

The characters

Peter
Bird
Duck
Cat
Peter's Grandfather
Wolf
Hunters

Match the character to the correct instrument...

1. Peter

Timpani



2. Bird

Bassoon



3. Duck

Flute



4. Cat

Oboe



5. Hunters

Horns



6. Wolf

Strings

7. Peter's grandfather

Clarinet



1. How would you describe Peter's mood and movement when you hear the strings?

2. Describe the **pitch** of the bird.

3. Is the flute a good choice for this animal? Why?

4. Describe the **timbre** of the oboe (duck).

5. Why do you think Prokofiev chose the oboe for the duck?

6. Describe the movement of the cat (clarinet).

7. Describe the **pitch** of the bassoon. Does this suit the grandfather? How?

8. What atmosphere do the horns (wolf) create when they first appear?

9. Why do you think Prokofiev chose timpani to represent the hunters?

10. Which orchestral instrument would you use to represent **you** and why?
