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## Introduction



**Music** is the **pattern** of sounds produced by people **singing or playing instruments.**

**A musical instrument** is a device used to produce music.

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## Musical Instruments

- a. violin
- b. cymbals
- c. trombone
- d. trumpet
- e. guitar
- f. tambourine
- g. flute
- h. keyboard
- i. piano
- j. maracas
- k. drum set
- l. saxophone

Do you any other musical instruments?



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## Musicians

A \_\_\_\_\_ plays the \_\_\_\_\_.



Who are they and what do they play?

### Match

1. *slow and sad music that developed from the songs of black slaves in the southern U.S.*
2. *music written according to standard European forms or structures by people such as Mozart and Beethoven*
3. *popular music based on the traditional music of the southern U.S., usually containing singing, guitars, and violins*
4. *music with a strong beat that is easy to dance to, popular especially in the 1970s*
5. *traditional music from a particular country, region, or community, especially music developed by people who were not professional musicians*
6. *music that developed among African-American musicians using rap and samples*
7. *developed in the late 19th century in which there is a strong lively beat and the players often improvise*
8. *any music that is popular at a particular time*
9. *a type of music that combines blues and soul styles with modern beats and production methods*
10. *a type of music that developed in Jamaica in the 1960s with songs about social and political subjects and heavy bass sounds*
11. *a type of music that developed from rock 'n' roll and uses a heavy regular beat, electric guitars, singing, and a tune that is easy to remember*

- a. RnB
- b. pop
- c. blues
- d. disco
- e. reggae
- f. rock
- g. classical
- h. folk
- i. hip-hop
- j. country
- k. jazz

### Stacy's Band

Stacy is a singer. She loves to sing. She is in a band. She sings in the band. She is the lead singer. She also plays the lead guitar. Chad is Stacy's boyfriend. He is also in the band. He stands next to Stacy. He plays the bass guitar. Sometimes Chad sings with Stacy. Dean is Chad and Stacy's friend. He is also in the band. He stands next to Chad. He plays the drums. Dean does not sing. He does not like to



sing. The band practices three times a week. They mostly perform at nightclubs. Sometimes they sing at weddings. They are a very good band.

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## Reading Comprehension

**Identify whether the statements are true or false.**

1. Stacy can play the guitar.
2. Stacy sings in a band.
3. Chad is Stacy's boyfriend.
4. Chad can play the bass guitar and sing.
5. Dean is Chad and Stacy's friend.
6. Dean also sings.
7. They practice everyday.
8. They only sing at weddings.



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## Useful Expressions

**Study the sentence below:**

1. "I like the new Madonna hit. **It has a catchy melody.**"
2. "Their latest single always gets me in an energetic mood. **It has a fast tempo.**"
3. "I can't stand the new Ricky Martin song. **It's very cheesy.**"
4. "I never get bored of listening to Yesterday by the Beatles. **It's a timeless classic.**"
5. "I used to listen to this song a lot in my childhood. **It brings back memories.**"
6. "They were playing the song in every bar, cafe and nightclub. **It was a smash hit.**"



**Which expression describes a song that ...**

1. never goes out of fashion?
2. tries too hard to be emotional and is not very original?
3. is very memorable and makes you repeat the tune in your head all the time?
4. is unusually successful and popular everywhere?
5. has an energetic beat?
6. is nostalgic?



**Practice the dialogue below.**

**A:** Who is your favorite **singer(band)**?

**B:** My favorite **singer(band)** is **Justin Bieber**.

**A:** What is your favorite **Justin Bieber song**?

**B:** I like “**What Do You Mean?**”

**A:** Why is that?

**B:** Because it **has a fast tempo**.



1. How often do you listen to music?
2. Do you want to learn how to play a musical instrument?
3. Do you think everyone should learn how to play a musical instrument?
4. Would you like to be a famous musician?
5. Do you listen to music when you are studying?
6. Do you listen to music when you are working?
7. Do you listen to music when you are traveling to somewhere?
8. What musical genres do you really like?
9. What musical genres do you really hate?
10. What would life be like without music?

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## Tongue Twister

Cute cuddly kittens,  
Cute cuddly kittens,  
Cute cuddly kittens.





**The End**