

## Spelling list: -o words - musical

The long -o sound at the end of these musical words is spelled with just the letter o . Each term relates to musical instruments, styles, or techniques, making this list perfect for building vocabulary in the arts.

*Allegro* is an musical term meaning *fast and lively* . Instruments like the *banjo* , *bongo* , and *cello* represent different musical traditions, while *flamenco* is a vibrant Spanish dance style that involves music, stamping, and clapping. Terms like *solo* and *soprano* refer to specific musical roles or parts.

This list introduces the rich vocabulary of music, perfect for enthusiasts and learners alike.

Try a *Look, Cover, Say, Write, Check* activity or click on the *speaker icon* to learn how to pronounce each word.

allegro	<b>Allegro</b> describes a fast music movement.
alto	He sang <b>alto</b> in the local choir.
banjo	He learned to play the <b>banjo</b> .
bongo	We danced to the beat of the <b>bongo</b> drum.
calypso	We sang and danced to <b>calypso</b> music.
cello	My friend plays the <b>cello</b> incredibly well.
concerto	Mozart was the master of the <b>concerto</b> .
flamenco	<b>Flamenco</b> is a Spanish dance with stamping and clapping.
oratorio	An <b>oratorio</b> is a long dramatic musical work.
piano	I play my <b>piano</b> for hours each day.
piccolo	The <b>piccolo</b> is a small instrument of the flute family.
solo	<b>Solo</b> means on your own.
soprano	The <b>soprano</b> singer sang the solo.
tango	The <b>tango</b> is a Latin-American ballroom dance.