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## Music Tech 1 (Assignment)

### **What is Mondegreen**

Mondegreen is when you mishear lyrics in a song and interpret them as something else.

1. RISE by MADKID (English Version)

0:35-0:38

[RISE \(English Version\) - YouTube](#)

In this song they are Japanese, and do include it in this song, but also include a fair bit of english. At the start the individual sings in Japanese and proceeds to say what sounds like “Cancer pipe” at first, but the real lyrics are “you can’t survive”.

2. Maps by Maroon 5

1:10-1:16

[Maroon 5 - Maps \(Audio\) - YouTube](#)

After “Following” is repeated 3 times, it sounds like “I hear your voice in my sleep at night” when the actual lyrics are “I hear your voice in my sleeping night”.

3. Believer by Imagine Dragons

0:28-0:35

[Imagine Dragons - Believer - YouTube](#)

What could be heard here is “I’m the master of my CEO, the master of my CEO” when the actual lyrics replace CEO with sea. The way “sea” is pronounced can throw people off.

4. Long Shot by Mayu Maeshima

2:06-2:09

[Re:Zero Season 2 Part 2 - Opening Full『Long shot』by Mayu Maeshima - YouTube](#)

Listening without the lyrics, it may sound like she is saying “Break out, Bring it” but the actual lyrics are “wake up, bring back”. She is also a Japanese artist, but sings pretty good english.

5. Centuries by Fall Out Boy

0:55-0:58

[Fall Out Boy - Centuries \(Audio\) - YouTube](#)

During this part you hear “and this is supposed to match” and after that it almost sounds like “the doctor that you felt” although the true line is “the darkness that you felt”.