

KOTO - a dragon with a 1,400-year history

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- 1, About the history of the koto
- 2, The two schools of koto.
- 3, Where do we learn to play the koto ?
- 4, Structure of the instrument
- 5, Why is the koto a dragon?
- 6, How to string and tune the koto.
- 7, Elementary techniques and how to read music scores.
8. Try playing the koto.

The koto is a traditional Japanese musical instrument with a history of 1,400 years; the koto is often likened to a dragon.



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