

Tue, tue (Akan song, Ghana)

a gathering song giving thanks for the harvest

With the infants at Beaconside and Warcop we sit cross-legged and pat our knees with two hands, first crossed then open. On ba! everyone puts their hands in the air. This creates a wave when there are lots of parts and is a fun way to introduce independent singing. The round can start after 2,4 or 8 beats. Anyone can sing any harmony they like.

Top Harmony



Tu-e tu-e__ ba-ri-ma tu-e tu-e__ tu-e tu-e__ ba-ri-ma tu-e tu-e__ a-ma-za-

5



bo a - ma dowa do-wa tu-e tu-e__ a-ma-za - bo a - ma dowa dowa tu-e tu-e__

Middle Harmony

9



Tu-e tu-e__ ba-ri-ma tu-e tu-e__ tu-e tu-e__ ba-ri-ma tu-e tu-e__ a-ma-za-

13



bo a - ma dowa dowa tu-e tu-e__ a-ma-za - bo a - ma dowa dowa tu-e tu-e__

Middle Harmony

17



Tu-e tu-e__ ba-ri-ma tu-e tu-e__ tu-e tu-e__ ba-ri-ma tu-e tu-e__ a-ma-za-

21



bo a - ma do wa dowa tu-e tu-e__ a-ma-za - bo a - ma do wa dowa tu-e tu-e__