



Making a musical instrument



Watch the bitesize video to find out what a sound is, and how it is made.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z3hhvcw/articles/z3wf34j>



Task 1) Use what you have found out about sounds, and how to make them, to make your own musical instrument out of recyclable materials.

Task 2) Write a fact sheet about your instrument, explaining how it makes a sound, and what you notice (feel, hear, see) when playing it.



Challenge: Can you change a small part of your instrument to alter the sound it makes? For example, you could tighten an elastic band on a junk guitar. Can you explain why you think the sound changed the way it did?

