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Dear Parents and Carers

Year 4 Musical Instruments

As part of our upcoming music unit, ***Make It, Play It***, the children will be designing and creating their own **musical instruments** using recycled materials. They will then use these instruments to explore sound and perform simple pieces in class.

To help us with this project, we would really appreciate it if you could begin **saving clean recycling items** at home over the next few weeks. Useful items include:

- Toilet roll tubes
- Milk cartons
- Juice bottles
- Butter or margarine tubs

Optional extra items (if you are happy to send them in):

- Rice
- Pasta

These will be used carefully to create shakers, drums and other instruments. Please ensure any items sent into school are **clean and empty**.

The children are very excited about this hands-on project, which supports creativity, teamwork and musical understanding. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Miss E Wade and Miss V Kelly
Year 4 Team