This passage is about musical instrument, a type of old piano. Talking about musical instrument like piano, guitar and violin, they are very popular among people. These instruments are used to create a variety of nice sounds. Music is a way of expressing one's emotions such as happiness, sadness, and quietness etc. Just as learning a foreign language, it is a something that people must spend time to study; however, it opens a door to a new world as music brings people a new channel to communicate with others. Despite the musical instrument is a tool to create sounds, with the development of new technologies, computer is used in this area. People can compile programs to manipulate sound effects, and it makes life of player easier. However, to experience the power of music, one should choose an instrument best fits your hands, because this is obviously a learning by doing process through hand movement. The more you play, the better you get the feeling of rhythm. Like people learn a foreign language at earlier age, it is good to start practicing an instrument at teenage, however, it is never too old to learn.

Lesson 10 Not for jazz

　　We have an old musical instrument. It is called a clavichord. It was made in Germany in 1681. Our clavichord is kept in the living room. It has belonged to our family for a long time. The instrument was bought by my grandfather many years ago. Recently it was damaged by a visitor. She tried to play jazz on it! She struck the keys too hard and two of the strings were broken. My father was shocked. Now we are not allowed to touch it. It is being repaired by a friend of my father's.