

## Applied Performing Arts – Musical Theatre *Activity 1*

### Everyone's Talking About Jamie

Watch this number from Everyone's Talking About Jamie – My Boy:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q5pASnljIP8>



Within the Musical Theatre course you will explore 'Acting Through Song' as a way of conveying a sense of character and story to an audience.

Watch the above extract twice and make some notes on the following three aspects...

1. Physicality – body language, use of mannerisms
2. Facial expression
3. Vocal – pace, timing and emotionality

Extension Activity: write a short paragraph that explains the narrative journey (character arc) captured within the song. How does the character start the piece? What changes occur to them? And how is the character left at the end of the song?