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# Woodwind Instruments

#### Task 1 – Copy the spider diagram below

Not all Woodwind instruments are made out of wood.

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There are four types

Of Sayophone:

Of Saxophone: Soprano (highest), Alto, Tenor and Bass (lowest). The Piccolo is a smaller version of the flute. There is less room for sound to vibrate because it is smaller. Therefore, it plays high pitch notes.

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Despite being made out of brass, Saxophones are classed as woodwind instruments.

The Oboe looks very similar to the Clarinet. The main difference is the mouth piece.

The Clarinet is probably one of the most famous
Woodwind instruments. It is made out of African black wood.

The Double
Bassoon is a
bigger and lower
pitched version
of the Bassoon.

A lot of Woodwind instruments have a distinctive mouth piece containing a reed.

Woodwind instruments are often put together with Brass instruments to create Wind Bands.

Wind Bands are particularly common in schools.

### Task 2 – Answer the following questions in full sentences

- 1. What material are some Clarinets made out of?
- 2. What is distinct about the mouthpiece of a lot of Woodwind instruments?
- 3. The Double Bassoon is a bigger and lower pitched version of which instrument?
- 4. What are the four types of Saxophone. Write them down in order of pitch LOWEST first?
- 5. Which instrument looks similar to the Clarinet?
- 6. The Piccolo is a smaller version of which instrument?
- 7. Why can the Piccolos and Flutes play high pitched notes?
- 8. Are all Woodwind instruments made out of wood? (try to answer as a sentence)

## Task 3 – Complete the following extension activities

- A. Attempt to copy and enlarge the image of the Saxophone (right)
- B. Research and create a list of as many Woodwind instruments as possible.

