



Danny's Lair's Robot Lyrics Game

Robot Lyrics Game #4: Alternative Rock

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Instructions:

One person acts as the Game Master. First you may want to print out the last two pages of this document and provide one copy of the pages, which contains the sheet to fill in the answers of the game, to each participating person or team, however this game can easily be done verbally as well. You might also need pencils and a source to play sounds from, such as a PC or a phone with speakers. You then need some program to play the Robot Lyrics on, such as the voice option on Google Translate or any other similar TTS (text to speech) program.

After that, you, the Game Master will copy the lyrics below, one song at a time, and paste them into the TTS of your choice and press play. The "robot" voice will then speak these lyrics out loud. The goal of the game is to guess the name of the song, by recognizing which song the lyrics belong to. You can of course also add the rule to guess the band/artist as well. The participants of the game will then either fill in the answer to that question, which is the song name only, on their answer sheet. They can also say it out loud, either one person/team at a time, or perhaps whoever knows the answer first will shout the answer and get a point, how you want to play it is up to you! Repeat the process for each of the 25 songs, or as many as you want to use!

The lyrics are taken from sections in popular Rock songs. It can be from any part of the song, not only the beginning. Most songs have about 10-15 sentences of lyrics, but it can vary a bit. Every song's lyrics will get easier and easier the more you listen. As an example, at first the lyrics might be a bit rough, but they end with an easy chorus from the song. You can of course pause the playback or cut out the chorus if you think the game becomes too easy.

Example how to play: You copy the lyrics for Song 1, let's say it's Queen - Bohemian Rhapsody, and paste them into a TTS program. You then click on the microphone or play icon those programs usually have, and the lyrics are played out loud. Then the participants fill in the answer on their answer sheets or say it out loud if you play it verbally. Rinse and repeat for all 25 questions or however many you chose to play.

After all 25 questions are done, the participants hand in their sheet (if you used it) and you compare it to the correct answers, whoever has the most correct answers is obviously the winner. At a tie, it's up to you to decide what to do as a tie breaker!

Should you have any questions or if you find anything incorrect in this game, you can always contact me at the website. I hope you enjoy this game!

Question/Lyrics/Correct Answers Sheet:

Song 1: The Strokes - Someday

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Oh, my ex says I'm lacking in depth.
I will do my best.
You say you wanna stay by my side.
Darling, your head's not right.
I see, alone we stand, together we fall apart.
Yeah, I think I'll be alright.
I'm working so I won't have to try so hard.
Tables they turn sometimes.
Oh, someday, yeah.
No, I ain't wastin' no more time.
Trying, trying.

Song 2: Pulp - Disco 2000

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Oh, we were born within an hour of each other.
Our mothers said we could be sister and brother.
Your name is Deborah (Deborah).
It never suited ya.
And they said that when we grew up.
We'd get married, and never split up.
Oh, we never did it, although I often thought of it.
Oh, Deborah, do you recall?
Your house was very small.
With wood chip on the wall.
When I came 'round to call.
You didn't notice me at all.
And I said, "Let's all meet up in the year 2000."

Song 3: Misfits - Last Caress

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

I got something to say.
I killed a baby today.
And it doesn't matter much to me.
As long as it's dead.
Well, I got something to say.
I raped your mother today.
And it doesn't matter much to me.
As long as she's spread.
Sweet lovely death.
I am waiting for your breath.
Oh, sweet death, one last caress.

Song 4: The Killers - Mr. Brightside

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

And I just can't look.
It's killing me.
And taking control.
Jealousy.
Turning saints into the sea.
Swimming through sick lullabies.
Choking on your alibis.
But it's just the price I pay.
Destiny is calling me.
Open up my eager eyes.
'Cause I'm Mr. Brightside.

Song 5: Muse - Uprising

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

They'll try to push drugs that keep us all dumbed down.
And hope that we will never see the truth around.
(So come on).
Another promise, another scene.
Another packaged lie to keep us trapped in greed.
And all the green belts wrapped around our minds.
And endless red tape to keep the truth confined.
(So come on).
They will not force us.
They will stop degrading us.
They will not control us.
We will be victorious.

Song 6: Ramones - Poison Heart

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

No one ever thought this one would survive.
Helpless child.
Gonna walk a drum beat behind.
Lock you in a dream.
Never let you go.
Never let you laugh or smile.
Not you.
Well, I just want to walk right out of this world.
'Cause everybody has a poison heart.
I just want to walk right out of this world.
'Cause everybody has a poison heart.

Song 7: The Smiths - This Charming Man

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Ah, a jumped-up pantry boy.
Who never knew his place.
He said, "Return the ring".
He knows so much about these things.
He knows so much about these things.
I would go out tonight.
But I haven't got a stitch to wear.
This man said, "It's gruesome.
That someone so handsome should care".
Na, na-na, na-na, na-na, this charming man.
Oh, na-na, na-na, na-na, this charming man.

Song 8: Tears For Fears - Mad World

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Made to feel the way that every child should.
Sit and listen, sit and listen.
Went to school and I was very nervous.
No one knew me, no one knew me.
Hello, teacher, tell me, what's my lesson?
Look right through me, look right through me.
And I find it kind of funny, I find it kind of sad.
The dreams in which I'm dying are the best I've ever had.
I find it hard to tell you, 'cause I find it hard to take.
When people run in circles, it's a very, very.
Mad world.

Song 9: Simple Minds - Alive And Kicking

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

What you gonna do when things go wrong?
What you gonna do when it all cracks up?
What you gonna do when the love burns down?
What you gonna do when the flames go up?
Who is gonna come and turn the tide?
What's it gonna take to make a dream survive?
Who's got the touch to calm the storm inside?
Who's gonna save you?
Alive and kicking.
Stay until your love is.
Alive and kicking.

Song 10: Joy Division - Love Will Tear Us Apart

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Why is the bedroom so cold?
You've turned away on your side.
Is my timing that flawed?
Our respect runs so dry.
Yet there's still this appeal that we've kept through our lives.
But love.
Love will tear us apart again.
Love.
Love will tear us apart again.

Song 11: Arctic Monkeys - I Wanna Be Yours

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

I wanna be your vacuum cleaner.
Breathing in your dust.
I wanna be your Ford Cortina.
I will never rust.
If you like your coffee hot.
Let me be your coffee pot.
You call the shots, babe.
I just wanna be yours.
Secrets I have held in my heart.
Are harder to hide than I thought.
Maybe I just wanna be yours.
I wanna be yours, I wanna be yours.

Song 12: The Clash - Train In Vain

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Say you stand by your man.
Tell me something I don't understand.
You said you love me and that's a fact.
Then you left me.
Said you felt trapped.
Well some things you can explain away.
But my heartache's in me till this day.
Did you stand by me.
No, not at all.
Did you stand by me.
No way.

Song 13: Sex Pistols - God Save The Queen

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

God save history.
God save your mad parade.
Oh lord God, have mercy.
All crimes are paid.
When there's no future, how can there be sin?
We're the flowers in the dustbin.
We're the poison in your human machine.
We're the future, your future.
God save the Queen.
We mean it, man.
We love our Queen.
God saves.

Song 14: Dropkick Murphys - Rose Tattoo

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

I saw beauty to the north.
I drew the tales of many lives.
And wore the faces of my own.
I had these memories all around me.
So I wouldn't be alone.
Some may be from showing up.
Others are from growing up.
Sometimes I was so messed up and didn't have a clue.
I ain't winning no one over.
I wear it just for you.
I've got your name written here.
In a rose tattoo.

Song 15: R.E.M. - Everybody Hurts

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Sometimes everything is wrong.
Now it's time to sing along.
When your day is night alone (hold on, hold on).
If you feel like letting go (hold on).
If you think you've had too much.
Of this life.
Well hang on.
'Cause everybody hurts.
Take comfort in your friends.
Everybody hurts.

Song 16: The Cure - Boys Don't Cry

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

I would say I'm sorry.
If I thought that it would change your mind.
But I know that this time.
I have said too much.
Been too unkind.
I tried to laugh about it.
Cover it all up with lies.
I tried to laugh about it.
Hiding the tears in my eyes.
'Cause boys don't cry.
Boys don't cry.

Song 17: Boulevard Of Broken Dreams

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Read between the lines.
What's fucked up, and everything's alright.
Check my vital signs.
To know I'm still alive, and I walk alone.
I walk alone, I walk alone.
I walk alone, I walk a-
My shadow's the only one that walks beside me.
My shallow heart's the only thing that's beating.
Sometimes, I wish someone out there will find me.
'Til then, I walk alone.
Ah-ah, ah-ah, ah-ah, ah-ah.
Ah-ah, ah-ah, I walk alone, I walk a-
I walk this empty street.
On the Boulevard of Broken Dreams.

Song 18: The Offspring - Self Esteem

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

I wrote her off for the tenth time today.
And practiced all the things I would say.
But she came over I lost my nerve.
I took her back and made her dessert.
Now I know I'm being used.
That's okay man 'cause I like the abuse.
Now I know she's playing with me.
That's okay 'cause I've got no self-esteem.
Oh yeah, yeah oh yeah, yeah.

Song 19: Red Hot Chili Peppers - Can't Stop

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Wait a minute, I'm passin' out, win or lose.
Just like you.
Far more shocking than anything I ever knew.
How about you?.
Ten more reasons why I need somebody new.
Just like you.
Far more shocking than anything I ever knew.
Right on cue.
Can't stop, addicted to the shindig.
Chop Top, he says I'm gonna win big.
Choose not a life of imitation.
Distant cousin to the reservation.

Song 20: Nickelback - How You Remind Me

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

And I've been wrong, I've been down.
Been to the bottom of every bottle.
These five words in my head.
Scream, "Are we having fun yet?".
Yeah, yeah, yeah, no, no.
Yeah, yeah, yeah, no, no.
It's not like you didn't know that.
I said, "I love you, " and I swear, I still do.
And it must have been so bad.
'Cause living with me must have damn near killed you.
And this is how you remind me.
Of what I really am.

Song 21: Nirvana - Come As You Are

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Take your time, hurry up.
Choice is yours, don't be late.
Take a rest, as a friend.
As an old memory, yeah.
Memory, yeah.
Memory, yeah.
Memory, yeah.
Come doused in mud, soaked in bleach.
As I want you to be.
As a trend, as a friend.
As an old memory, yeah.

Song 22: The Fratellis - Whistle For The Choir

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

Well, it's a big, big city and the lights are all out.
But it's as much as I can do, you know, to figure you out.
And I must confess.
My heart's in broken pieces and my head's a mess.
And it's four in the mornin' and I'm walkin' along.
Beside the ghost of every drinker here who's ever done wrong.
And it's you, woo-hoo.
That's got me goin' crazy for the things you do.
So if you're crazy.
I don't care you amaze me.
But you're a stupid girl.
Oh me, oh my, you talk.
I die, you smile, you laugh, I cry.

Song 23: The Proclaimers - I'm Gonna Be (500 Miles)

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

And when the money.
Comes in for the work I do.
I'll pass almost every penny on to you.
When I come home (when I come home).
Oh, I know I'm gonna be.
I'm gonna be the man who comes back home to you.
And if I grow old.
Well, I know I'm gonna be.
I'm gonna be the man who's growin' old with you.
But I would walk five hundred miles.
And I would walk five hundred more.

Song 24: Turbonegro - The Age Of Pamparius

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

From the ashes of this golden age of confusion.
The denim recruits came to be.
Known as the apocalypse dudes.
So you think you had an Opera.
So you think you had a Napoli.
So you think you had a decent pizza.
Well not like this.
You got nothing to lose at Pamparius.

Song 25: Andrew W.K. - Music Is Worth Living For

Copy all, or parts, of the lyrics below and paste in a Text To Speech program!

But I guess we proved you wrong.
And I guess we showed 'em all.
We paid our dues.
Getting up off the floor.
And I guess we proved you wrong.
And I guess we showed 'em all.
So much to lose.
Walking right out the door.
Music is worth living for!
Music makes life worth living.

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