

ACTIVITY GUIDE

**Pooja Goswami Pavan – Musician**

**Objectives:** Learn about the life and work of Dr. Pooja Goswami Pavan and Hindustani, North Indian classical music.

**Tools/Resources:** Pen and paper.



**Video Clip:** <http://www.tpt.org/mn-original/episode/pooja-goswami-pavan/>

**Activity**

1. Watch the segment and discuss:
  - a. Have you ever heard music like Pavan’s before?
  - b. How is it the same or different than what you like to listen to?
  - c. How did the music make you feel?
  
2. Some call Pavan’s music transformative. Recall a time when you have been transformed by a powerful composition.
  - a. Describe the circumstances; was it a live show, in a film or religious ceremony etc.?
  - b. What made the experience a memorable one?
  - c. How is music used to inform or enhance the feeling of an experience?