

Half Step Warm-up

1. Your teacher will slowly play *measures 1–4* lower on the piano. Watch closely and play along, copying the fingering.
2. Now play on your own. Feel the **half steps**.
3. Tell your teacher whether you think it's easier to say the title or play the piece!

Kitch-iti-kipi*

Brightly

p Do Do you you think think it's it's eas - i - er to eas - i - er to

play mem - this o - half rize - step this piece, song, (Open your hand to a 5-finger position.)

p or or say spell the the ti - tle or or say spell the the ti - tle

writ - ten up a - writ - ten up a - bove? bove? bounce from the wrist

* Michigan's biggest spring. Its name means "big, cold water."