

Rhythms of the World – World Music Passport - Reflection

My favourite place that I travelled to on my Rhythms of the World – World Music journey was:

Because:

My favourite piece of world music I listened to or watched while completing my passport is....

If I could learn to play one instrument from a different country it would be...

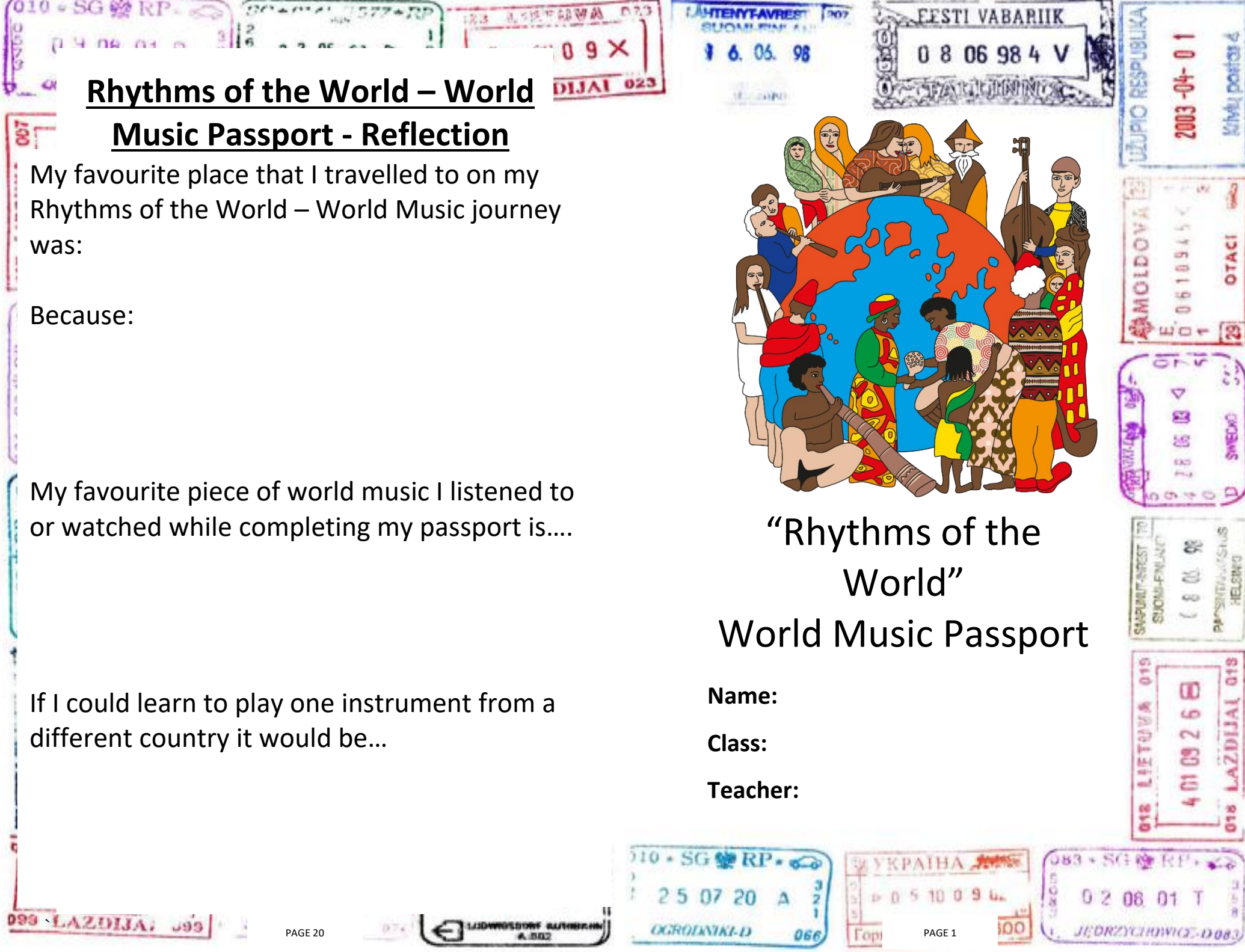


“Rhythms of the World” World Music Passport

Name:

Class:

Teacher:



World Music Countries Visited

Put the date for when you have visited each country and filled in all the activities and tasks for the music of that country.

Country

Date Visited:

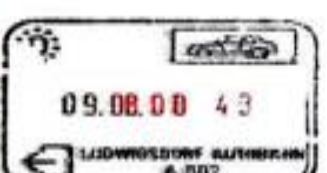
Africa	
India	
China	
Indonesia	
Latin-America	

Complete your “Rhythms of the World – World Music” passport as you journey through the different countries of the world and explore their different types and styles of music.

Watch and listen to the recommended pieces of music as you visit each country by scanning the QR codes which will take you directly to YouTube® links and give definitions of all the key words that you meet along your travels.

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|-------------------|--------------|
| A CAPPELLA | PENTATONIC |
| CALL AND RESPONSE | PERCUSSION |
| DJEMBE | POLYRHYTHM |
| DRONE | RAGA |
| GAMELAN | RHYTHM |
| HETEROPHONY | SALSA |
| IMPROVISATION | SAMBA |
| MASTERDRUMMER | SLENDRO |
| MELODY | SONORITY |
| OSTINATO | STEELBAND |
| PELOG | SYNCOPIATION |
| | TALA |
| | TIMBRE |



Latin-American Music Key Words – Find the definition....

- ♪ Samba
- ♪ Salsa
- ♪ Steel Band
- ♪ Rhythm
- ♪ Syncopation

Watch and listen to some/all performances of Latin-American Music by scanning the QR codes below. Then select one piece and answer the questions below.



Name of Piece:

Composer/Artist/Performer/Band:

Features of Latin-American Music or Latin-American Musical Instruments I could see and hear in this piece are:

I liked/disliked this piece of music because:



African Music



Research the answers to the following questions:

1. Who participates in African music?
2. Why is music important to Africans?
3. What other art forms is African music often combined with?
4. Name 4 occasions where Africans use music.
5. Why are drums important in African music?

Several African musical instruments are pictured below. Using the internet, see if you can research the correct name of each instrument and work out whether it is classed as a **Membranophone**, **Idiophone**, **Chordophone** or **Aerophone**. The first one has been completed for you.

 <p>DJEMBE <i>Membranophone</i></p>		
		
		

Salsa music is performed by a **SALSA BAND**. This is made of up a number of instruments – some instruments from the orchestra, some traditional Latin-American instruments and even some electronic instruments are used. Look at the following image of a Salsa Band performing and see if you can identify and name as many of the instruments as you can.

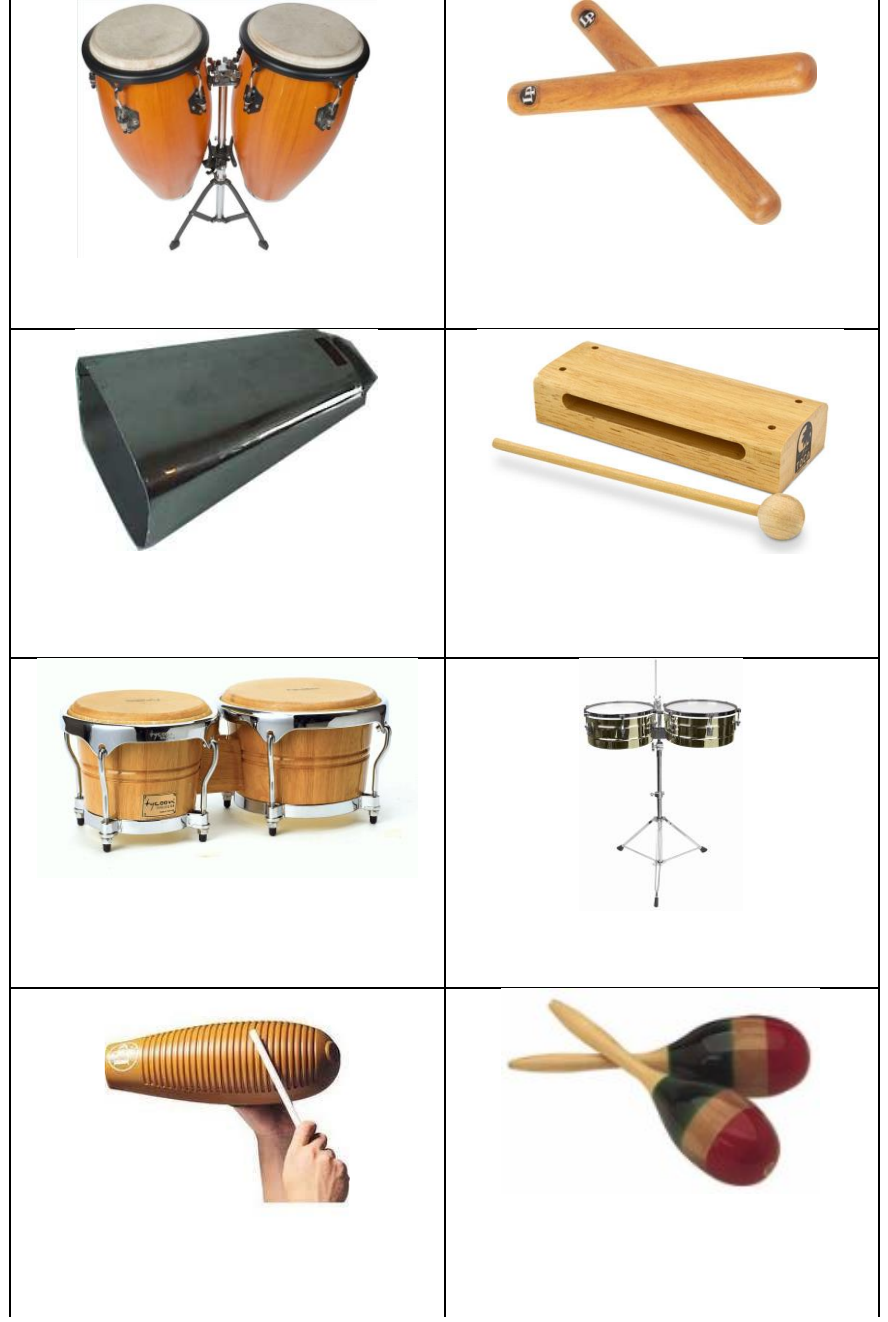


Read the descriptions below of the instruments used in Samba music and match them to the correct descriptions.



<p>A small high-pitched double-headed drum used to play solo cues such as call and response. Smaller than a Surdo drum.</p>	
<p>A cowbell with 2 pitches, high and low. Held by the left hand and it is hit with a drumstick.</p>	
<p>A type of snare drum which has metal springs running across the bottom producing a 'fuzzy' sound.</p>	
<p>A whistle used by the leader of a Samba band to signal an instruction to the group.</p>	
<p>A large bass drum that is hit with soft beaters. It's used to keep a steady pulse within the Samba band.</p>	
<p>A type of shaker that has beads on a frame and shaken in different rhythms.</p>	
<p>A wooden scraper with grooves often played at the same time as the Chocolo.</p>	

Latin-American music uses lots of percussion instruments. Some of the most common are shown below. Using the internet, see if you can research the correct name of each instrument.



African Music Key Words – Find the definition....

- ♪ A Cappella
- ♪ Call and Response
- ♪ Polyrhythm
- ♪ Djembe
- ♪ Master Drummer

Watch and listen to some/all performances of African Music by scanning the QR codes below. Then select one piece and answer the questions below.



Name of Piece:
 Composer/Artist/Performer/Band:

Features of African Music or African Musical Instruments I could see and hear in this piece are:

I liked/disliked this piece of music because:

Indian Music



Read the following passage selecting the correct word from the choice in brackets.

A performance of a piece of Indian music begins with a **(chord/ostinato/drone)** often played by the **(sitar/tabla/tambura)**. The opening section of a raga is called the **(Alap/Jhalla/Gat/Jor)**. The music can be quite **(religious/slow/fast)** at the start. The main instrument then joins in, which is often the **(sitar/tabla/tambura)**; it plays the **(drone/tala/melody)**. The second section of a raga is called the **(Alap/Jhalla/Gat/Jor)** and later on, the music is accompanied by a rhythm played on drums called **(tambura/sitar/tabla)** in the third section called the **(Alap/Jhalla/Gat/Jor)**. The raga ends with **(some/two/all)** of the instruments playing together where the **(pitch/timbre/tempo)** gets faster. This final section is called the **(Alap/Jhalla/Gat/Jor)**.

Latin-American Music



Research the answers to the following questions:

1. Which country does Samba music originate from?
2. Where is Samba music usually performed?
3. What type of instruments are normally used in Samba music?
4. Which Caribbean island did Steel Bands originate from?
5. From what are Steel Pans made from?
6. How are Steel Pans played?
7. What words best describe the timbre and sonority of Steel Band music?
8. Where does Salsa music come from?
9. What is a Son Clave rhythm in Salsa?
10. Describe the differences between a 3:2 and 2:3 Son Clave rhythm.

Indonesian Gamelan Key Words – Find the definition....

- ♪ **Gamelan**
- ♪ **Ostinato**
- ♪ **Heterophony**
- ♪ **Slendro and Pelog**

Watch and listen to some/all performances of Gamelan Music by scanning the QR codes below. Then select one piece and answer the questions below.



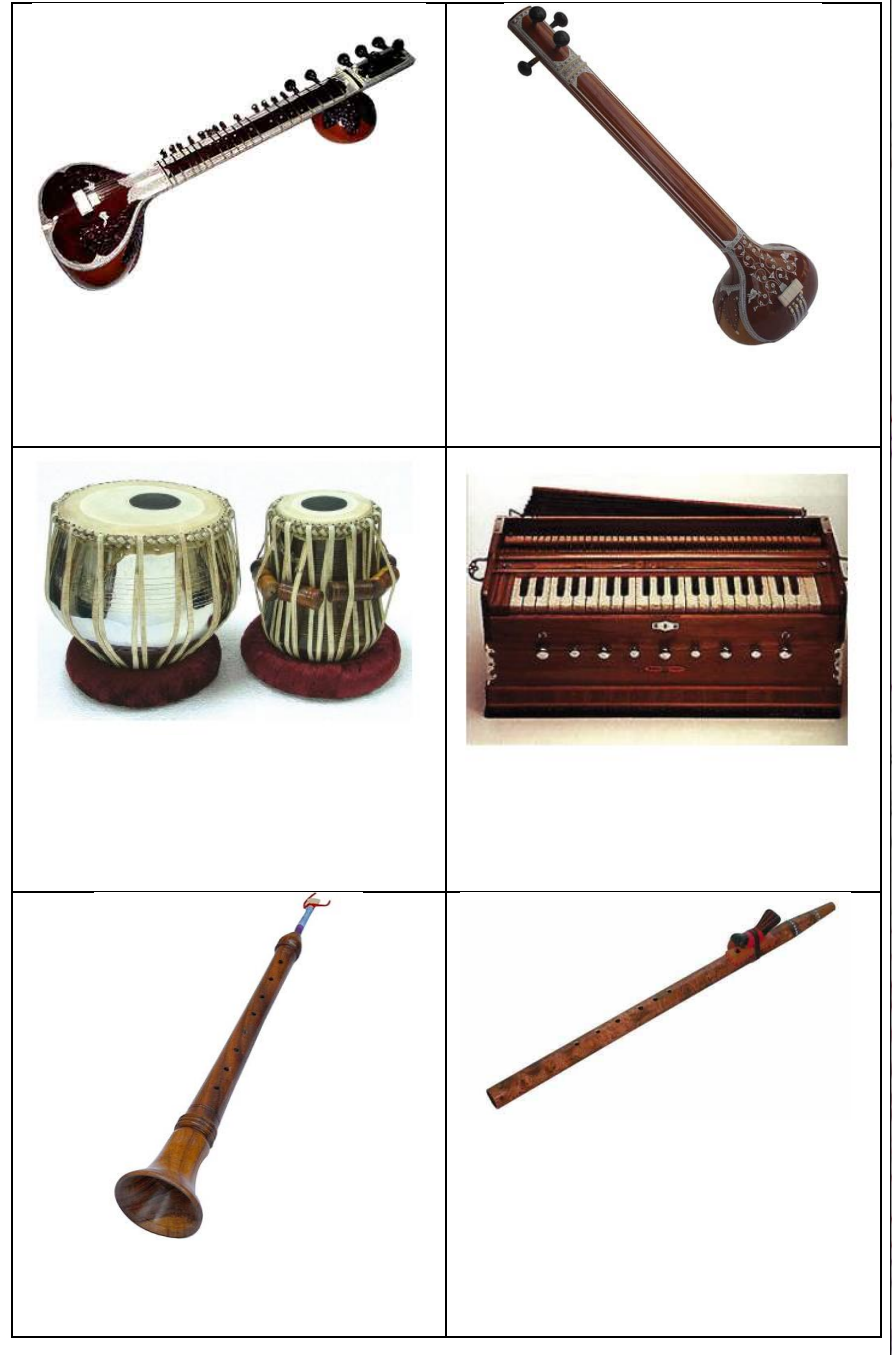
Name of Piece:

Composer/Artist/Performer/Band:

Features of Gamelan Music or Gamelan Instruments I could see and hear in this piece are:

I liked/disliked this piece of music because:

Some Indian musical instruments are pictured below. Using the internet, see if you can research the correct name of each instrument.



Indian Music Key Words – Find the definition....

♪ Raga (*two meanings*)

♪ Tala

♪ Drone

♪ Improvisation

Watch and listen to some/all performances of Indian Music by scanning the QR codes below – much Indian music is quite long so just watch and listen to 4-5 minutes of the performances. Then select one piece and answer the questions below.



Name of Piece:

Composer/Artist/Performer/Band:

Features of Indian Music or Indian Musical Instruments I could see and hear in this piece are:

I liked/disliked this piece of music because:

Some musical instruments used in Indonesian Gamelan are pictured below. Using the internet, see if you can research the correct name of each instrument.



Indonesian Gamelan



Look at the images above and below showing how music is performed in Indonesia. Make some notes on **Who? What? Where? When? Why?** in the box below based on what you can



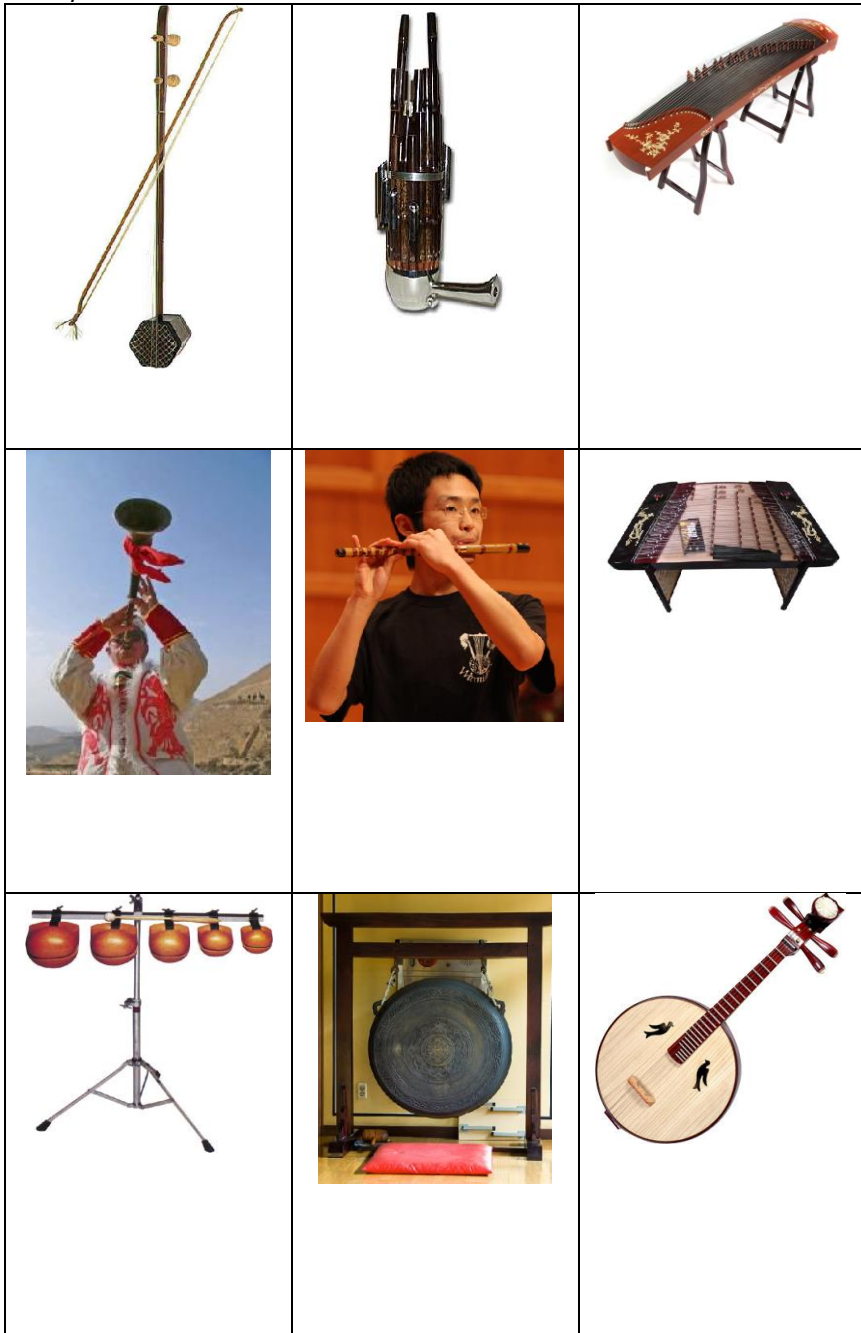
Chinese Music



Research the answers to the following questions:

1. How old is Chinese music?
2. What happens during Chinese New Year celebrations and how is music used?
3. What is involved in Chinese opera?
4. Why does Chinese music sound 'strange' or 'different' to us?
5. What types of music are popular in China today?

Several Chinese musical instruments are pictured below. Using the internet, see if you can research the correct name of each instrument.



Chinese Music Key Words – Find the definition....

♪ Pentatonic

♪ Drone

♪ Timbre/Sonority

♪ Melody

Watch and listen to some/all performances of Chinese Music by scanning the QR codes below. Then select one piece and answer the questions below.



Name of Piece:

Composer/Artist/Performer/Band:

Features of Chinese Music or Chinese Musical Instruments I could see and hear in this piece are:

I liked/disliked this piece of music because: