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Carnegie Hall
Kids'
Coloring
Booklet



Unleash your inner artist with these music-themed coloring pages! Explore instruments from around the world and meet famous composers from throughout history. Follow the link  in the bubble on each page for a musical activity and listen or sing along as you create your own colorful masterpiece.



The images and activities in this booklet come from Carnegie Hall's Link Up and Musical Explorers programs for children in grades K-5.

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Explore the Accordion

The accordion is a box-shaped instrument that is played by pushing and pulling bellows to pump air while pressing the bass buttons and keys to play different pitches.

Hear the accordion and learn to sing "El Pescador," a popular cumbia song from Colombia!

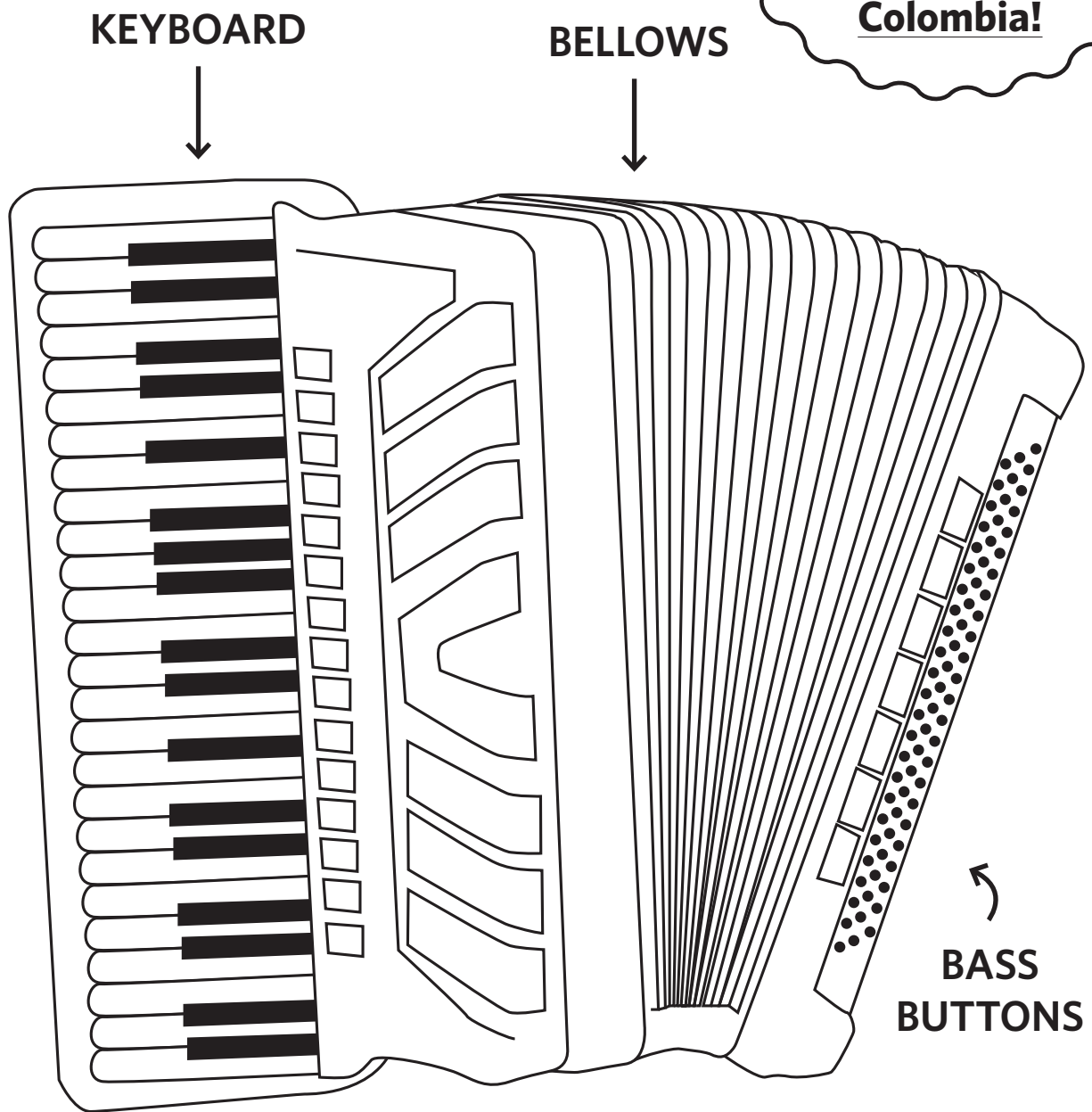


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Explore the Oud

The oud is a pear-shaped string instrument with a rounded back and a short neck.

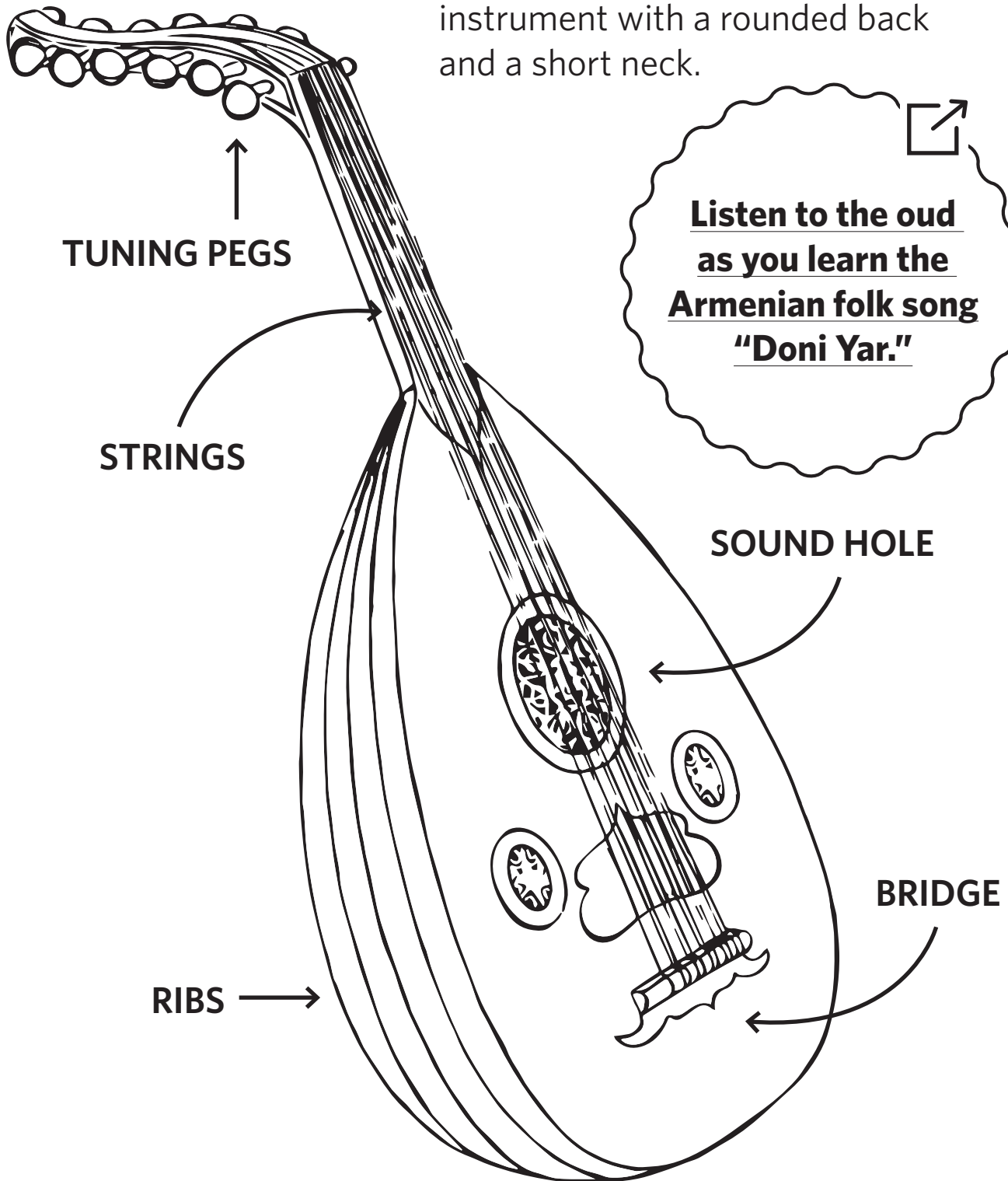
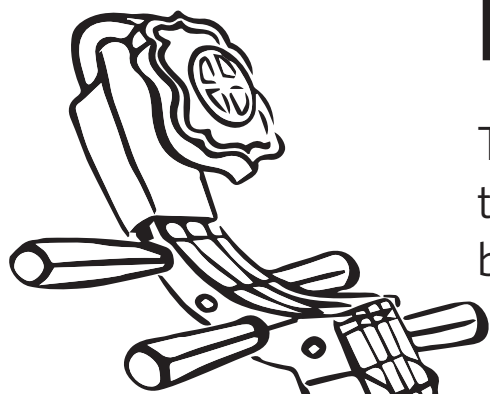


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Explore the Pipa

The pipa is one of the most popular traditional Chinese instruments. It has been played in China for almost 2,000 years!



TUNING PEGS

Learn the
traditional Chinese
New Year song
"Gong Xi, Gong Xi"
and listen to
the pipa.

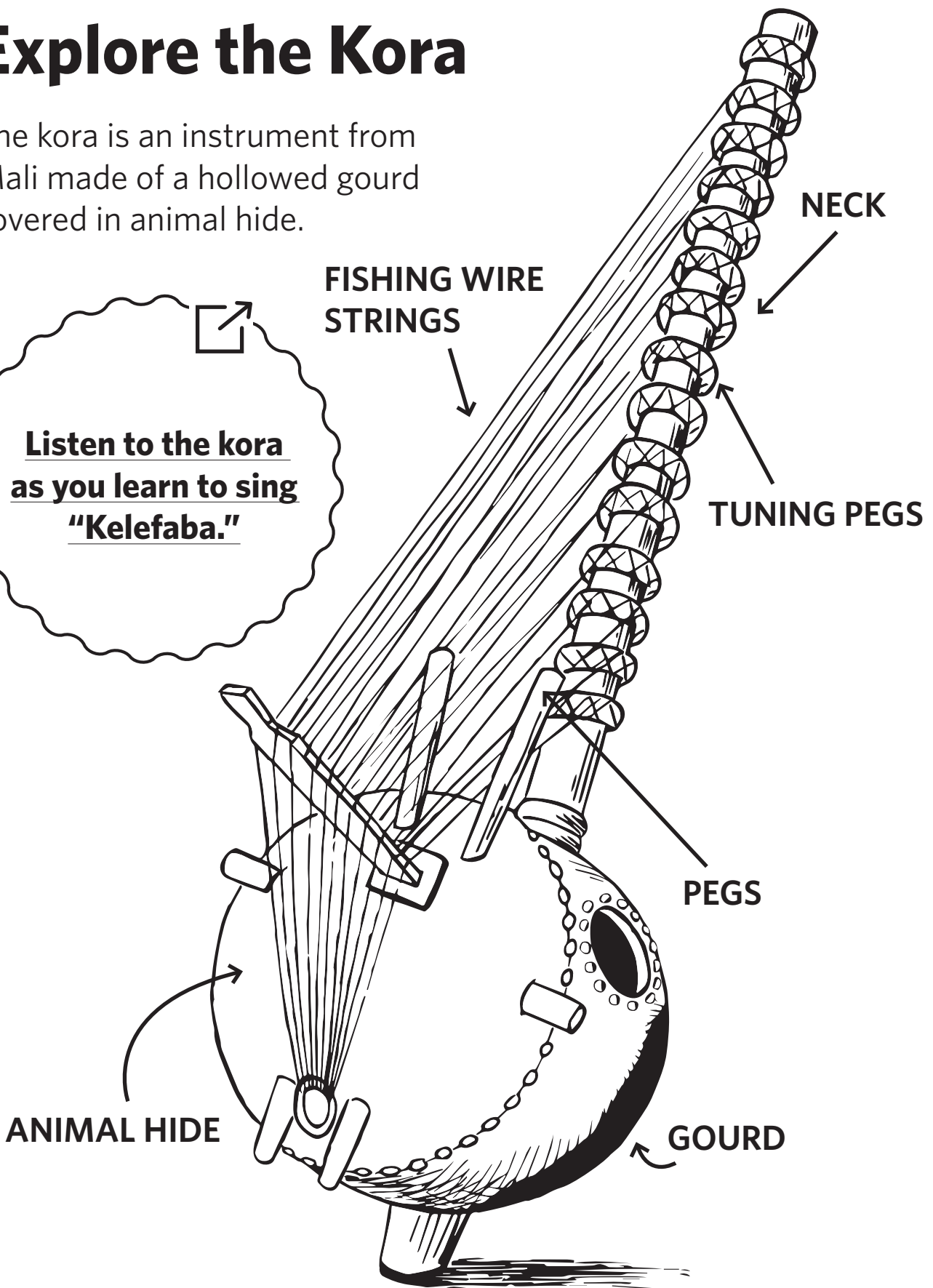
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Explore the Kora

The kora is an instrument from Mali made of a hollowed gourd covered in animal hide.

Listen to the kora
as you learn to sing
"Kelefaba."



Meet Ellington

Edward Kennedy "Duke" Ellington was a composer, pianist, and bandleader. His ensemble, the Duke Ellington Orchestra, became a hit at the Cotton Club in Harlem, New York, and he went on to compose nearly 2,000 pieces.



Listen to
"Sophisticated Lady"
performed by
NYO Jazz, one of
Carnegie Hall's three
national youth
ensembles.



Meet Tchaikovsky

Composer and conductor Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky visited the United States in 1891 to conduct at Carnegie Hall's very first opening night concert.



Listen to an excerpt
from the music he
wrote for *Swan Lake*,
one of his most
famous ballets!



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Meet Mozart

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart was a composer, keyboard player, and violinist who began composing at the age of five. Mozart could compose anywhere—at meals, while talking to friends, and even while playing pool.


Listen to his
Flute Quartet in
D Major!

Meet Beethoven

Ludwig van Beethoven was one of the world's greatest pianists and composers. He composed many of his works even after he had lost his hearing.



Listen to
an excerpt from
"Ode to Joy"
from his
Symphony No. 9!



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