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🔊 Do you want to make music?  
You can play a clarinet.  
It has metal keys on it.  
You blow into the end and  
move the keys.

🔊 clarinet



🔊 You can play the flute.  
It has metal keys, too.  
You blow air across a hole  
and move the keys.



🔊 flute

🔊 You can play the violin.

It is small.

It has four strings.

You hold it under your chin.

🔊 violin



🔊 You can play the double bass.  
It is big.  
It has four strings.  
You stand it on the floor.



double bass



🔊 You can play the guitar.  
It is made of wood.  
It has six strings.  
You pull the strings  
with your fingers.

🔊 guitar



🔊 You can play the **piano**.

It has keys and strings!

The keys are long and flat.

You press them with your fingers.

🔊 piano





🔊 You can play the drums.  
They can be big or small.  
You hit them with sticks  
or with your hands.

🔊 Drums



🔊 You can **visit** friends  
and make music.

You can sit on a **porch**  
and make music.



🔊 You can **spend** a lot of time making music!

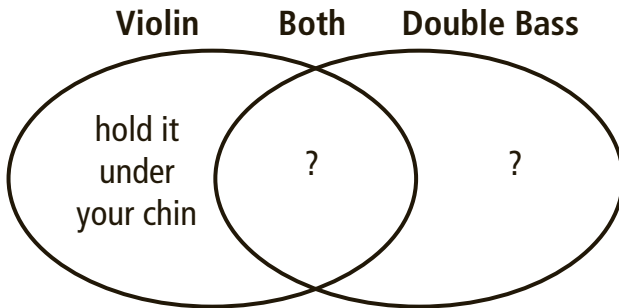


# Responding



## TARGET SKILL Compare and Contrast

How is a violin like a double bass? How is it different? Use a Venn diagram like this one to compare and contrast details about them.



## Write About It

**Text to Text** Have you read another book about music? Use a few sentences to write a friendly letter to someone and tell them about that book.



### TARGET VOCABULARY

cousin  
crown  
piano  
porch

remembered  
spend  
stuck  
visit



### TARGET SKILL **Compare and**

**Contrast** Tell how two things are alike or not.



### TARGET STRATEGY **Question** Ask

questions about what you are reading.



**GENRE Informational text** gives facts about a topic.

**Level:** I

**DRA:** 16

**Genre:**

Informational

**Strategy:**

Question

**Skill:**

Compare and Contrast

**Word Count:** 185

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