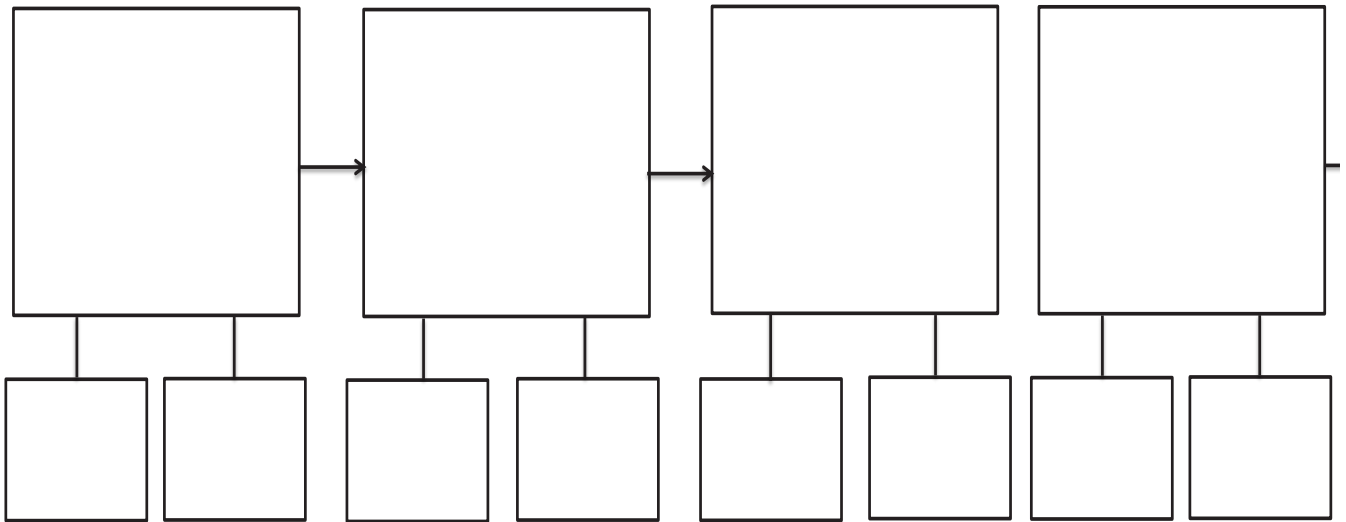




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Students: After reading "Connections," name the four types of instruments found in an orchestra in the tree map below. In the boxes under each type, name a detail about or an example from each category. Answer the questions at the bottom in complete sentences.

Instruments in an Orchestra



1. What is an orchestra?
2. How is a large orchestra different than a small orchestra?
3. What instrument do you play or would you like to play?



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Students: After reading "Around the World," find types of music in the word search below created from <https://thewordsearch.com>. A list containing the terms to find is included. Answers may be horizontal, vertical, diagonal, frontward and backward.

Music Around the World

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- FOLK
- DANCEHALL
- CELTIC CHANT
- OLDIES
- RHYTHM AND BLUE
- METAL
- TECHNO
- RAP
- COUNTRY
- BENGA
- ACAPELLA
- BOSSA NOVA
- GOSPEL
- BOLLYWOOD
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- MAMBO
- ROCK
- OPERA
- JAZZ
- POP
- SWING
- BLUEGRASS

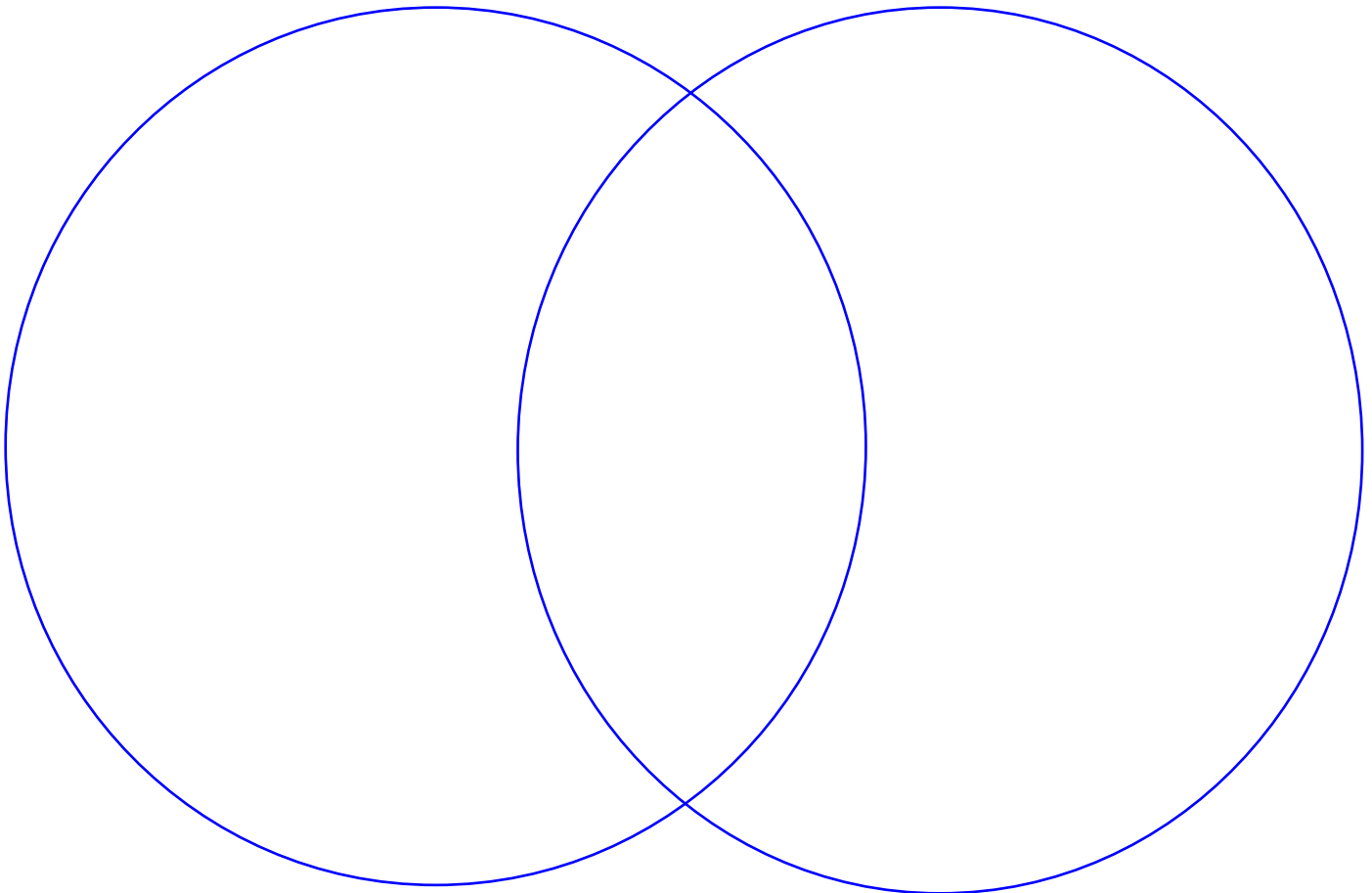


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Students: After reading "Wildville," compare and contrast any two of the three animals in the article using the venn diagram below. You do not have to write in complete sentences.

Comparing and Contrasting
_____ and _____





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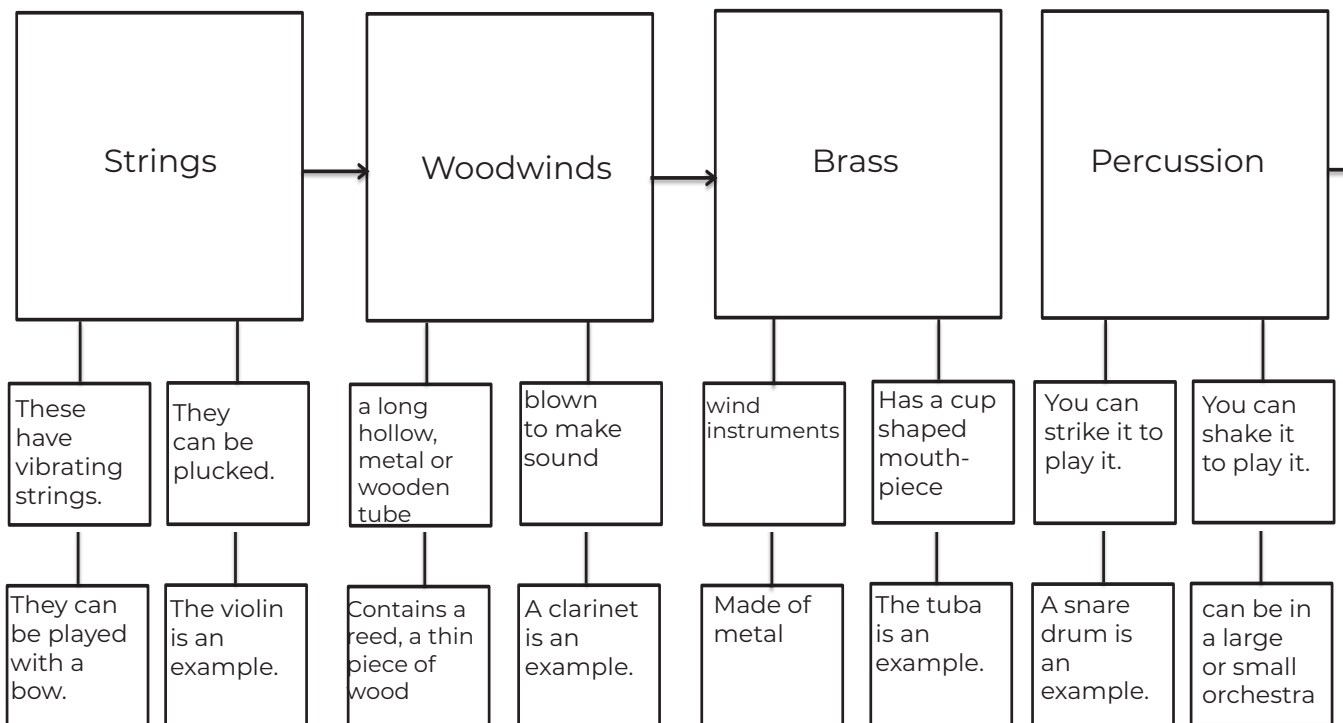
Answer Key



Students: After reading “Connections,” name the four types of instruments found in an orchestra in the tree map below. In the boxes under each type, name a detail about or an example from each category. Answer the questions at the bottom in complete sentences.

Parents/Teachers: All possible answers, **more than required**, are below.

Instruments in an Orchestra



1. What is an orchestra?

An orchestra is a large group of musicians who play together on a variety of bowed string, woodwind, brass and percussion instruments, following the lead of the conductor. The musicians usually play classical music.

2. How is a large orchestra different than a small orchestra?

The large orchestra has about 100 players and is called a symphony orchestra. The small orchestra has 30-40 players and is known as a chamber orchestra.

3. What instrument do you play or would you like to play?

Answers will vary.

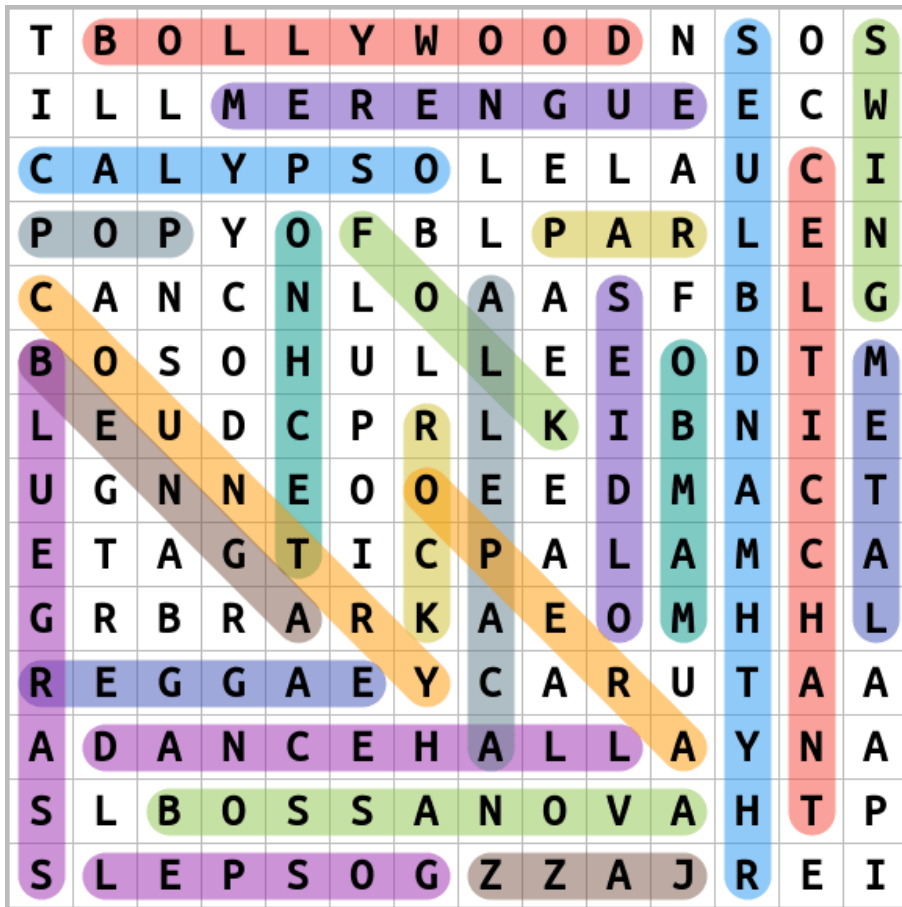


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Answer Key

Students: After reading "Around the World," find types of music in the word search below created from <https://thewordsearch.com>. A list containing the terms to find is included. Answers may be horizontal, vertical, diagonal, frontward and backward.
Parents/Teachers: Answers are below.



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Answer Key

Students: After reading "Wildville," compare and contrast the animals in the article using the triple venn diagram below. You do not have to write in complete sentences. **Parents/Teachers:** Sample answers, **more than required**, are below.



Comparing and Contrasting
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