

Information Text

WALT: Identify features of
information texts

What features do Information (non-fiction) books have?



- Look through a non-fiction information book. What features does it have?

Is it an information text?

Does it have a contents page?

Does it have an index?

Does it have a glossary?

Does it have pictures/illustrations?

Is it non-fiction (fact)?

Fiction vs Non Fiction

Stories	Information
Not real	Real and true
Characters	Gives us information
Made up	Teaches us new things
Setting	Text features - headings, captions
Beginning	Real pictures
Middle	Contents
End	
Illustrations	

Look through these next slides that
show the features of an
Information book.

Does your book have all of these?

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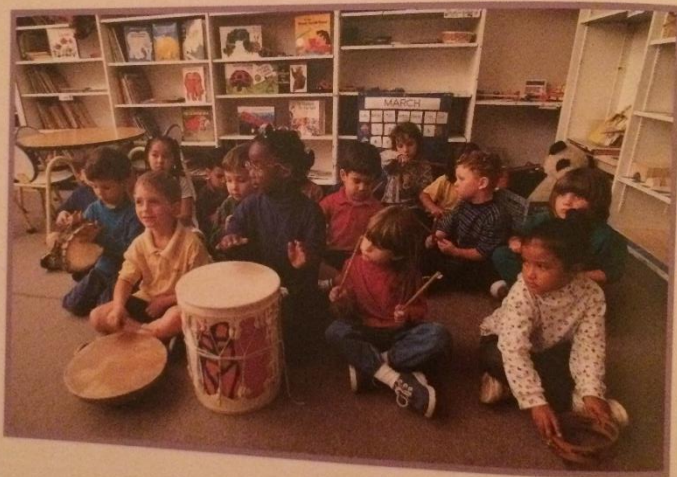
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Headings

What is music?



Music is creating sounds.
When you sing or play an
instrument, you make music.

Gecko

egg



hatchling
1 day old



juvenile
10 days old

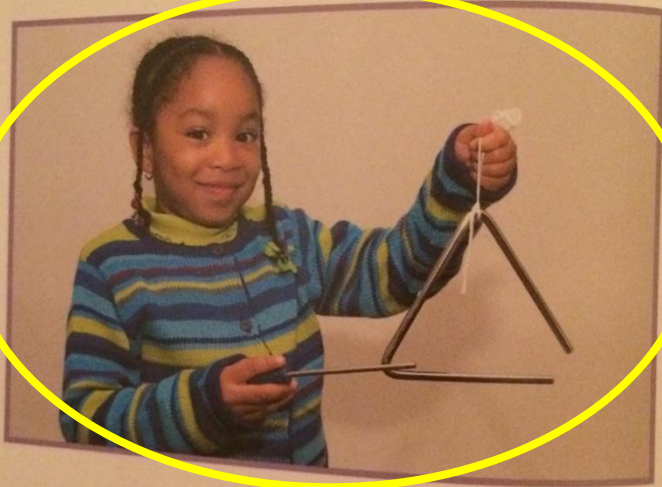


juvenile
6 months old



Photographs

How do I play the triangle?

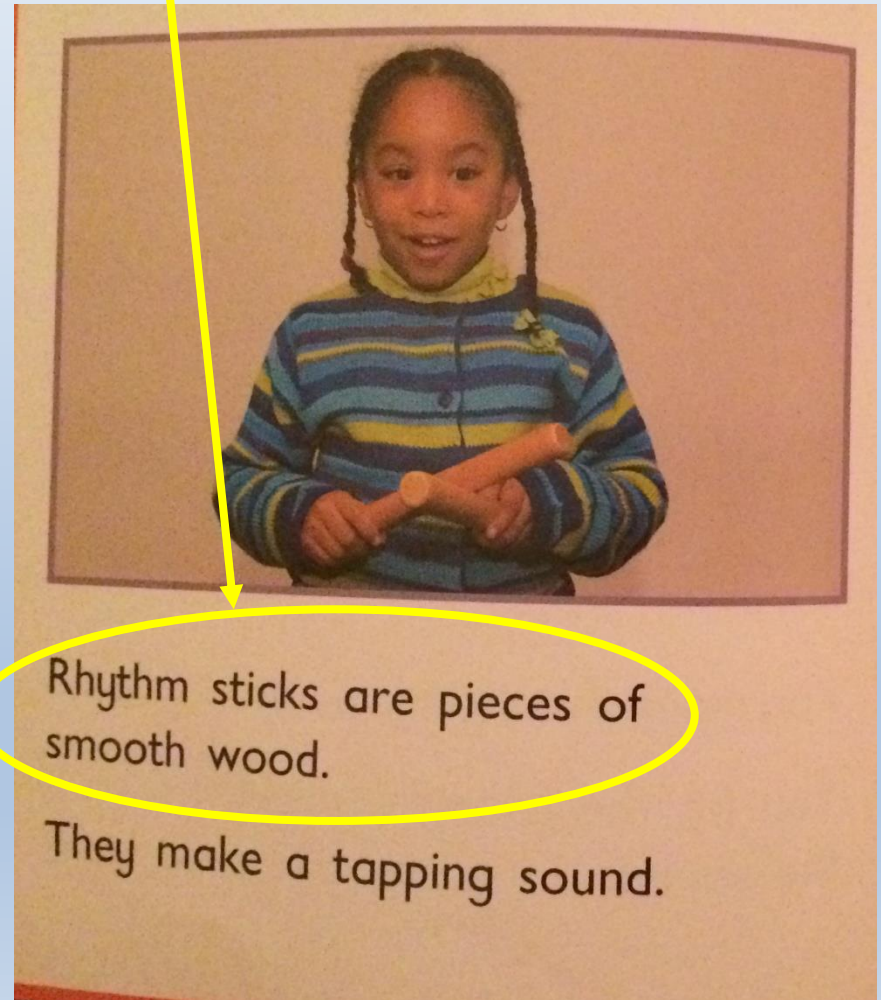


A triangle is a metal instrument.
It makes a ringing sound.

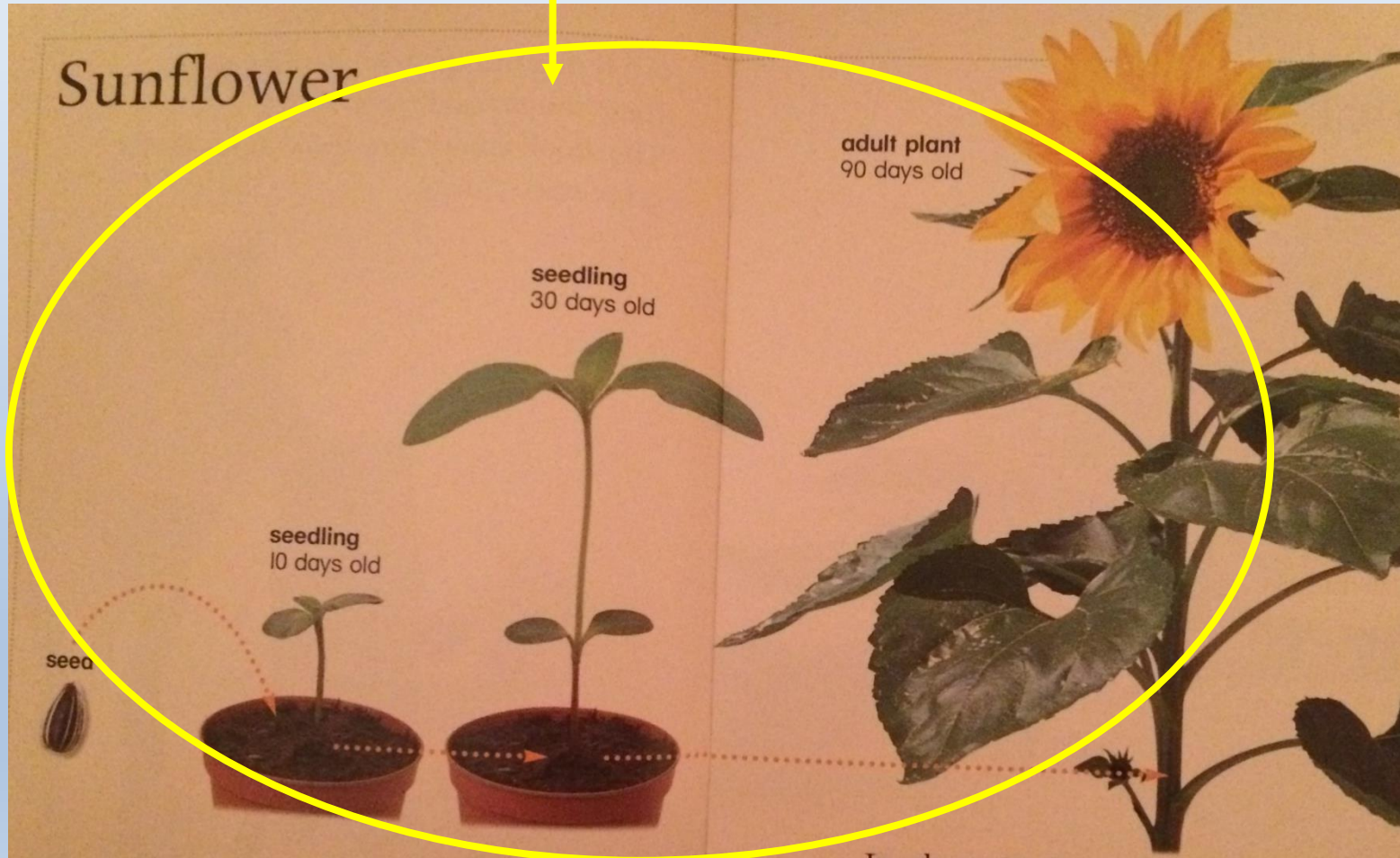
All living things grow. As they grow
their shapes and sizes change.
This book shows how some living things
grow and change.



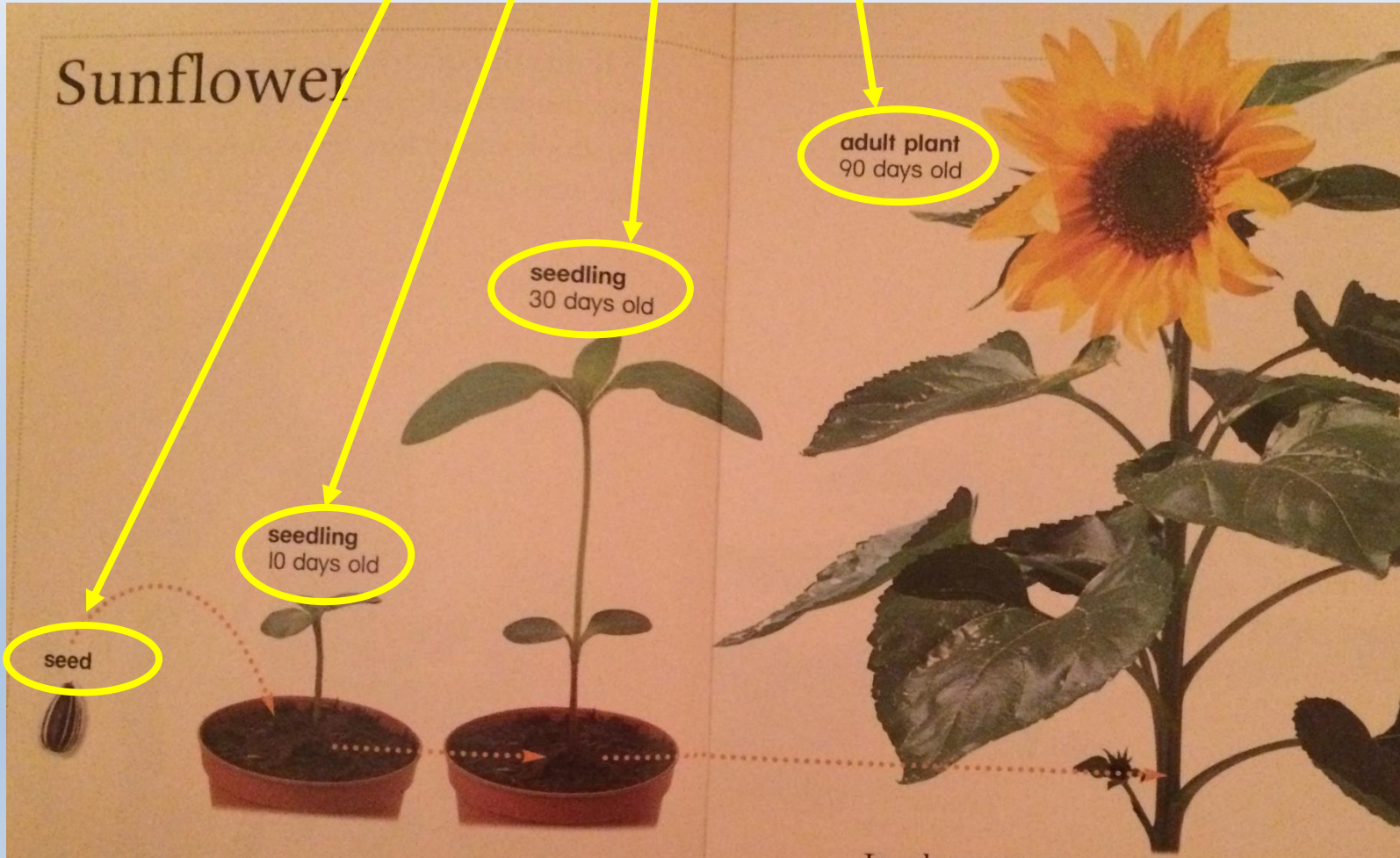
Captions



Diagram



Labels



Glossary

Glossary



bangles

two small drums which are joined together



drumsticks

long, thin wooden sticks used to hit a drum



kazoo

plastic instrument you hum into to make a noise



musician

someone who makes music using instruments



shaker

instrument or anything you can make a sound out of by shaking

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