



# Wigan Music Service Whole Class Instrumental Lessons at Home

## GUITAR



### Listen Up!

In this lesson we will look at one of the **Musical Elements** called **Pitch**.

**Pitch** is how high or low a note sounds, a mouse squeaks with a high **Pitch** but a lion roars with a low **Pitch**. On our guitars each string has a different **Pitch**.

Ask your Parents to show you the video from BBC Bitesize which is all about **Pitch** and **Melody**. Think about:

- 1) Which is the highest pitched string on our guitars?
- 2) Which is the Lowest pitched string on our guitars?
- 3) How do we change the pitch on our guitar strings?

*Parents, it is the 1<sup>st</sup> video on the page, here's the link.*

[\\*https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcbkjc6/articles/zp99cj6](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcbkjc6/articles/zp99cj6)

\*BBC Bitesize

### Make Some Music



The 5 different pitches we have been playing on our guitars are

**G A B C** and **D**.

Compose your own **Melody** using the **Rhythm** underneath and notes **G A B C** and **D** (you don't have to use all 5 notes). The **Rhythm** is played 2 times. Watch the tutorial video first.

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*Parents, here is a tutorial video to help*

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tq6P\\_zMOCzI](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tq6P_zMOCzI)

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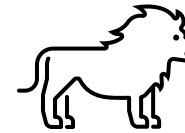
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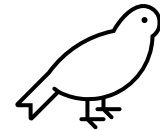
- 1) On the guitar there are 6 Strings, what letter name do we give to each string? Remember the phrase *Easter Bunny Goes Daft At Easter*.
- 2) Watch the tutorial again in the 'Make some music section' of the lesson.
  - a) In my **Melody** which note is highest in **Pitch** is it G, A, B or C?
  - b) In my **Melody** which note (**Pitch**) do I start and end with, is it G, A, B or C?
- 3) Watch the video again in the 'Listen up' section of the lesson.
  - a) What tips does Bob give to make a sweet melody?
  - b) Does Bob say have a long melody or a short melody?

### More Fun

Next to each picture can you say if the animal makes a high Pitched sound or a low pitched sound.



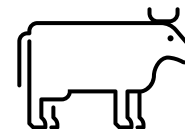
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