

Music & Instruments

Fleydo English School • Kids • A1 • Reading • 30 min

Lesson Objectives

- Read a story about a school concert
- Name musical instruments
- Use 'can play the + instrument'
- Talk about music preferences
- Write about music

Part 1: Reading — The School Concert

Today is the school concert! Mr Davis the music teacher says, "Let's make beautiful music!"

Hannah plays the piano. Her fingers move fast on the keys. Everyone listens quietly.

Oscar plays the guitar. He can play three songs! "I like playing guitar because I can sing at the same time."

The school band plays together. Lily plays the drums — boom boom boom! Tom plays the violin. Zara plays the flute — it sounds like a bird!

The choir sings two songs. Their voices sound amazing.

"What kind of music do you like?" "I like pop music!" says Oscar. "I like classical," says Hannah. "I like rock because it is loud and fun!" says Lily.

Mr Davis smiles. "Music is for everyone. You just need to enjoy it!" Everyone claps.

Part 2: Comprehension

1. What does Hannah play? (Piano.)
2. How many songs can Oscar play? (Three.)
3. Who plays drums? (Lily.)
4. What does the flute sound like? (A bird.)
5. What does the choir do? (Sings two songs.)
6. What music does Lily like? (Rock.)

Part 3: Vocabulary

Instruments: piano, guitar, drums, violin, flute, trumpet

Music words: song, sing, band, choir, clap, loud, quiet, concert

Music types: pop, rock, classical, jazz, hip hop

Part 4: Grammar

"can play the + instrument"

I can play the piano. He can't play the drums.

Use "the" before instruments.

"like listening to" + music

I like listening to pop music. She likes listening to classical.

Person	Instrument	Music
Hannah	Piano	Classical
Oscar	Guitar	Pop
Lily	Drums	Rock
Tom	Violin	Classical
Zara	Flute	Pop

Part 5: Quiz

1. What does Hannah play?

a) Guitar b) Piano c) Drums d) Flute

2. She can play ___ guitar.

a) a b) the c) an d) ---

3. ___ you play the piano?

a) Can b) Do c) Are d) Is

4. I like ___ to pop music.

a) listen b) listening c) listens d) listened

5. Who plays the drums?

a) Oscar b) Tom c) Lily d) Zara

6. Lily likes rock because it is ___.

a) quiet b) sad c) loud and fun d) old


Part 6: Fill in the Blanks

Word Box: can play | the | listening to | sing | band | loud | song | clap

1. Hannah _____ the piano.
2. Oscar plays _____ guitar.
3. I like _____ pop music.
4. The choir likes to _____.
5. The school _____ plays together.
6. Rock music is _____ and fun.
7. Hannah plays a beautiful _____.
8. Everyone _____ after the concert.

Part 7: Speaking & Writing

- Can you play an instrument?
- What music do you like?
- Do you like singing?
- What is your favourite song?

 Write About Music! 5-8 sentences. What instrument can you play or want to learn? What music do you like? Start: "I like music! I can play... / I want to learn..."

Review Checklist

- I can name musical instruments.
- I can use "can play the + instrument".
- I can say what music I like.
- I know music types: pop, rock, classical.
- I can write about music.

Congratulations! You completed Lesson 16: Music & Instruments!

□ Answer Key

Quiz Answers:

1. b) Piano
2. b) the
3. a) Can
4. b) listening
5. c) Lily
6. c) loud and fun

Fill in the Blanks Answers:

1. can play
2. the
3. listening to
4. sing
5. band
6. loud
7. song
8. clap