

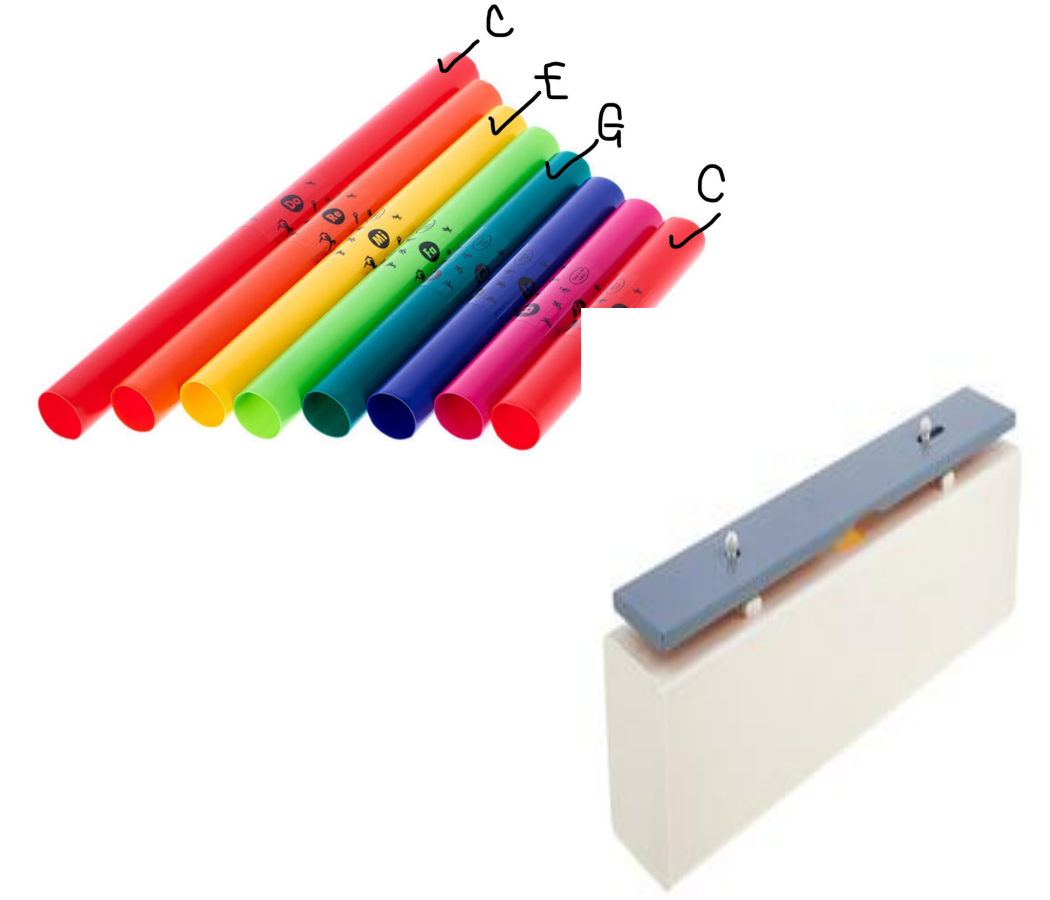
Father Christmas

He got stuck!

 Instruments 

3 instrument groups

- Group 1- Boomwackers or chimebars (C,E or G)



- Group 2- Drums

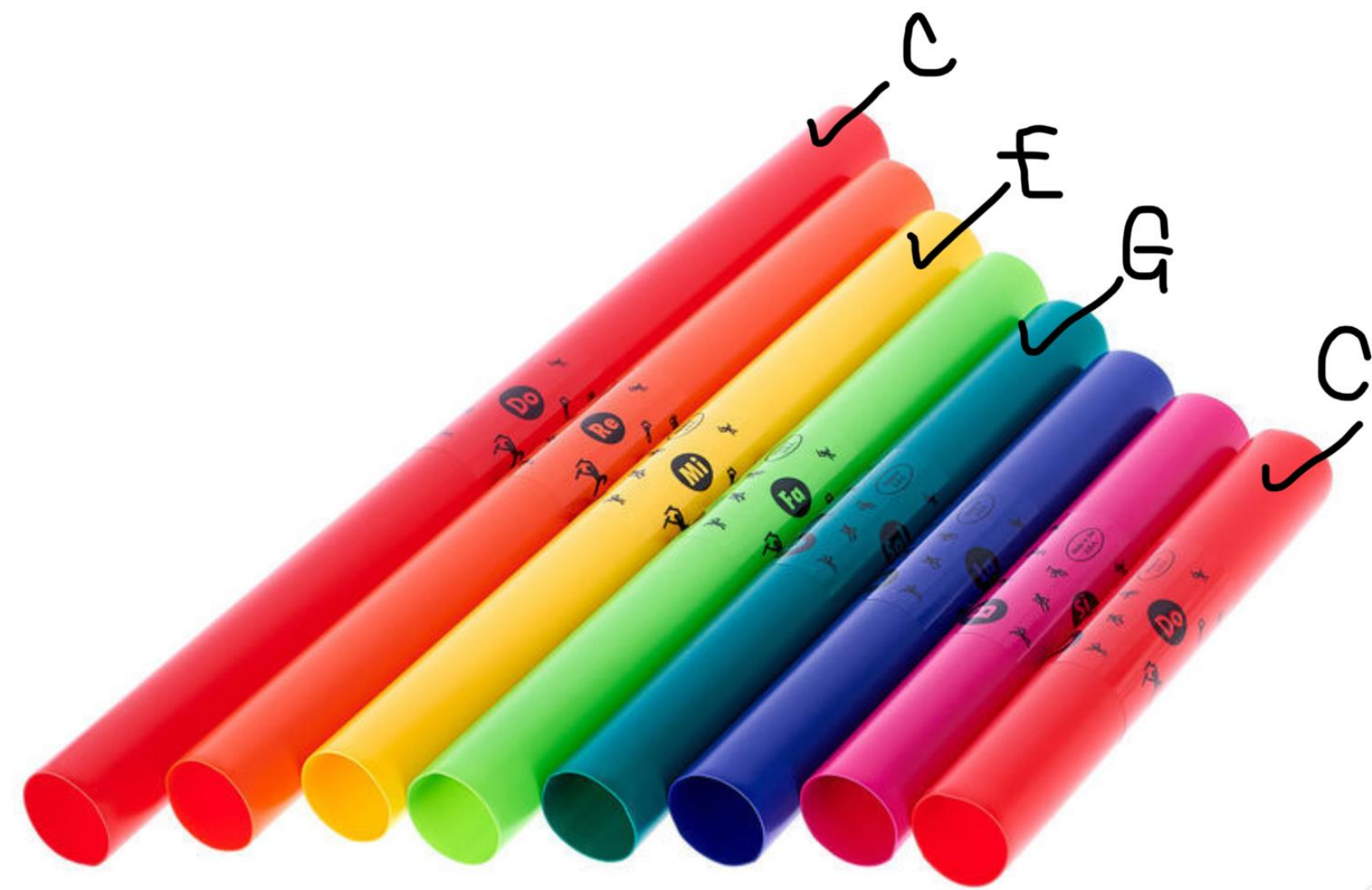


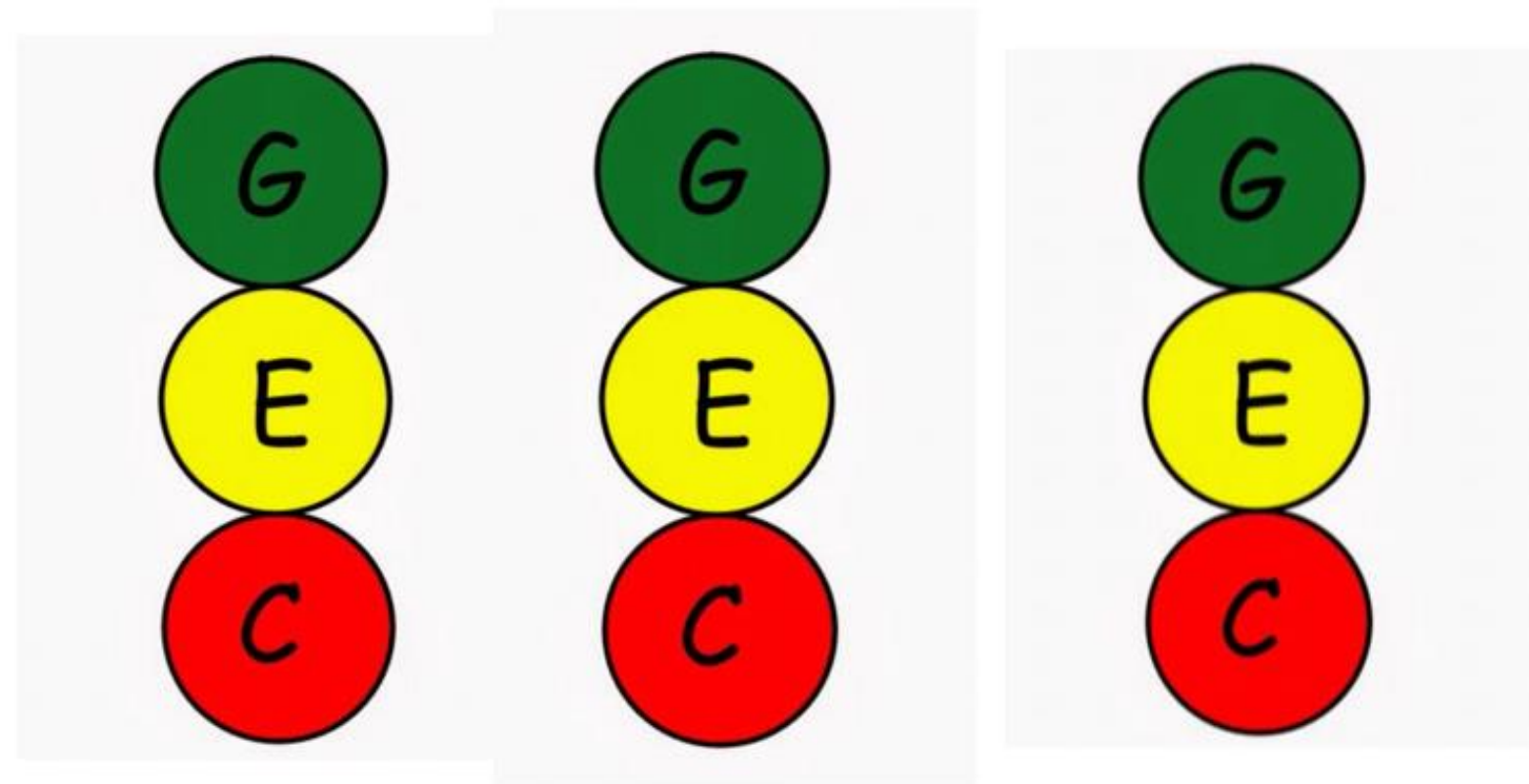
- Group 3- Tambourines and shakers (maraca/egg shaker etc)



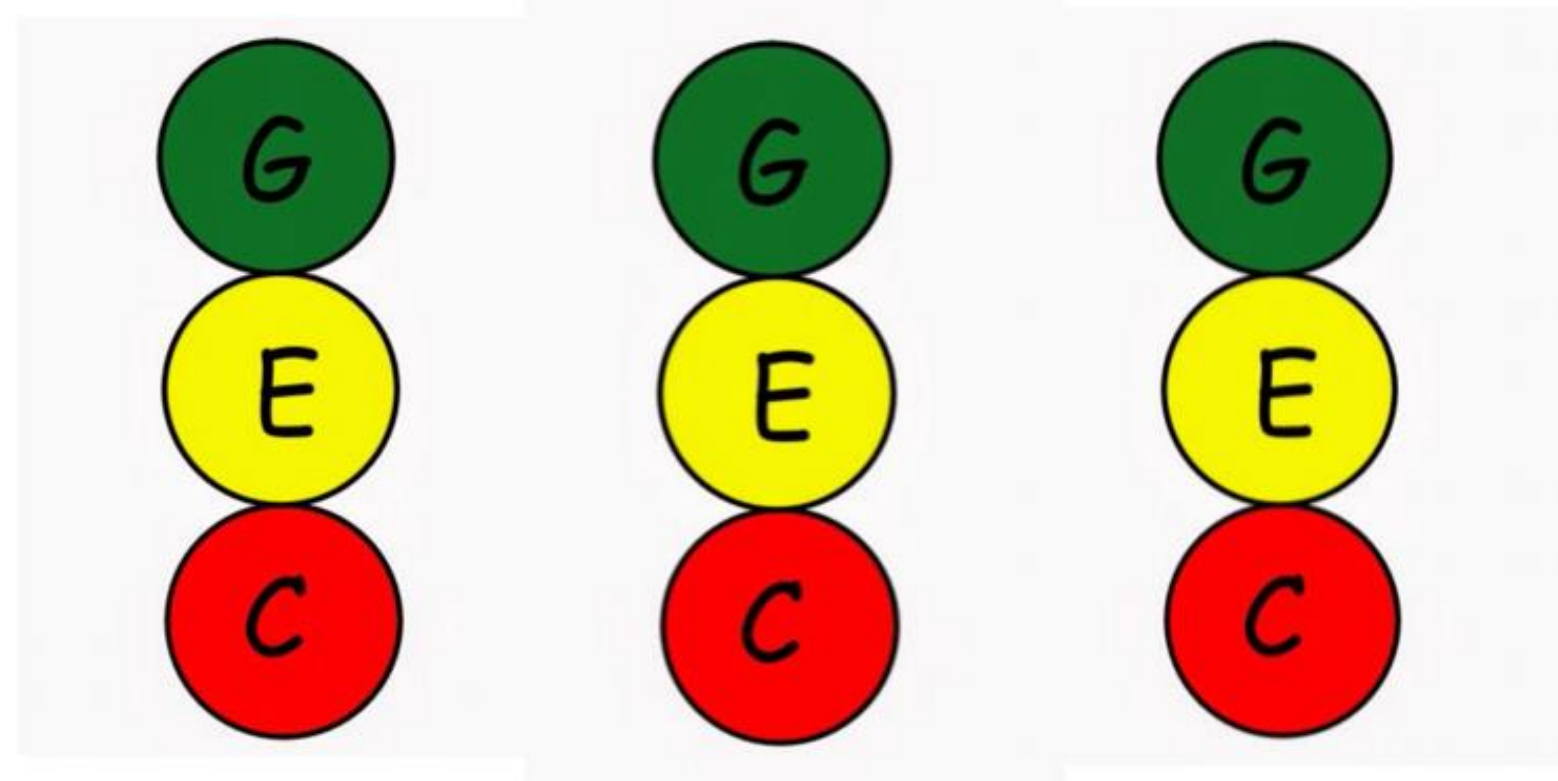
Boomwackers or chime bars play
all the way through

Father Christmas,
Father Christmas
He got stuck,
He got stuck
Coming down the chimney,
Coming down the chimney
What bad luck!
What bad luck!





Father Christmas,



Father Christmas

Drums - only play on the word “**stuck**”



He got stuck,

He got stuck



Tambourines
Maracas
Egg shakers etc...

Coming down the chimney,

Coming down the chimney

Copy the “chimney” actions from the song



All instruments

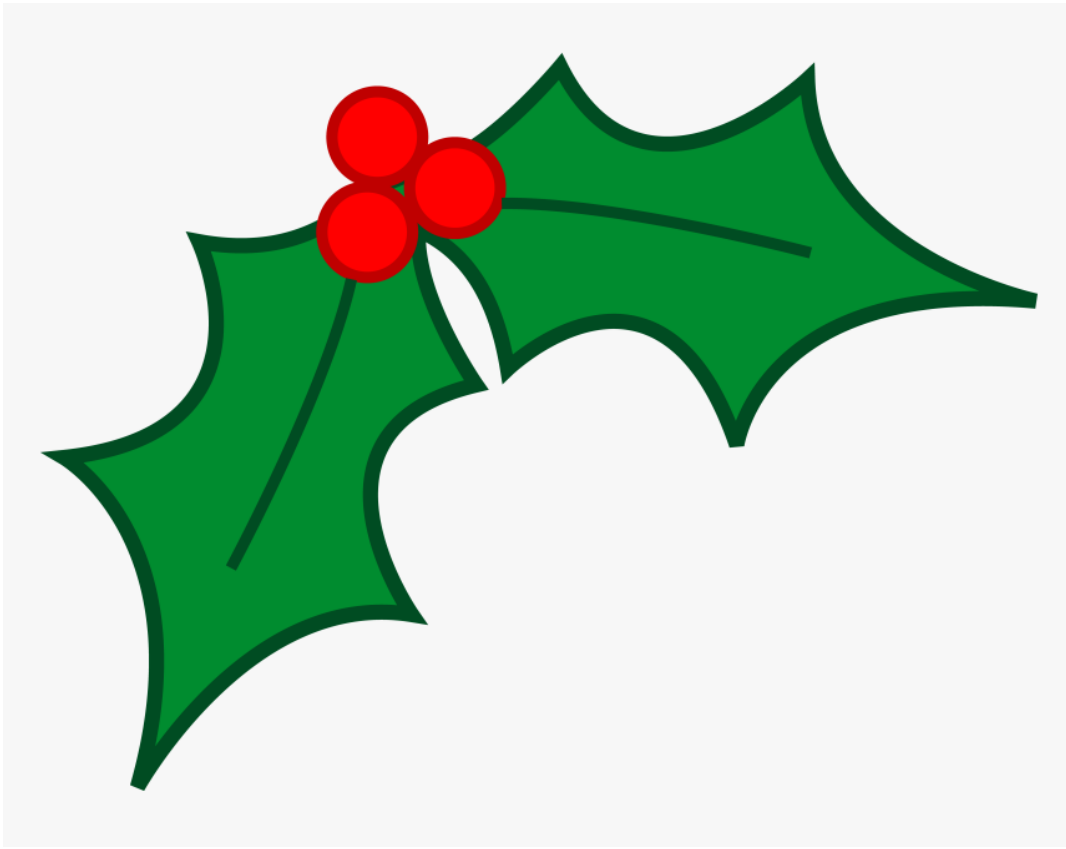


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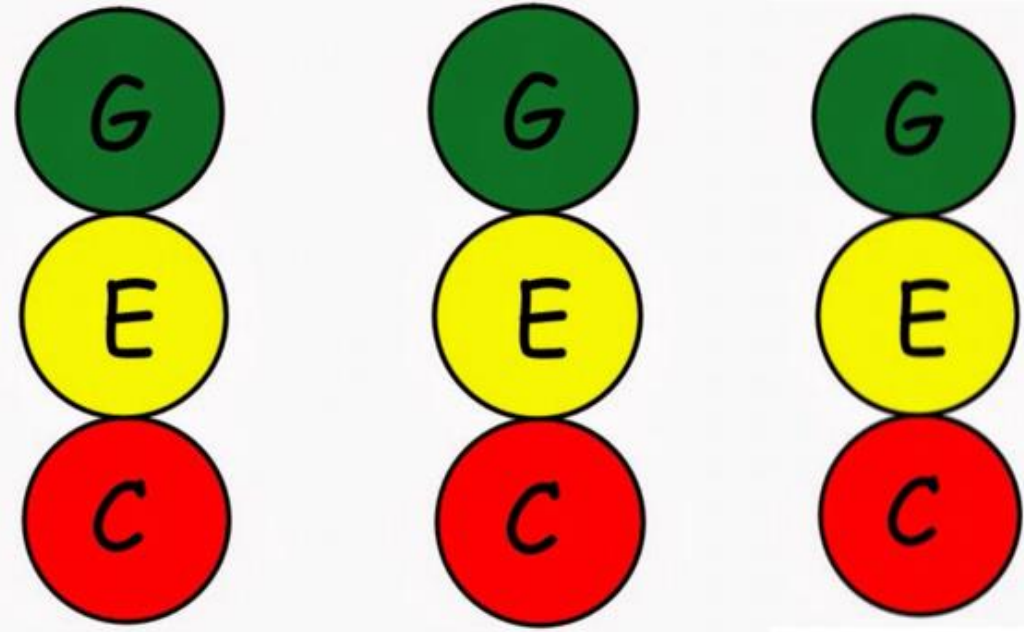


Play the rhythm of the words

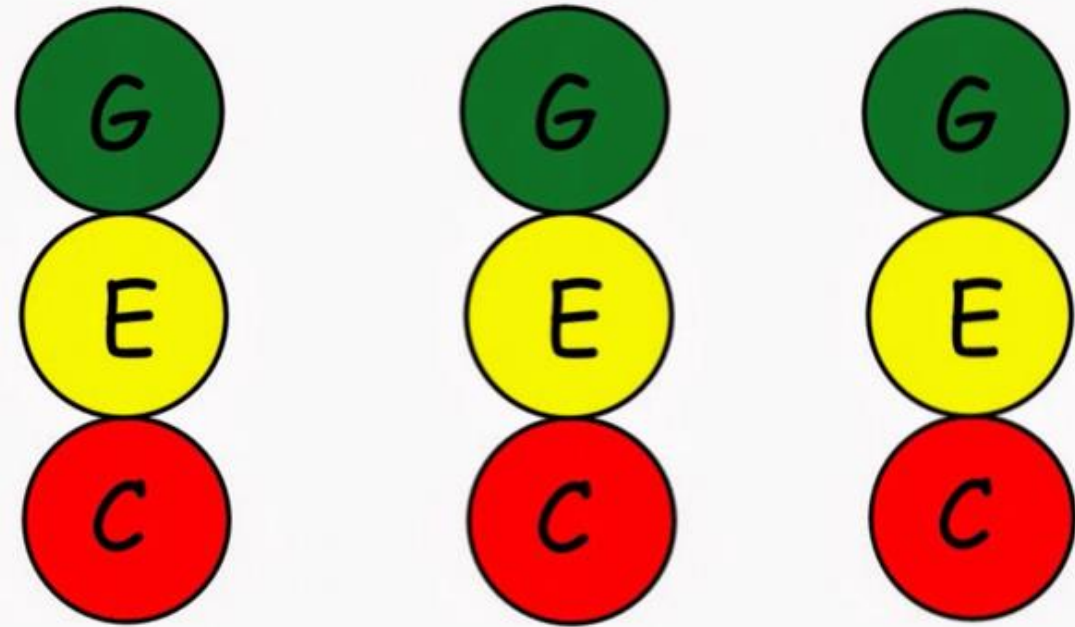


Let's play! Flashcards





Father Christmas,



Father Christmas





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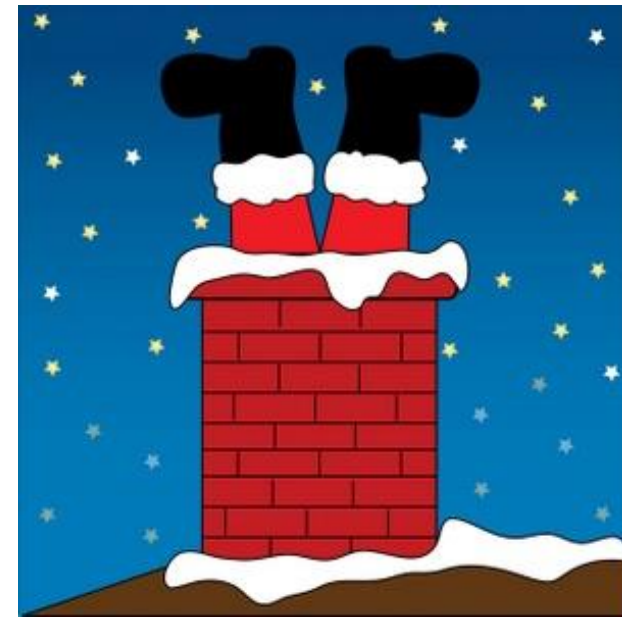
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Coming down the chimney,

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Teaching ideas

- Make sure the children are comfortable with the singing and actions before adding instruments.
- Sing the song with actions and add just **one** group of instruments each time until everyone is comfortable.
- If the boomwackers rhythm is too hard, the children could play on the beat throughout the piece instead.

Performance ideas to try

- Add dynamics (louder or quieter)
- Change the tempo (faster or slower beat)
- Record your performance for another class or for families to watch!

