Revoltng Children
(from 'Matilda The Musical')

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\[ \text{\textit{BRUCE:}} \]

A\[ \text{\textit{tempo}} \]

\[ \text{Dm7} \]

Whoa!

\[ \text{Gm} \]

Nev-er a-gain will she get the best of me.

\[ \text{F} \]

Nev-er a-gain will she take away my free-dom.

\[ \text{C/E} \]

And we won't for-get the day we

\[ \text{A tempo} \]

fought (for the right to be a lit-tle bit naught-y!)

\[ \text{Gm} \]

(Nev-er a-gain) will the cho-key door

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ALL:

F

slam. (Never again) will I be bullied and (never again) will I doubt it when

C/E

my mum-my says I'm a mir-a-cle! Never again! Never again will we live behind bars,

ALL:

A

nev-er a-gain now that we know we are re-volt-ing child-ren liv-ing in re-volt-ing times. We sing

Bb

F

re-volt-ing songs us-ing re-volt-ing rhymes. We'll be re-volt-ing child-ren till

G

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F C/E Dm C Bb A C5 D5 N.C.

our re-volt-ing's done and we'll have the Trunch-bull bolt-ing, we're re-volt-ing! We are_

Dm

re-volt-ing child-ren liv-ing in re-volt-ing times. We sing re-volt-ing songs us-

A/E

ing_

F

G

Gm/Bb

F C/E Dm C

re-volt-ing rhymes. We'll be re-volt-ing child-ren till our re-volt-ing's done and we'll

Bb

A

C D5

have the Trunch-bull bolt-ing, we're re-volt-ing! We will be-come a scream-ing

TOMMY:
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LAVENDER:

Dm A/E F

hon-ked! Take out your hockey stick and use it as a sword!

Piano improv:

BRUCE:

G

Bb

HORTENSIA:

Nev-er a-gain will we be ig-nored! We’ll find out where the chalk is stored. And draw rude pictures on the board! It’s not insul-ting. We’re re-volt-ing!

NIGEL:

F N.C.

AMANDA:

Bb A

C Dm C/E Dm/F D/F#

ALL:

We can S-P-L how we like! If e-nough of us are wrong, wrong is
right! Ev’ry-one! N - O - R - T - WHY? ’Cause we’re a little bit naughty!

You say we ough-ta stay insi-de the line. But if we dis-o-bey at the same
time, there is noth-ing that the Trunch-bull can do! She can take her ham-mer and S - H -

U...
You did-n’t think you could push us too far, but there’s no going back now, we
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Dm  A/E  F
R - E - V - O - L - T - I - N.  We'll S -

G  Bb6
I - N - G,  Us - I - N - G.  We'll be_

F  C/E  Dm  C
Re - v - o - l - t - i - n.  It is_

Bb  A  C  D5  N.C.  D  Em
2 - L - 8 - 4 - U - E - R - E - volt ing!  We are_
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Em               B

revolt ing children living in revolt ing times. We sing

G               A

revolt ing songs using revolt ing rhymes. We'll be

C               G               D/F#               Em               D

revolt ing children till our revolt ing's done. It is

C               B

1st

2 - L - 8 - 4 - U! We are 2 - L - 8 - 4 - U E R - E volt ing!