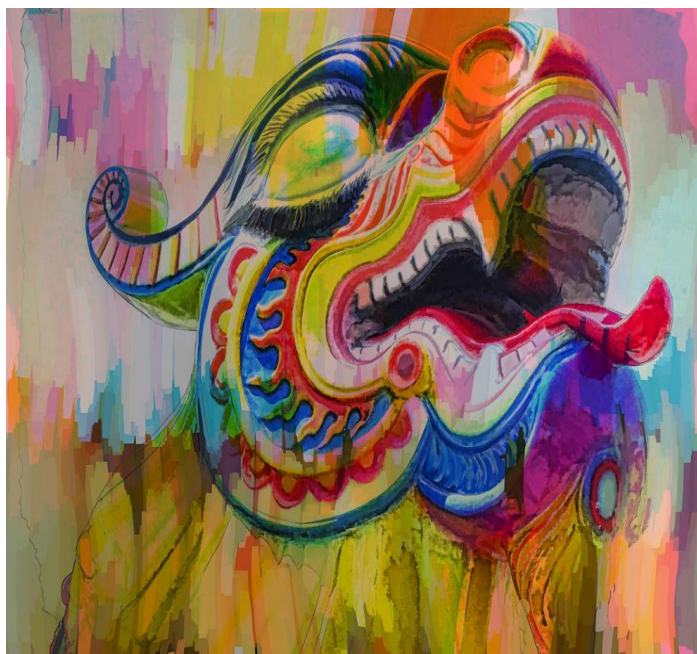




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## Module 5: Celebration Theme 5B: Carnival

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## Theme 5B Focus: Carnival

Theme 5B Learning Activities explore:

- ▶ **Visual Art:** Create costumes and decorations that reflect the theme of celebration by transforming recycled materials, paper and fabrics
- ▶ **Music, Dance and Performance:** Create music, rhythms and dance for a Carnival Procession
- ▶ **Literacy:** Share ideas and understanding of celebration, diversity and shared cultures with peers and the community

# Learning Resources and Materials

## Materials:

Recycled natural and found materials, paper, feathers, fabrics, scissors, fixing materials including glue, needles and thread

Drawing materials, paint, pots, brushes and water

## Resources:

Additional weblinks provide exemplification and support



Materials <https://pxhere.com/en/photo/830896>

[https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/9/90/Make\\_a\\_difference%2C\\_Understanding\\_Pendleton%27s\\_recycling\\_program\\_DVIDS536227.jpg](https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/9/90/Make_a_difference%2C_Understanding_Pendleton%27s_recycling_program_DVIDS536227.jpg)

# Be inspired by art & culture!



Nnenna Okore (CCPD)

[https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/en/a/a8/Life\\_force\\_installation\\_view.jpg](https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/en/a/a8/Life_force_installation_view.jpg)

<https://nnennaokore.com/home.html>



Image courtesy of WOMAD Foundation



Lantern Festival (CCO PD) <https://pxhere.com/en/photo/552446>

# All Levels Carnival: Introduction

Carnival celebrations in different global cultures:

- Look at examples of carnivals in this presentation and online for inspiration.
- Make drawings and paintings to illustrate your favourite aspects of Carnival.
- Create carnival costumes, choreograph dances & music. Celebrate!



Masskara Festival [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MassKara\\_Festival](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MassKara_Festival) CCO PD



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# All Levels Global Carnival: Introduction

Find out more about the origins of different Carnival celebrations:

- ▶ Carnival celebrates a special day or time with: processions, music, dance, costume, food, fun.
- ▶ Carnival links with cultural Festival days.
- ▶ Carnival is held in many countries in spring as a Pre-Lent or spring harvest celebration:

<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/travel/top-10/pre-lenten-carnivals/>

<http://www.globalcarnivalcentre.com/>

[https://ciece.typepad.com/files/carnaval-origins\\_w-photos-1.pdf](https://ciece.typepad.com/files/carnaval-origins_w-photos-1.pdf)



# All Levels Global Carnival: Introduction

- ▶ Holi is a Hindu Festival held in India, Nepal & global Hindu communities.
- ▶ Holi is the Indian **festival of spring**, and **festival of colours** - signifying the arrival of spring and a good harvest.
- ▶ Holi is celebrated with a bonfire, prayers, food, song and dance, and a carnival-style procession where everyone is sprayed with coloured water.
- ▶ Holi Festival: <https://www.holifestival.org/>
- ▶ Video: Holi [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R1hs5FO\\_Oqk](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R1hs5FO_Oqk)



# All Levels Global Carnival: Introduction

- ▶ Chinese New Year Festival is held in China & global Chinese communities.
- ▶ Chinese New Year is the beginning of the Chinese Lunar New Year.  
<https://chinesenewyear.net/zodiac/>
- ▶ It is celebrated with a carnival-style procession with a dragon and Zodiac animals, family meals and prayers.
- ▶ Video: *The Story of Chinese New Year*

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_u-R-alq3\\_E](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_u-R-alq3_E)

Chinese New Year Dragon (CC BY-SA 4.0):

[https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Chinese\\_new\\_year\\_dragon\\_2014.jpg](https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Chinese_new_year_dragon_2014.jpg)

Chinese New Year Singapore (CC0):

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chinese\\_New\\_Year#/media/File:Chinese\\_New\\_Year\\_decorations\\_along\\_New\\_Bridge\\_Road,\\_Singapore\\_-\\_20150215.jpg](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chinese_New_Year#/media/File:Chinese_New_Year_decorations_along_New_Bridge_Road,_Singapore_-_20150215.jpg)



# Level 1, 2 & 3 Learning Activities: Carnival Making

- ▶ Research ideas for cultural masks, headdresses, costumes and decorations.
- ▶ Select a theme or culture to inspire your Carnival making.
- ▶ Collect materials - you can use recycled materials where possible.
- ▶ Watch Kids' Carnival: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V7gqw-M1\\_HQ](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V7gqw-M1_HQ)



Carnival mask <https://pixabay.com/illustrations/carnival-mask-colorful-rio-modern-2803849/>



Carnival Dragon Head <https://www.publicdomainpictures.net/en/view-image.php?image=255521&picture=carnival-dragon-head>

## Level 1 Learning Activities: Carnival Mask Making

- ▶ **Create a Carnival mask**
- ▶ **Resources:** recycled card, paper, coloured/tissue paper, scraps of material, glitter, feathers, glue, scissors etc.
- ▶ **See Theme 3B Masks for further ideas**



**Video: Carnival mask tutorial:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JGysZ3YB-4w>

**Video: Paper Mache Mask:**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MK\\_TZTrBxwc](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MK_TZTrBxwc)

**Video: Venetian mask tutorial:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=191gk94ubzc>

# Level 2 Learning Activities: Carnival Headdress Making

- **Create a Carnival Headdress**
- **Resources:** recycled card, paper, coloured/tissue paper, scraps of material, glitter, feathers, glue, scissors, needles, thread etc.



**Video: Carnival Headband:**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ftKFSO\\_OdeRg](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ftKFSO_OdeRg)

**Video: Ocean Theme Headdress:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GPXmhM6rLOI>

**Video: Samba Headdress**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TUyMgU5k1JY&list=PLch30lF8MmksafoKmhg5gHamyyn1vZrrF&index=6&t=0s>

# Level 3 Learning Activities: Carnival Costume Making

- **Create a Carnival Costume**
- **Resources:** recycled card, paper, coloured/tissue paper, scraps of material, glitter, feathers, glue, scissors, needles, thread etc.



Carnival Costume (CC BY 3.0)

[https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Nottingham\\_Carnival\\_Costume.jpg](https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Nottingham_Carnival_Costume.jpg)

## **Video: DIY Costumes:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gCYBQnQFjkl&list=PLSMJxTFij36gl9Y9-dZ5pa5Nklxi7ep3y&index=10>

## **Video: Carnival Winged Costume:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QLjmBWtDjqc>

## **Video: DIY Costumes with Recycled Materials:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3SqMlqqYfeE>

# Bath UK: Community Carnival

Lucy Baker Photography Instagram - @lucybakerphoto

Website - [www.lucybakerphotography.com](http://www.lucybakerphotography.com)



# All Levels Learning Activities: Carnival Rhythms

- ▶ Explore music, dance and movement from a range of cultures
- ▶ See **Theme 5C** for ideas on creating rhythmical music at different levels



Carnival dance <https://pxhere.com/en/photo/687760>

**Join in with these rhythms and dance moves:**

*Junior Parade of the Bands 2019:*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pn9GIRoHbwk>

*Samba Dance Carnival:*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k63xMaoK4wk>

*Chinese Dragon Dance*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ep6FJmh3jJ4>

# Carnival Rhythms: explore music, dance and movement

Explore rhythm and sound with recycled instruments- more information in Theme 5C

- Look at this recycled orchestra [www.youtube.com/watch?v=yDQ6c\\_bLr2o](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yDQ6c_bLr2o)
- Experiment with putting sounds together to make a pattern or rhythm.
- Use some of the rhythm patterns and sounds to make your own body percussion [www.youtube.com/watch?v=5AhrTeBVW4M](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5AhrTeBVW4M)
- Make some music and movement to celebrate a carnival!



Image courtesy of WOMAD foundation

# All Levels: Carnival Rhythms - Procession

- Create a procession based on your Carnival explorations and making



Manchester Carnival CCO PD <https://www.geograph.org.uk/photo/3501988>



Philippine Carnival CCO PD <https://pxhere.com/en/photo/1428009>

# Creating a procession based on your ideas:

- Work collaboratively sharing expertise and ideas.
- Look at examples of carnivals in this presentation and online for inspiration.
- Investigate the meanings of global carnivals.
- Create a procession for a festival or celebration.
- Consider sound, movement and visuals.
- Develop costume designs, music and dance choreography.
- Share and celebrate with your family, friends and the community.





**Bath Carnival  
Procession:**  
collaboration  
between Bath  
Spa University  
and local  
schools.



# Further Learning Resources:

- ▶ Landfill Harmonic

<http://www.landfillharmonicmovie.com/>

- ▶ World Music Network

<https://worldmusic.net/blogs/guide-to-world-music>

- ▶ Body Percussion

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=5AhrTeBVW4M](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5AhrTeBVW4M)

- ▶ Notting Hill Carnival Children's Parade

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YURnysjdSgU>

- ▶ WOMAD Festival

<https://womad.co.uk/>

- ▶ Womad Foundation

<https://www.womadfoundation.org/>

- ▶ Carnivals around the world

<https://theculturetrip.com/europe/articles/the-12-best-carnivals-around-the-world/>