

A demonstration of Popular Band Instruments

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kB765VQWO2A&feature=youtu.be>

Watch the video above and then see if you can remember the answers to the questions.

Guitar (00:08-06:18)

1. What instrument did a classical guitar develop from and how long has it been around for?
2. Name different ways you can play strings?
3. What does the left hand do?
4. How many strings are on a traditional classical guitar?
5. Name the different types of guitar explained in the video.
6. What are strings made out of?
7. What current musician is explained as uses finger picking?
8. Which of the three guitars does not have a sound hole?
9. What could you use to help you play the strings?

Bass (06:18-08:16)

1. How many strings are there on a bass guitar?
2. What is the main difference between a bass and a guitar?
3. What is the difference between an electric bass and upright double bass?
4. Name 2 different ways you saw the electric bass being played.

Piano (08:16-10:36)

1. Name two different types of piano
2. Can you think of any other instruments that are similar to a piano?
3. How do the strings make a sound?
4. Name the different styles of music that were played in the video
5. By watching, how many individual pitches can you play at once?

Drums (10:36-12:07)

1. What are the metallic instruments called?
2. Name different ways a cymbal can be played?
3. Which two parts of the drum kit use pedals so we can use our feet?
4. Name the different drums
5. How many sounds can be made at one time on the drum kit?

Band Performance (12:07-13:18)

1. What was your favourite instrument?
2. Have you learn anything new?

Guitar answers

1. Lute / 1700s
2. Plucking, strumming chords, finger picking
3. Change the pitch of strings to high and low
4. 6
5. Classical, Steel String, Electric
6. Plastic, steel
7. Ed Sheeran
8. Electric guitar
9. Plectrum / pick

Bass answers

1. 4
2. Bass plays lower notes and a guitar plays higher notes
3. Upright bass is bigger and the electric bass has been designed to be a portable version
4. Slapping the strings, picking individual strings, chords

Piano answers

1. Upright piano, grand piano
2. Electric keyboard, organ,
3. They are hit by a hammer connected to the keys
4. Boogie Woogie, Jazz, Classical, Pop
5. 10 (because you have 10 fingers that can each press a key)

Drums answers

1. Cymbals
2. Hit, choked,
3. Hi-hat, bass drum
4. Toms, snare, bass drum
5. 4 (because we have 4 limbs that can be used to play: right hand, left hand, right foot, left foot)