

WILL'S JAMS

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Will's Jams is children's musician Will Street! He's a Juno-nominated singer-songwriter, CBC Kids TV star, educator and dad who creates multi-lingual music that ignites imagination and motivates movement for the young and young-at-heart. Through witty wordplay and catchy choruses, Will inspires kids to be active, healthy, creative and engaged in the world through educational music in English and French.

Will first discovered his talent for writing kids music while completing his education degree at the University of B.C. After releasing his first album in 2005 and playing hundreds of shows around Vancouver, Will knew he had found his calling. In 2009, he took leave from teaching to pursue music full time and has never looked back. Over the years, Will has performed more than 1,700 shows at major festivals, schools and theatres across Canada and in China. He has garnered national recognition for his nine albums in English and French including a 2017 JUNO nomination for his latest album, "Wordplay," six WCMA nominations, two from the CFMA and two from the SiriusXM Indies. In 2015, UBC's Faculty of Education honoured Will in their top 100 Alumni awards. In addition to being a devoted dad of two girls, Will is passionate about his work as an artist, educator and board member with ArtStarts in Schools, which supports art and creativity amongst BC's young people.

"Will's Jams brings authentic family friendly music to CBC Kids and is a fan favourite on TV, online and at our events."

— Marie McCann, Senior Director of Children's Content, CBC Kids



Awards & Recognition

2017 JUNO nominee
 2017, 2014, 2013, 2011, 2010 & 2009
 Western Canadian Music Awards
 nominee
 2015 UBC Education Top 100
 Alumni Award
 2013 & 2012 SiriusXM Indies Award
 nominee
 2012 & 2011 Canadian Folk Music
 Award nominee
 2011 West Coast Songwriters Award
 2011 Kids' Music Award

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SHOW DESCRIPTION:

Will's Jams (band show)

Catchy and kinetic, *Will's Jams* is a power trio who performs high-energy songs in English and French with fun actions and sing-along choruses. Kids and their parents will be cheering for libraries, loving their bikes and rallying for vegetables – all while they're on their feet and dancing away. Will's educational rock, pop and blues songs, peppered with witty wordplay, ignites imagination and motivates movement for the young and young-at-heart.

Will's Jams Live

The *Will's Jams Live* show is an interactive multimedia experience based on the hit TV series on CBC Kids. Will and his band perform their live musical show integrated with video projection and a live camera. The show features lots of sing-along fan favourites and first premiered in China in July 2017 as an engaging way to teach English vocabulary and is now on tour in Canada.

Just Imagine (French, English or Bilingual)

Just Imagine is a multilingual show in English and French (with some Mandarin and Spanish) featuring Will's most popular educational songs for students from all of his nationally-acclaimed albums. Over the past decade touring schools, Will has developed a top-notch school show with audience participation, witty wordplay, sign language and catchy sing-along choruses. Will's original music explores the themes of literacy, imagination and creativity, and living a healthy and active lifestyle, which ties into the new integrated school curriculum. Students and teachers will be inspired to join along in the actions, singing and dancing during this interactive musical show.

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Notable Performances

Alianait Arts Festival, Nunuvut (2016)
The Banff Centre (2013)
Bert Church Theatre, Airdrie (2012, 2016)
Calgary Children's Festival (2015)
Canmore Children's Festival (2009, 2010)
Canada Winter Games, Prince George (2015)
CBC Kids Days, Toronto (2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017)
CBC Musical Nooner Kids Day, Vancouver (2016, 2017)
China tour: Shanghai, Hangzhou, Nanjing, Fuyang, Xiaoshan & Deqing (2017)
Festival du Bois, Coquitlam (2008, 2015, 2017)
Festival du Voyageur, Winnipeg (2013)
Folk on the Rocks, Yellowknife (2010)
Mississauga Children's Art Festival (2016)
Northern Alberta International Children's Festival (2013, 2017)
Okanagan Children's Festival (2010)
Ottawa Children's Festival (2016)
PEI, 2014 Charlottetown
Shell Theatre, Fort Saskatchewan (2017)
Saskatchewan Children's Festival (2014, 2015)
Surrey Canada Day (2012, 2014)
Surrey Children's Festival (2006-2010, 2011, 2014)
Vancouver Children's Festival (2006, 2007, 2009, 2012, 2015)
Vancouver 2010 Winter Olympics
Whistler Children's Art Festival (2006, 2008, 2009, 2012, 2014)
Winnipeg Children's Festival (2014)
Yukon Arts Centre (2015, 2017)

1,500+ shows since 2005



Length: 30, 45, 60 minutes

Languages: English, French, bilingual

Show format: 3-piece band with guitar, drums, bass. Multimedia show also requires video projection and a tech.