

Examples of Student-Selected Song Titles and Artists that Reflect Transcendental Thinking

Oldies/Classics	Pop/Rock	R&B/Rap	New Age/Classical	Country
<p>Otis Redding: "Sitting on the Dock of the Bay" Louis Armstrong: "What a Wonderful World" Billy Joel: "Just the Way You Are" Frank Sinatra: "My Way" Grateful Dead: "Liberty" Bob Marley: "Get Up, Stand Up" Beatles: "Here Comes the Sun" Bob Dylan: "Blowin' in the Wind" Joni Mitchell: "Big Yellow Taxi" Three Dog Night: "Joy to the World"</p>	<p>Madonna: "Respect Yourself" Mariah Carey: "Hero" Dave Matthews Band: "Cry Freedom" U2: "Beautiful Day" Van Halen: "Dreams" Creed: "Higher" Dido: "My Life" Jewel: "Hands" Backstreet Boys: "Shining Star" Bon Jovi: "My Life" Vanessa Williams: "Colors of the Wind" Michael Jackson: "Earth Song" Whitney Houston: "One Moment in Time" Sting: "Fields of Gold" Alanis Morissette: "Ironic" Jack Johnson: "Anything But The Truth" Lindsay Lohan: "Drama Queen (That Girl)" Nickelback: "Far Away" Tracy Chapman: "Fast Car" Daniel Powter: "Bad Day" Lady Gaga: "Love Game"</p>	<p>R. Kelly: "I Believe I Can Fly" Tupac Shakur: "Keep Ya Head Up" Destiny's Child: "Survivor" Desiree: "You Gotta Be" Jennifer Lopez: "I'm Real" Janet Jackson: "Clouds" India Arie: "Video" Jermaine Jackson: "Rise to the Occasion" En Vogue: "Free Your Mind"</p>	<p>Enya: "Sail Away" Cranberries: "Copy Cat" Tim Janis: "Water's Edge" Vivaldi: "Four Seasons" Yanni: "Rain Must Fall" Handel: "Water Music Suite, No.2 for orchestra in D major" Modest Mussorgsky: "Night on Bald Mountain, A, for orchestra"</p>	<p>Dixie Chicks: "Wide Open Spaces" Lee Ann Womack: "I Hope You Dance" Billy Gilman: "Hero" Garth Brooks: "The River" and "We Shall Be Free" Norman Blake: "You Are My Sunshine" Martina McBride: "Independence Day" Trisha Yearwood: "Real Live Woman" Tim McGraw: "Place in the Sun" and "Don't Take the Girl" Jo Dee Messina: "Burn" Rascal Flatts: "Prayin' for Daylight" and "What Hurts the Most" Keith Urban: "Tonight I Wanna Cry" Taylor Swift: "Teardrops on My Guitar" and "Love Story"</p>

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