

RHYTHM OF ONENESS

"Bahá'u'lláh has drawn the circle of unity, He has made a design for the uniting of all the peoples, and for the gathering of them all under the shelter of the tent of universal unity." —'Abdu'l-Bahá

Ta ta da-a-a! A trumpet calls out, followed by the happy beat of the conga. The crowd can't help but dance to the rhythm as the music moves their spirits.

Why is the music so exciting? When the kids planned the concert, they decided to show the diversity of their town by playing instruments from many ethnic groups that live there. They're bringing together sounds from continents and islands around the world. In a similar

way, when we cooperate with people from different backgrounds, our varied voices can create joyful harmony.

The kids have been practicing for weeks for their big performance at this fundraiser for a new community center. They made new friends, had fun, and brought the crowd together. They also accomplished their goal and raised the needed money. And that's music to everyone's ears.

At this multicultural music festival, find nine instruments that encourage unity in diversity.

