



## GUIDE SHEET: XYLOPHONE

LABEL AND TRY TO USE THESE WORDS IN CONVERSATION WITH YOUR CHILD THIS WEEK:

**Colors:**

Green  
Red  
Blue  
Yellow  
Purple

**Sounds:**

loud  
quiet  
music

**Actions:**

tapping  
pounding  
pulling  
pushing

**Counting:**

4 wheels  
1 mallet

**Describe your actions. Encourage your child to describe actions.**

- General: Label the colors with your child. Count how many rows there are on the xylophone. Show them how to use the mallet to make one sound at a time. Show them how to make multiple sounds at a time.
- Labeling: I am playing a song. This music is loud. This is quiet. I am tapping the purple.
- Play: Can you pull the xylophone? How fast can it go?

## REMEMBER

Encourage your child to TALK  
ASK the child questions  
LISTEN to the child's answers  
ADD to his/her comments



Encourage the child to WANT TO LEARN  
PRAISE when the child does well  
Try to IGNORE mistake  
HELP when the child really needs it



ENCOURAGE  
Curiosity  
Imagination  
Independence