

Hot Cross Buns

Name of Song or Rhyme

“Hot cross buns”

Street Song

First line of song or rhyme (text only)

Song type

Use a checkmark (✓) or “X” in appropriate boxes

Melodic	Melodic/Cultural Analysis		Rhythmic/Uses Analysis		Rhythmic
M1. CSP	A	Source's Starting Pitch: A4			R1. Meter
M2. Scale	do trichord				R2. Metronome
M3. Toneset	(d) r m				R3. Note values
M4. Range	1 - 3		☐ Outer:	☐ Inner:	R4. Upbeat
M5. Mel. Form	A A B A		☐ Iso	☒ Hetero	R5. Rhy. Form
M6. Cadences	1 1 2 1		A A B A		R6. Beats/phrase
M7. Intervals			4 4 4 4		R7. Podia
M8. Target Phrases	A: m-r-d B: d-r		☒ Iso	☐ Bi	R8. Target Phrases
M9. M. Diffic.			☐ Hetero	☐ Tetra	
M10. Other			☐ Tri		R9. R. Diffic.
			☒ Other: Monopodic		R10. Other
Cultural					Classroom Use
C1. Context	Street cry		Actual Verses on Page 2		U1. # of verses
C2. Ethnicity	English				U2. Improv.
C3. Geographic	England				U3. Listening
C4. Source: Where did this version come from?	Erdei, P. (Ed.). (1974) <i>150 American Folk Songs to Sing, Read and Play</i> (p. 1). Boosey & Hawkes.		Additional Room on Page 2		U4. Game Directions/ Movement
C5. Source info	☐ Primary	☐ Secondary	☒ Tertiary	d-r-m	U5. Ped. Uses
C6. Research Notes	Additional Room on Page 2 See page 2		Vendor		U6. Roles
C7. Holiday	Lent, Good Friday		Food, Counting, Religious		U7. Themes



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Stick Notation:

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<i>m</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>d</i>			

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<i>m</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>d</i>		

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<i>d</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>r</i> <i>r</i> <i>r</i> <i>r</i>

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<i>m</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>d</i>		

C6. Additional Research Notes	
Hot cross buns are a spiced English confection, associated with the end of Lent. They are eaten on Good Friday in various countries.	
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U1. Additional Verses	U4. Game/Dance/Movement Instructions