

Hey Kids, Meet Elton John

Elton Hercules John (1947 to present)
American Actor and Musician



John (whose real name is Reginald Kenneth Dwight) was born in Pinner, England on March 25, 1947. He is a singer, songwriter, pianist and composer. **John** learned to play piano at a young age and started a band when he was 15 years old. **John** moved on to become a solo artist and has sold more than 300 million records, making him one of the highest selling artists of all time. He is known for his crazy on-stage costumes and his amazing ability to write beautiful melodies for his music. **John** has received well over eighteen awards for his contribution in music. In addition to his many popular songs heard around the world, **John** also wrote music for movies and television shows. Some of those include: *Friends*, *The Lion King*, *The Road to El Dorado*, *Billy Elliot*, *Gnomeo & Juliet*, *Rocketman*, *The Lion King (New)*.