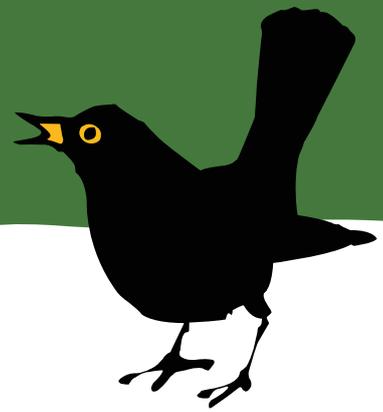


# SUPPLEMENTARY ACTIVITY FOR THE GREEN RESOURCE



## MAKING A SIMPLE LAP/HANDHELD XYLOPHONE OR RASPER

This lap xylophone can be played with another stick, a wooden spoon or just strummed with fingers as the texture and spacing create a powerful sensory experience.

### WHAT YOU NEED

- Three or more thumb thickness sticks cut to a length of around 20cm
- Twine to attach (recycled baling twine used in example)
- Scissors for cutting

### INSTRUCTIONS

1. Take the first of your three sticks.



2. Fold your first piece of twine in two and tie a knot tightly around your first stick using the middle section of the twine.

3. Make a bigger knot by knotting three or four times. This will give you a gap between the sticks.



4. Repeat on the other end of the stick.



5. Bring in a second stick and repeat the process above.



6. Repeat for the final stick and secure off your knot and cut off excess twine.

