for bass and drum kit styles.

You should now have 3 different tracks, one for each instrument.

**Practice**

Click Window🡪 Musical Typing

Using your piano sheet as a reference, practice playing the different tunes.

**Record**

Click on the Grand Piano track so that it is highlighted.

You are ready to record your song!

Click the red circle to record and hit the SPACE BAR to stop.

Play back your recording and re-record until you are happy with it!!

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Repeat the practice steps for your other tracks as well, while your piano melody is playing. You decide what to play for bass and drums!!

Have Fun ☺