

The Lima Symphony Orchestra and ArtSpace/LimaPresent:

Music at Home!



MAKE YOUR OWN KAZOO!

The Lima Symphony musicians play all kinds of instruments. We play violins, french horns, flutes and drums! But one fun instrument that we have never had on our stage is the kazoo.

YOU WILL NEED:

- Toilet paper roll
- Markers, Crayons, Stickers, etc.
- Hole punch
- Wax paper
- Ruler
- Rubber band





Knock knock.

Who's there?

KaZoo.

Kazoo please play me a song?

DIRECTIONS:

Would you like to make one?

- 1. Decorate an empty **toilet paper roll** or paper towel roll with markers, paint, tissue paper, or whatever you like.
- 2. On one end of the tube, use a **hole punch** to make a hole about an inch from the top (see picture to the left).
- 3. On the same end, wrap a 4x4" square of **wax paper** over the end of the tube.
- 4. Use a **rubber band** to hold the wax paper in place.

Make sure the paper is tight, or your kazoo won't sound good.

NOW PLAY!

On the open end, say "la la laaaa" to test your kazoo. What a fun sound!

What do you say when a kazoo sneezes? $K_{az_{00}ntite!}$

Can you sing your favorite song? Can you sound like a siren? What happens if you cover the hole? What happens if you whisper?

Lima Symphony Musicians read music notes that tell us what to play. How would you interpret these symbols?







For completed Kazoo demonstration and to meet a Lima Symphony Musician, visit our YouTube Page: https://youtu.be/ZUa8W1lwV3o