

GAMEPLAY BASICS

- 1. All Artists get 4 Artist Cards.
- 2. The first player becomes the Headliner for the turn. They choose one of the 3 Gigs and display one of their Artist Cards for the table to play.

THE SOUNDTRACK

MY MUSE

DEDICATIONS



- 3. The player to the Headliner's right becomes the Label (the Judge) for the turn. Everyone else is an Artist.
- 4. The Headliner can opt to go first or last. Play proceeds clockwise. Artists may choose to sit out if inspiration fails to strike, or they're saving their voice.
- 5. Responses are revealed one by one. Sell it if you have to.
- 6. The Label picks their favourite response and awards that Artist a Platinum Record.
- 7. Rotate roles clockwise. The next player becomes the Headliner, and the player to their right becomes the Label.
- 8. All Artists can swap 1 Artist Card for a fresh one after each turn.
- 9. Cover Versions — Any song previously played can be used again by any player, but not within the same Gig type.
- 10. Once everyone has had a turn as the Headliner, go around again or finish the game.
- 11. The Artist with the most Platinum Records can now yell, "OFFBEAT-en all of you!"



PICK YOUR GIG

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The Headliner displays an image card, a photo from their phone, or an image in the room. Everyone picks a song title or lyric — or performs it — that best fits, using their Artist Cards as inspiration or their own music knowledge.

MY MUSE

'I'M A BELIEVER'
THE MONKEES
MORE OF THE MONKEES
1966

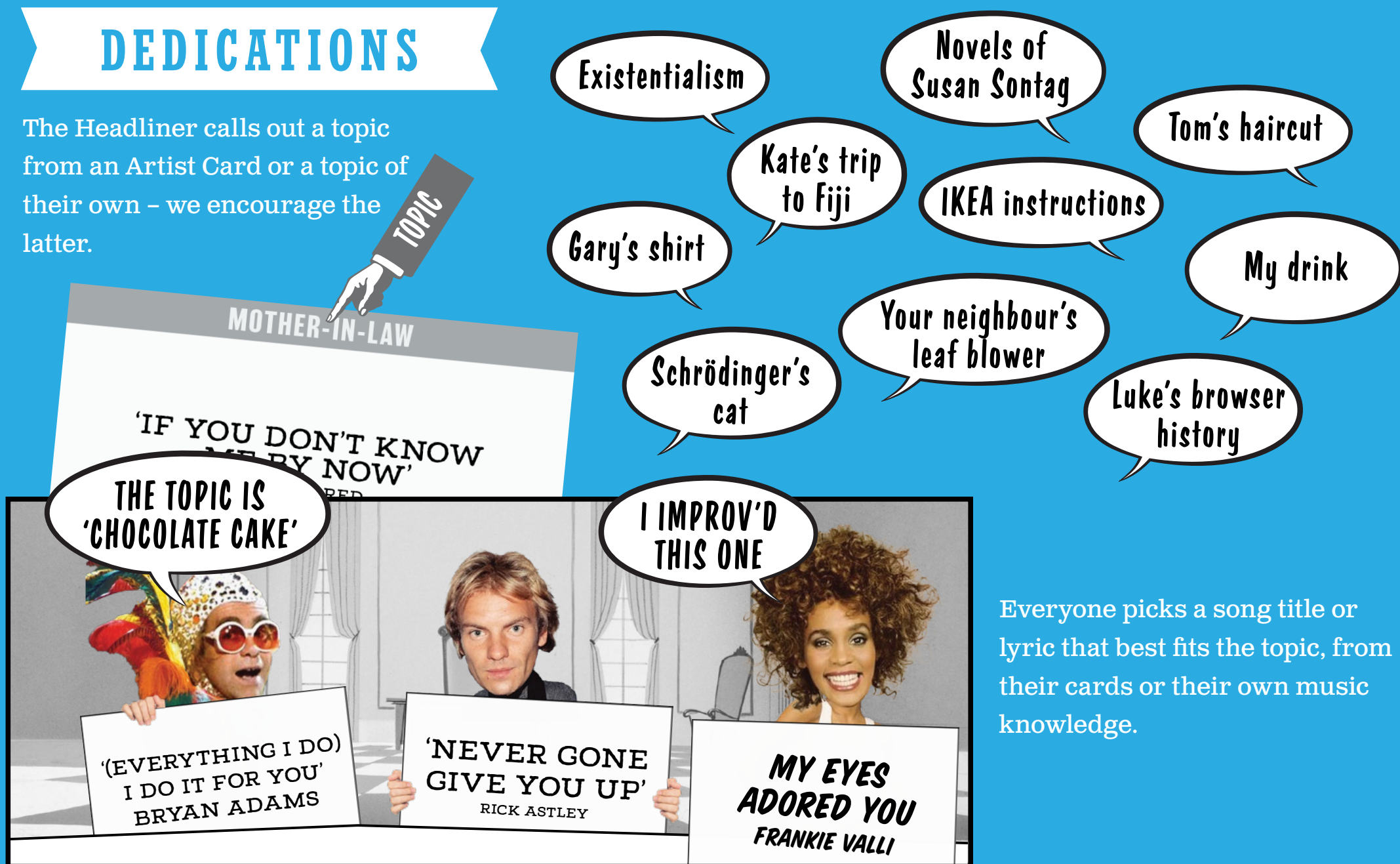
The Headliner displays an Artist Card. Everyone invents a fictitious backstory behind it.



Prompts to get you started: "The real meaning behind this song is..." "This was inspired by..."
"This song was dedicated to..." Get creative.

DEDICATIONS

The Headliner calls out a topic from an Artist Card or a topic of their own – we encourage the latter.



Everyone picks a song title or lyric that best fits the topic, from their cards or their own music knowledge.

- Tied? The Artist with the fewest Platinum Records becomes the Label and throws out one of these spicy prompts:
 - *Best song to walk into a bar to?
 - *Best song to get everyone up dancing?
 - *Best song to enter a boxing ring or sports field to?
 - *Best song to play after a breakup?
 - *Best funeral song?
 - *Best karaoke crowd-pleaser?

OFFBEAT