



#### MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS CLASSIFICATION

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Teacher / Teaching team profile	Teacher's role:	• 0 0	Main Teacher Co-teacher Other:	Subject taught:
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	CEFR Level:	<ul><li>A1-below</li><li>B1</li></ul>	o         A2         o         C1           o         B2         o         C2	
Student group profile (general)	o Experiences of o English mothe		<ul><li>Migrant background</li><li>Special Educational</li></ul>	
	o Other mother	tongue	Needs : 3           o         Other:	

Timetable fit	• Module	Previous lessons: Sounds and noises (differences), animal sounds, natural sounds, onomatopoeias, rhythms.
	o Lesson	Future lessons: Qualities of sound (pitch: low and high sound, duration: shortandlongsound, intensity forteand piano, timbre or colour: what kind of sound?)

Resources & tools	Musical instruments, Flashcards, reusable materials, blanket, hoops. All the pictures are taken from <u>https://pixabay.com/en/</u> and are free of copyright. The flashcards pictures are taken using the real musical instruments.
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	Subject	Language
Students' prior knowledge,	Difference between sound and noise	Vocabulary: sound, musical instruments, play
skills, competencies	Some musical instruments	Structures: What is it?, present simple
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Learning Outcomes expected for this lesson	<ul> <li>Identify musical instruments</li> <li>Match the musical instruments with the right flashcard and then with the right family</li> <li>Memorize the musical instruments' names</li> <li>Solve a puzzle</li> <li>Classify the musical instruments</li> <li>Compare and differentiate the musical instruments</li> <li>Create a musicalinstrument</li> </ul>
Methodology	The teacher has to encourage children in the activities and not to force them to answer or repeat something. The approach is very natural with very simple English structures and vocabulary. Children have to help each other to find the right solution and cooperate and collaborate in order to create a musical instrument. The teacher prepares specific material deciding the colours for each family of musical instruments to help all the children to be more confident and more active during the lesson.

Activity	Activity aims	Activity Procedure	Language	Interaction	Materials (please cite all sources)	Timing	Assessment
1 Beginning Warm up	To check previous knowledge about the topic. To engage children and catch their interest and curiosity.	(Before starting the lesson) Put some musical instruments under a blanket. All the children are in circle in the middle of the classroom. Ask the children what <b>their expectations</b> are (make hypothesis: <i>What</i> <i>isitunderthe blanket?</i> ) Ask a child to touch an instrument and guess what is it. The activity finishes as soon as all instruments have been guessed.	The English teacher repeats simple structures: "What is it?" Children can ask for help to their classmates: "Can you helpme, S.?"	<ul> <li>Whole class</li> <li>Groupwork</li> <li>Pair work</li> <li>Individual work</li> </ul>	Musical instruments Blanket	1 0 minutes	Children answer orally to the teacher's questions.

2	To <b>present and</b> <b>revise</b> the vocabulary	<b>Presentation:</b> Ask the children to close their eyes. The teacher takes off the blanket to show the musical instruments and starts to count: "3, 2, 1 <i>Open!</i> ". The children open their eyes and they see all the musical instruments. Then the teacher presents the musical instruments. The teacher says "1,2,3" and the instruments' name and the children haveto <b>repeat</b> the vocabulary.	The English teacher uses new vocabulary and helps children to revise the old one: " <i>This one is</i> <i>a…/it's a…</i> "	<ul> <li>Whole class</li> <li>Group work</li> <li>Pair work</li> <li>Individual work</li> </ul>	Flashcards and musical instruments ( <i>Attachment</i> 1: Flashcards)	10 minutes	The teacher checks that children repeat the vocabulary presented.
3	To <b>reinforce</b> the vocabulary	Matching game: all the instruments are on the floor. Teacher hands out the flashcards, one per child, and asks the children to say the name of the musical instrument and find the correct match.	Children have to repeat the vocabulary if the matching is wrong, teacher suggests to compare the instruments and flashcards: "Are they similar?""Has itgot strings?" "Itis like a ?"	<ul> <li>Whole class</li> <li>Groupwork</li> <li>Pair work</li> <li>Individual work</li> </ul>	Flashcards and musical instruments ( <i>Attachment</i> 1: Flashcards)	10 minutes	Children have to match the correct flashcard with the correct musical instrument. Children have also to say the name of the musical instrument.

4	To <b>define</b> different families	Teacher gives some pieces of different puzzles to each group. In groups they have to compose the puzzle and see what kind of instruments are on the puzzle. Then, the teacher presents the instruments' families.	Children reinforce the vocabulary. The English teacher uses new vocabulary. "What can you see on your puzzle?Say in English one instrument youcan see." Teacher: "These instruments belong to <u>brass</u> family/ These instruments belong to <u>string</u> family/ These instruments belong to <u>percussion</u> family/ These instruments belong to <u>woodwind</u> family."	<ul> <li>o Whole class</li> <li>Group work</li> <li>Pair work</li> <li>Individual work</li> </ul>	One puzzle for each family. ( <i>Attachment 2</i> ) lpad or whiteboard	10 minutes	Children have to answer to the teacher's questions.
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5	To <b>classify</b> the different musical instruments	The teacher puts four hoops of different colours on the floor and labels them with the names of the families, one for each instruments' family. Children classify each musical instrument and put it in the correct instruments' family. When children put the instrument inside the hoop they have to say the name of the instrument and its family.	Teacher: "Put the musical instruments that belong to the percussion family in the red circle." "Who wants to begin?" "Which family does it belong to?" "What is this?" Children: "It is a" "Percussion family, woodwind family, brass family string family"	<ul> <li>o Whole class</li> <li>Group work</li> <li>Pair work</li> <li>Individual work</li> </ul>	Puzzles Hula hoops Flashcards with the families names ( <i>Attachment 2</i> , <i>Attachment</i> 3)	10 minutes	Children have to classify each musical instrument and put it in the correct family. When children put the instrument inside the hoop they have to say the name of the instrument and its family.
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6	rs To For each instruments' family	Children reinforce the vocabulary reading on each worksheet the family of instruments. Teacher: "Station by station you have to circle the odd one out instrument in each worksheet." "Count and number the items and colour the circle with the right colour"	<ul> <li>o Whole class</li> <li>Group work</li> <li>o Pair work</li> <li>Individual work</li> </ul>	<u>First activity</u> : Four worksheets, one for each family, per child. Pencil Rubber <u>Second activity</u> : four worksheets per child. ( <i>Attachment 4, 5 and 6</i> )	40 minutes (10minutesfor each station)	Children divided in groups have to complete the activities and then rotate to another station.
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To <b>create</b> a musical instrument 7	Each group has to invent a musical instrument. The teacher gives them some reusable materials to create the musical instrument. Children in group present their musical instrument.	Teacher: "Invent a musical instrument using the material on your desks." Teacher: "Which family does your instrument belong to?" Children: "Brass family, string family, woodwind family, percussionfamily."	<ul> <li>o Whole class</li> <li>Group work</li> <li>Pair work</li> <li>Individual work</li> </ul>	Reusable materials Glue stick Pencils Rubbers Scissors Sticks Plastic caps Ropes Elastic bands Pipe cleaner Beans Seeds Drinking straws Scotch tape	30 minutes	Children have to create a musical instrument and then have to say which family it belongs to.
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PHASE 4





PHASE 5



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#### PHASE 7













#### **ATTACHMENT 1: FLASHCARDS**































ATTACHMENT 2: FLASHCARDS OF THE INSTRUMENTS' FAMILIES (Names)



# WOODWIND FAMILY

### **BRASS FAMILY**

## PERCUSSIONFAMILY

#### ATTACHMENT 3: PUZZLES OF THE INSTRUMENTS' FAMILIES









ATTACHMENT 4: FLASHCARDS FOR THE LEARNING STATION ACTIVITY

## STRING FAMILY WORKSTATION

WOODWIND FAMILY WORKSTATION

## BRASS FAMILY WORKSTATION

PERCUSSION FAMILY WORKSTATION

#### ATTACHMENT 5: SCHEME FOR THE LEARNING STATION ACTIVITY



ATTACHMENT 6: WORKSHEETS FOR EACH LEARNING STATION

# **BRASS FAMILY**

CIRCLE THE INSTRUMENTS THAT BELONG TO THE BRASS FAMILY.





# **WOODWIND FAMILY**

## CIRCLE THE INSTRUMENTS THAT BELONG TO THE WOODWIND FAMILY





### **STRING FAMILY**

CIRCLE THE INSTRUMENTS THAT BELONG TO THE STRING FAMILY





WHAT IS THE COLOR OF THE GUITARS?

### **PERCUSSION FAMILY**

CIRCLE THE INSTRUMENTS THAT BELONG TO THE STRING FAMILY



#### **PERCUSSION FAMILY**



HOW MANY **MARACAS** CAN YOU SEE?

WHAT IS THE COLOR OF THE MARACAS?