



The "Lifelites Workbook" is designed to guide you through activities to re-inforce the Lifelites training you have undertaken for that magical piece of Lifelites equipment.

WORKSHEET

Self-guided activities for Beamz

ACTIVITY 1 – Familiarisation

1. Familiarise yourself with the Beamz unit. Do you know what each of the buttons does?

Record

Playlist advance

Rhythm

Volume

Swap



Connect the Beamz unit to the Touch Screen PC. What happens to the unit when you open the software?





2. Familiarise yourself with the Beamz software. Can you locate:

Record

Playlist advance

Rhythm

Volume

Swap

Select a song of your choice



What happens if you click the '+' in the corners of the screen?

ACTIVITY 2 – Playing and creating music

1. Pick a track from the playlist, use Beamz unit to play the different instruments. Select record and record your track and instruments. Where does your track save too, is this a safe place or should you move it to a more secure location?

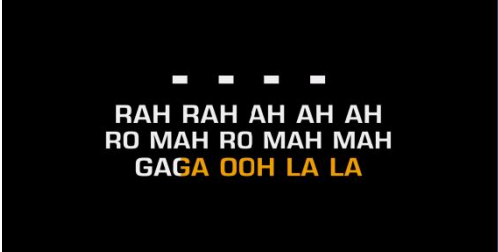
Can you find it to playback? Try saving the song onto a USB stick or emailing it to yourself.





- 2. Explore the playlist. The playlist of Beamz on every device is slightly different.

Find a track that has a video or one with words so you can sing-a-long karaoke style.



- 3. Try playing a track using both the Beamz unit and Touch Screen PC. Can you think of benefits of using the system in this way?

- 4. Disconnect the Beamz unit. Use just the software to create your music. If you have a camera mouse installed try using this to play the instruments (don't forget you may need to go into your settings and alter the thickness of the beam to Eyegaze width).

ACTIVITY 3 – Using switches

- 1. What do you need in order to pair your switches to the Beamz?

- 2. List some simple instructions on how to pair the switches.





- 3. Pair each of the switches and select the instrument or function you require. Create some music using both the switches to play the instruments and the Beamz unit.



What do you notice when swap the page of instruments, what happens to the instruments you had selected for the switched and Beamz unit?

- 4. What are the benefits of using switches?

- 5. Have fun and get a hospice band together!



Congratulations! You have completed the Beamz Workbook.

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