

All Kinds of Musical Instruments

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Connections

Writing and Art

If you could play any musical instrument, which instrument would you play and why? Draw a picture and write about it.

Math

What shapes do you see when looking at the musical instruments in this book? Share your answers with a partner.

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Focus Question

What are some different ways to play musical instruments?

Words to Know

bow	music
buzz	sounds
instruments	strings

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There are four main groups of instruments.

There are many kinds of instruments in each group.



guitar

cello

harp

violin

These instruments use strings to make sounds.



Use a bow or your fingers
to play them.



These instruments use air from
your mouth to make sounds.



Blow into them to play them.



These instruments use moving air and lips to make sounds.



Make your lips buzz
to play them.



These instruments use sticks
or hands to make sounds.



Hit them to play them.



You can play instruments
to make music!