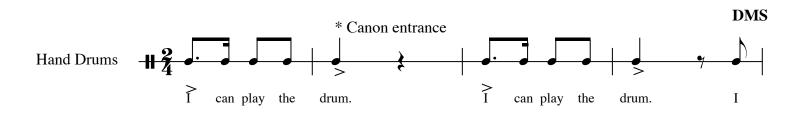
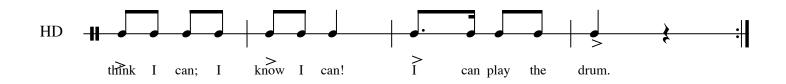
I Can Play the Drum





- Each person has a hand drum. Play the rhythm of the words. Add thumb strokes on accents.
- Get into 2 concentric circles, partners facing one another. (Each pair only needs 1 drum.)
- 1 circle is the holding circle, the other is the playing circle. Do NOT panic; you'll all get playing turns!
- Switch places and jobs.
- Add "huh" on rest of poem. Switch with your partner.
- Add accents on the drum to your right. Everything else is on your own drum.
- This time, put the accents on the drum to your left.

Carrying On:

Divide your large group into 2 smaller groups, and perform in canon. (If you have a group of larger drums and a group of smaller drums, you can really hear the canon "pop out.")