

Tunes You Can Use

(and places you can use them)

Call Back Songs

Use these to call people back from a break. If the volume is down a bit for music you are playing during the break, bring it back up. I often pause the music and say, "Thirty seconds until show time! Grab your drink or snack and take your seat." After they are all seated, if you are going to go to a certain page in your handout or booklet, announce, "Once you are seated, please turn to page 11 in your handout!"

Pretty Woman (Roy Orbison)
Freeway of Love (Aretha Franklin)
Jailhouse Rock (Elvis)
Sing a Song (Earth, Wind and Fire)
Beyond the Sea (Bobby Darin or Kevin Spacey)
Twist and Shout (Isley Brothers or Beatles)
Old Time Rock and Roll (Bob Seger)



Music During Movement

Since you are asking them to be UP and moving around, the music should be UP (upbeat, that is) and the volume should be fairly loud to bring the conversation up underneath the volume level.

Ain't Too Proud to Beg (Temptations)
Brown Eyed Girl (Van Morrison)
Devil With a Blue Dress On/Good Golly Miss Molly (Mitch Ryder)
Footloose (Kenny Loggins)
Get Ready (Temptations)
Heat Wave (Martha and the Vandellas)
I Can't Help Myself (Four Tops)
May I (Bill Deal and the Rhondels)
My Maria (Brooks & Dunn)
Rockin' Robin (Bobby Day)
The Lion Sleeps Tonight (Tokens)
The Wanderer (Dion)
Catch a Wave (Beach Boys)

Distribution Dipstick Handing Out Materials

Get four volunteers (one volunteer per six or seven participants) and instruct each of them to stand in a corner and hold whatever you are distributing. Instruct participants to line up and pay their volunteer an appropriate compliment. If the compliment is appropriate, they will receive a handout. If not, there are still three others from whom to choose.

I Like It! (Gerry and the Pacemakers)
I Get Around (Beach Boys)
Get Ready (Temptations)
Love Me Do (Beatles)
Surfin' Safari (Beach Boys)
Sherry (Four Seasons)

Songs With Which to Dismiss the Group

When you are finished with the training, help them “groove” on out the door with something from this list:

Joy to the World (Three Dog Night)

YMCA (Village People)

Celebration (Kool & the Gang)

Together Forever (Rick Astley)

Pride and Joy (Marvin Gaye)

Songs to Put Into Your Mix Just Before You Start Your Session

These are upbeat songs that are easily recognizable **OR** ones that get everyone’s attention and set their toes a tapping.

Domino (Van Morrison)

It’s a Shame (The Spinners)

Let’s Groove (Earth, Wind and Fire)

Bright Side of the Road (Van Morrison)

Respect (Aretha Franklin)

California Dreamin’ (Mamas and Papas)