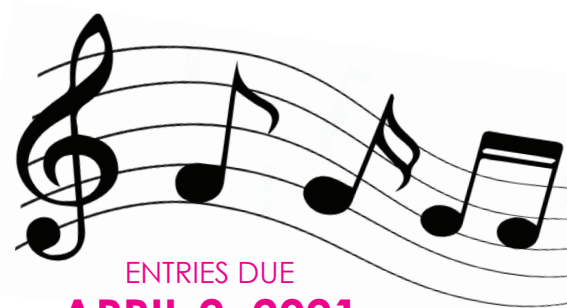


Florida

ROCKONOMIX™



ENTRIES DUE
APRIL 2, 2021

Your task is to write **NEW** lyrics to a popular hit song and post your musical masterpiece to YouTube. The overall winning group for the year will be submitted to the National Rock-o-nomix Contest sponsored by Worth Publishing Company to compete against the winning videos from other high schools.

THE RULES OF THE GAME

1. **GROUP SIZE:** Minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 students per group. Groups can be comprised of students from various High School classes.
2. **GROUP/BAND NAME:** All groups must have an original band name that includes “FL”. ie: “FL HARMONIZERS”
3. **SONG CHOICE:** Choose any existing song you like! Original songs will be disqualified.
4. **SONG LYRICS:** Lyrics must be **substantially** rewritten (i.e. **your own original work**) and the theme of your new song must be about economics...which is about more than MONEY! Use terminology or ideas from your textbook, class lectures, prior knowledge, etc. **All lyrics must be captioned on the video.**
5. **KEEP IT SIMPLE:** Choose no more than a few concepts to highlight. Videos should be cohesive and flow appropriately.
6. **STAY CLASSY:** Any aspect of economics is acceptable. Avoid the use/showing of foul language, sexual content, violence, drugs or alcohol or nudity. Videos exhibiting any of these behaviors will be automatically disqualified.
7. **EDUTAINMENT FACTOR:** It must be humorous, entertaining and educational. Feel free to incorporate props to show your understanding of the concepts.
8. **SING:** Unaccompanied versions are not accepted unless you can sing *a cappella* in four-part harmony. You must sing to recorded music and make sure you can hear the music and the lyrics on your video.
9. **PARTICIPATION:** Every group member must have a cameo appearance in the video (photographs do not count) and appear in a group photo in the credits at the end of video.
10. **SHOUT-OUTS:** If someone helps you with your video, give them proper recognition. If you use a location, get permission and give them a mention. You should also credit the original artist/song that you are parodying. **The group/band name must be displayed clearly in the closing credits.**
11. **FINAL CUT:** Make sure the lyrics are spelled correctly and are visible in the video, that you have followed all the rules, and that the video file you submit is your finalized version.
12. **POST IT:** Upload your musical masterpiece on YouTube and include the following as both tags and in the video description area: #Flrockonomix2020, #FLrock-o-nomix2020, #Flrockonomix, TeachECON, Rock-o-nomix, Rockonomix, Rockonomics, Rock-o-nomics, Economics and ECON
13. **OFFICIAL VIDEO RELEASE:** First, teachers register teams at <http://www.fcee.org/educational-resources/rockonomix/>. Second, teams submit the following to info@fcee.org by **April 2, 2021** so we can judge your video:
 - YouTube link of video (setting must be on public)
 - Separate lyrics file (i.e. word doc., PDF)
 - Completed information sheet (see reverse side)

Check out previous Rockonomix winners: <https://www.fcee.org/rockonomix>

Florida Council on Economic Education

501 S. Dakota Ave, Suite 1, Tampa, FL 33606 • (813) 289-8489 • www.fcee.org

Florida

ROCKONOMIX™



PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

Group Name: _____

Teacher: _____

Teacher's Email: _____

School Phone: _____

School: _____

County: _____

Original Song Title: _____

Original Artist(s): _____

New Song Title: _____

New Song Artist/Band Name: _____

YouTube URL: _____

Names of Group Members:

Course/Class Name:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____