

Row, Row, Row Your Boat

C major · 6/8 · melody with note names

Key C major (no sharps or flats) **Range** C4 to C5 **Words** nursery rhyme, American, first printed in 1852 with a different tune
Music the modern tune, first recorded with the lyrics in 1881 (The Franklin Square Song Collection, which names Eliphalet Oram Lyte)

Scale of C major C D E F G A B **Middle C** is C4, the C nearest the middle of the keyboard

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