

Name: _____ Teacher: _____

Grade: _____ Date: _____

Instrument of the week: Flute!

Directions: Circle the correct answer

1. The **oldest** flute found was around 10,000 years old. What was it made of?
 - a. Rubber
 - b. Rock
 - c. Bone
 - d. Glass
2. How do you make sound out of the hole on the flute headjoint?
 - a. Buzz your lips on the mouth piece
 - b. Blow air into the hole on the flute headjoint
 - c. Use a reed
 - d. Use a bow
3. The present day flute is made of what?
 - a. Wood
 - b. Rubber
 - c. Metal
 - d. Glass
4. Why is the flute in the woodwind family, but not in the Brass family?
 - a. The flute use to be made out of wood like other woodwinds
 - b. The flute uses a reed like other woodwinds
 - c. The flute uses air like other woodwinds
 - d. The flute is small like other woodwinds
5. which fact about the flute is true?
 - a. The flute is the lowest sounding instrument in the orchestra
 - b. The flute plays in alto clef
 - c. The flute is the highest sounding instrument in the orchestra
 - d. The flute is a heavy woodwind instrument



Directions: Using the letters in the word flute to make words that describe the flute!



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Fun Facts!

- The flute is one of the oldest instruments. Early flutes were made out of animal bones.
- To play the flute, musicians hold it flat and blow their breath over the edge of the hole in the flute's headjoint.
- The flute is one of the highest pitched instruments in the orchestra!
- Other common instruments in the flute family include the piccolo (smaller) and alto flute (larger).