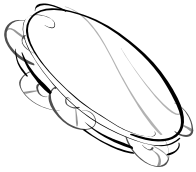


Just for Fun

Make a drum. Take an empty oatmeal tub. Cut the end off. Place several pieces of waxed paper over one of the ends and secure it with string.

Lesson 6

There are several instruments that must be shaken or rubbed to make their sounds. They include the tambourine, the ratchet, wood blocks, castanets, claves, and bells. These are smaller instruments that can be carried easily. The triangle, which is made of metal and struck with a metal stick, is also small and portable.



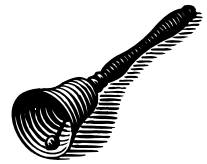
Tambourine



Castanets



Claves

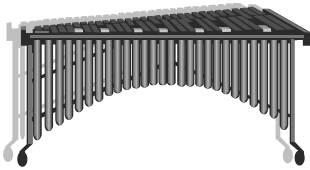


Bell

Have your teacher show you other instruments in this small group.

Lesson 7

The Percussion family also includes instruments that have pitch. These include the Xylophone, Marimba, and tubular bells. All of these instruments have metal or wooden tubes and or blocks. They look a little like a keyboard with sharps and flats in groups of twos and threes. They are also played with mallets.



Xylophone



Marimba



Tubular Bells