

Year 2 - Orchestral instruments - Term 2



Key Vocabulary

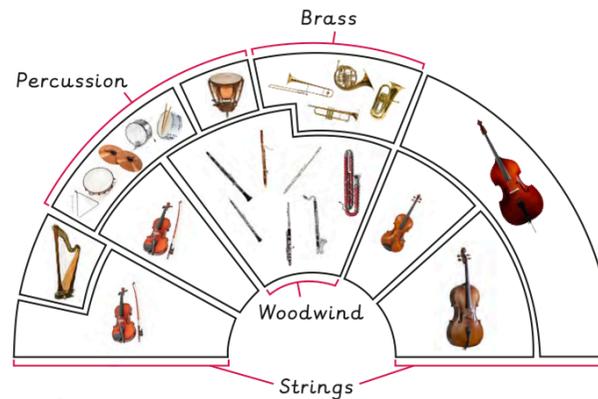
Strings	Instruments that are played by plucking or bowing strings.
Woodwind	Instruments that make sound by blowing air through a reed or small mouthpiece.
Brass	Instruments that are made of metal and the sound is made by blowing air through a cup-shaped mouthpiece.
Percussion	Instruments which are played by shaking, tapping or scraping with your hand or a beater.
Dynamics	The volume of the music (loud or quiet).
Sound effects	A sound created to represent something in a film, television programme or a play.
Tempo	The speed of the music (fast or slow).
Timbre	The quality of sound e.g. smooth, scratchy, twinkly.
Vocals	Using your voice in a piece of music.

Orchestral music is music that is played by an orchestra. It is usually classical or film music, but sometimes orchestras play other types of music too.

What can you remember from previous units?
 Can you remember what timbre describes?
 Do you know how sounds help represent a character?

Instruments

Orchestra A group of instruments that play together.



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| Harp - | Flute - | Trombone - |
| Violin - | Clarinet - | Tuba - |
| Triangle - | Oboe - | Trumpet - |
| Tambourine - | Bassoon - | Double bass - |
| Cymbals - | Bass clarinet - | Viola - |
| Bass drum - | Contrabassoon - | Cello - |
| Snare drum - | Piccolo - | |
| Timpani - | French horn - | |

Anything else you have learnt? What have you enjoyed?

To know statements



To know how to listen to and analyse an orchestral version of a traditional story

To know how to listen to and analyse a film musical version of a traditional story

To know that an orchestra is made up of different instrument sections and how they make a sound.

To know how to select appropriate sounds to match events, characters and feelings in a story.

To know how to create a story script selecting appropriate musical sounds to accompany it.

To know how to perform a story script with accompanying music