Follow the Drinking Gourd - CBRT Script

1-10: Guess what we just learned in music class!

20: What? What did you learn? I hope it’s not another country song!

11-13: Is it opera? (Sound Effect, Gesture)

14-16: Is it rock and roll? (S. E. , Ges.)

17-19: Is it about love and romance?

1-10: Love and romance? Gross! (Ges.)

21: Hey, hey, just tell them what we learned instead of making them guess all day!

1-10: We learned a song called, “Follow the Drinking Gourd.” (S.E.)

All: (S. E.)

22: What is

All: “Follow the Drinking Gourd.” (S.E.)

1: It’s a song about the stars in the constellation called The Drinking Gourd.

23: What’s a constellation?

2: A collection of stars that make a picture in the sky.

All: A picture? Cheese! (Ges.)

24: Ok, so a constellation is a picture made of stars…

25: But what’s a Drinking Gourd?

3: A Drinking Gourd is a hollowed out gourd, used by slaves as a water dipper. (S.E., Ges.)

All: (S.E., Ges.)