

INSTRUMENTS OF THE ORCHESTRA

How Do We Make Sound? PERCUSSION

Objects you can SCRAPE!



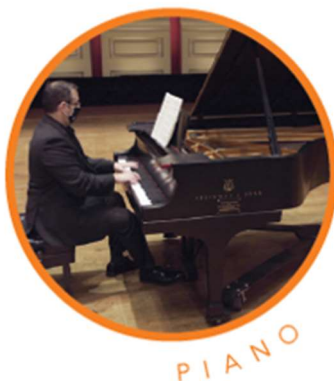
GUIRO



RACHET

Instruments in the percussion family make sound by **scraping**, **striking**, or **shaking** to create **vibrations**.

Objects you can STRIKE!



PIANO



TIMPANI

Some percussion instruments, like the piano, are **pitched**. Pitched percussion instruments make sounds that are musical notes and can sound higher or lower.

Objects you can SHAKE!



TAMBOURINE



MARACAS

Other percussion instruments, like the tambourine, are **unpitched** – they make sound but do not match any musical note and can not be changed to sound higher or lower.

