



Learning about musical instruments

Hello! This half term, we will be continuing to look at the instruments of the orchestra and other musical instruments.

- How many instruments can you name?
- What are the four instrument families in the orchestra?

I have sourced a video for you to watch and some questions for you to think about:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MOJc4sPOBEE>

1. Have a look at video number 1.

- How does George describe the orchestra?
- Which instrument did he decide that he wanted to learn?
- What is a conductor?



Make a list of all the instruments that are mentioned in the video. Which instrument families do these belong to?

Have a go at this game on e-chalk:

<https://subscription.echalk.co.uk/music/instruments/familiesTetris/instrumentFamilies.html>

See if you can match the correct instruments to the correct instrument family.

Create a poster about your favourite instrument. You could do some more research on instruments before deciding and so you can add extra facts on to your poster.

Here are a few other websites for you to check out too!

<https://insidetheorchestra.org/musical-games/>

Have a go at playing the instruments in the orchestra.



<https://www.dallassymphony.org/community-education/dso-kids/>

This website allows you to listen to each instrument of the orchestra.

E-chalk log in details:

www.echalk.co.uk

Username: oakcheshire

Password: thirstyBard

