

The Loco-motion

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INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [C] / [C] /

[C] Everybody's doin' a [Am] brand new dance now
[C] *C'mon baby* [Am] *do the Loco-motion*
I [C] know you'll get to like it if you [Am] give it a chance now
[C] *C'mon baby* [Am] *do the Loco-motion*
My [F] little baby sister can [Dm] do it with ease
It's [F] easier than learnin' your [D7] ABC's
So [C] c'mon, c'mon, do [G] the Loco-motion with [C] me

CHORUS:

You gotta [C] swing your hips now [F] c'mon, baby
Jump [C] up, jump back!
Oh well I [G] think you've got the knack, who-ah whoah

[C] Now that you can do it [Am] let's make a chain now
[C] *C'mon baby* [Am] *do the Loco-motion*
A [C] chug-a chug-a motion like a [Am] railroad train now
[C] *C'mon baby* [Am] *do the Loco-motion*
[F] Do it nice and easy now and [Dm] don't lose control
A [F] little bit of rhythm and a [D7] lot of soul
[C] C'mon, c'mon, do [G] the Loco-motion with [C] me

INSTRUMENTAL CHORUS:

You gotta [C] swing your hips now [F] come on [F] baby
Jump [C] up, jump [C] back!
Oh well I [G] think you got the [G] Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah

[C] Move around the floor in a [Am] Loco-motion
[C] *C'mon baby* [Am] *do the Loco-motion*
[C] Do it holdin' hands if'n [Am] you get the notion
[C] *C'mon baby* [Am] *do the Loco-motion*
There's [F] never been a dance that's so [Dm] easy to do
It [F] even makes you happy when you're [D7] feelin' blue
So [C] c'mon, c'mon, do [G] the Loco-motion with [C] me

CHORUS:

You gotta [C] swing your hips now
[F] *C'mon do the Loco-motion*
You're doin' [C] fine (*c'mon, do the Loco-motion*)
[F] C'mon, do the Loco-motion
[C] C'mon, do the Loco-motion [C]↓

