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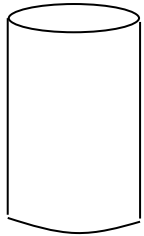
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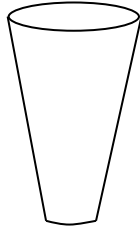
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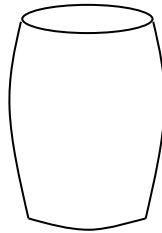
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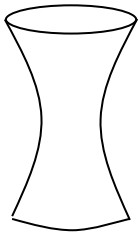
Membranophones

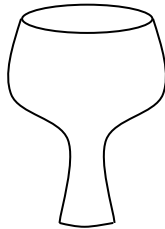
A membranophone is a drum. A membrane is the drum head or skin. First, look at the words on the right. Draw a line to match the names of drum shapes with their definitions. Next, label each of the shapes on the left.

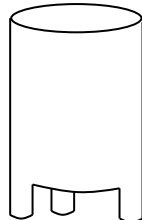




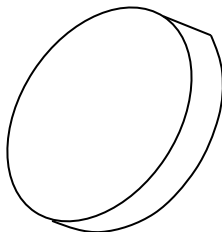


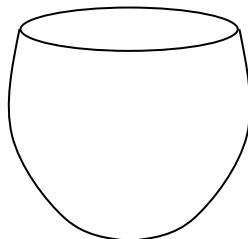












DRUM SHAPES

DEFINITIONS

hourglass drums

sloping sides and a shape like an ice-cream cone

conical drums

straight sides and a cylinder shape like a toilet roll

goblet drums

sides that bulge in the middle

long drums

have a narrow waist and a larger top and bottom like an egg timer

frame drums

are large at the top and have a very narrow base, like the shape of a goblet cup

cylindrical drums

have legs carved from the drum body

footed drums

have a skin stretched over a light wooden frame

kettledrums

are tall, thin and narrow

barrel drums

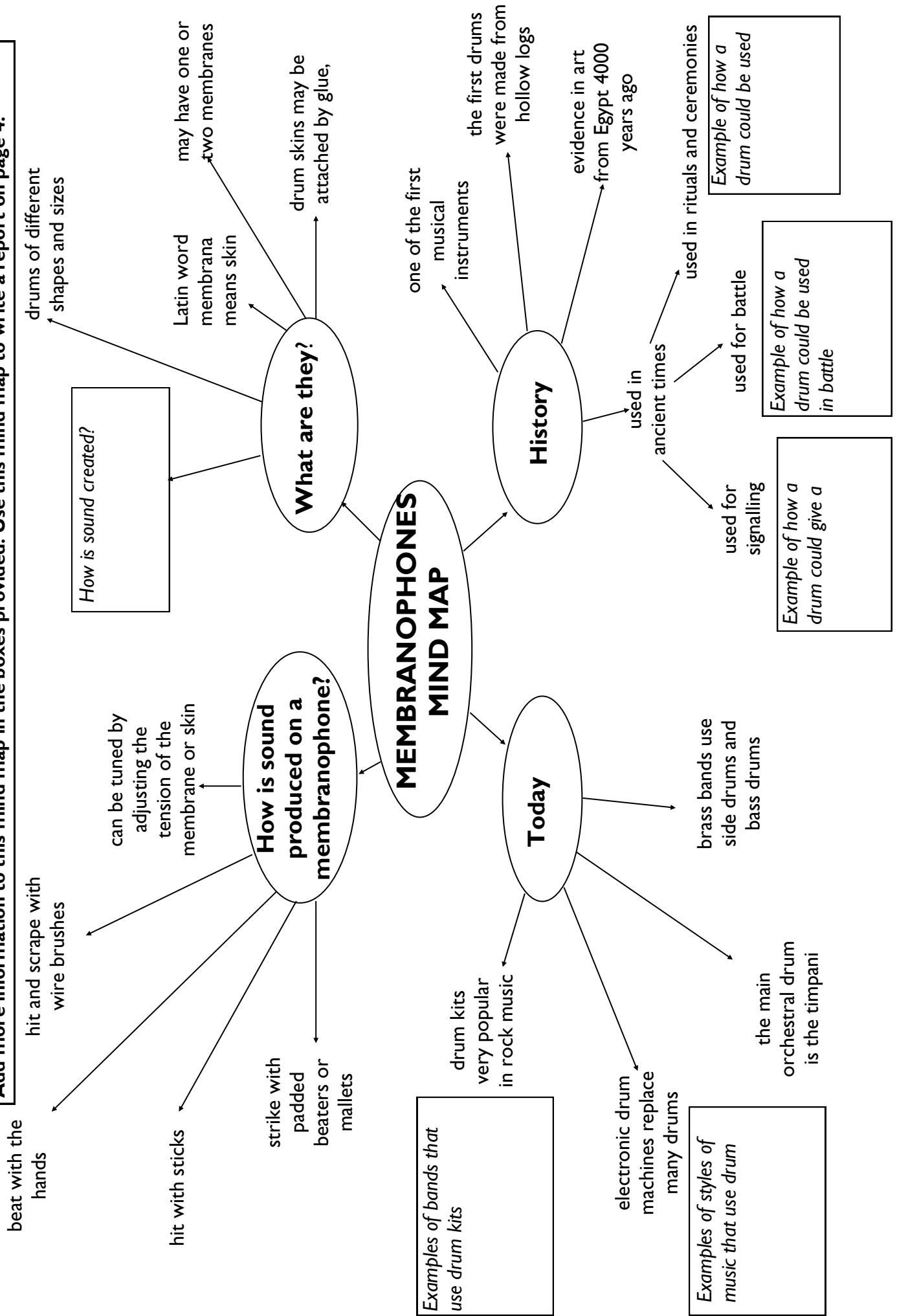
have a large, pot belly and a single skin

Which shape is each of these common membranophones?

1. tambourine _____
2. congas _____
3. timpani _____
4. bass drum _____

Name another drum you know, and its shape. _____




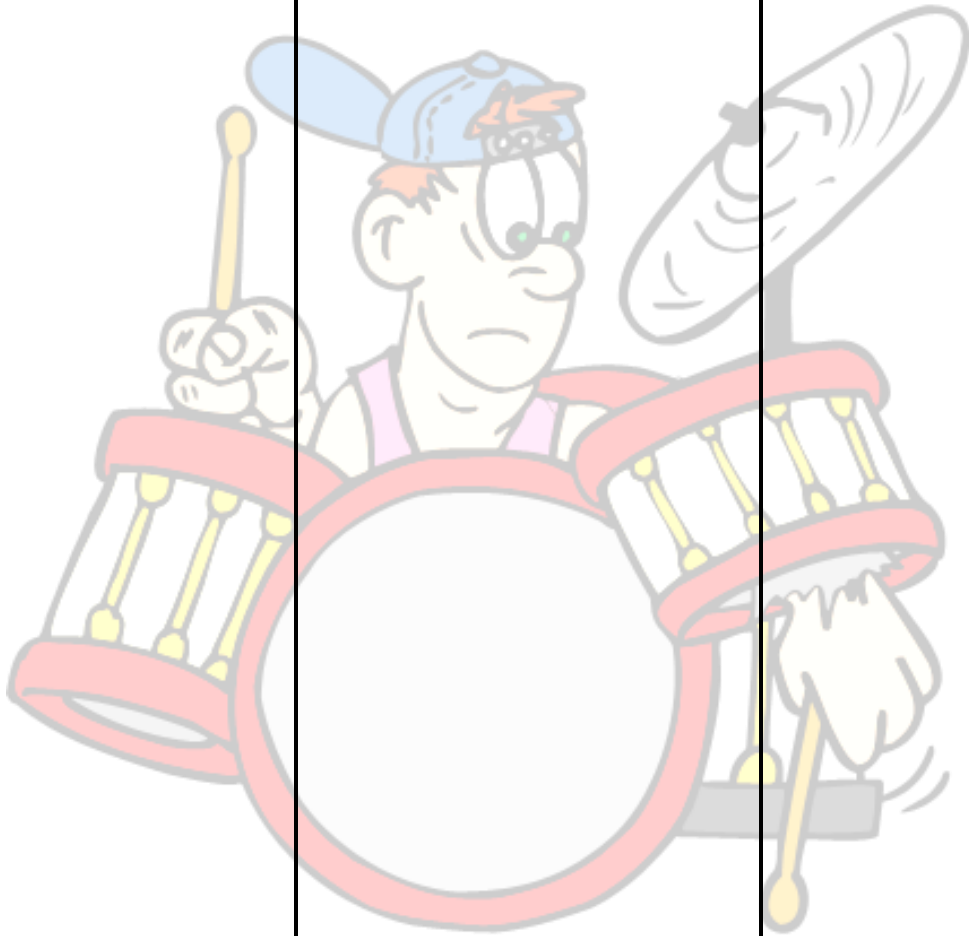
Add more information to this mind map in the boxes provided. Use this mind map to write a report on page 4.



Rhythm and syllables

Work out the rhythm and syllables for each idiophone or membranophone and write the word under the correct rhythm.

wood block	tambourine	maracas	timpani	guiro	bells
triangle	gong	cymbals	castanets	cowbell	hi-hat
bass drum	xylophone	cabaza	drum	orchestra	claves
chimes	concert	drum kit	African	mallet	
congas	music	ratchet	snare drum	bongo drum	

Chapter Two

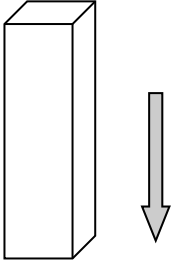
Idiophones



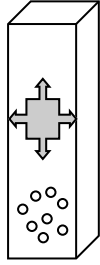
Idiophones

An idiophone is any non-drum percussion instrument. There are 6 main ways of creating a sound on an idiophone.

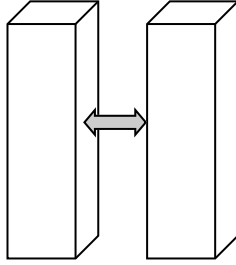
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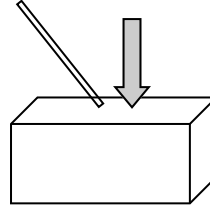
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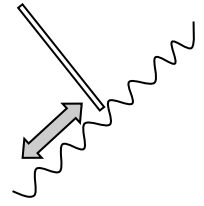
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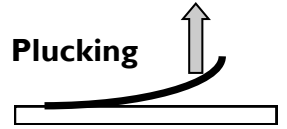
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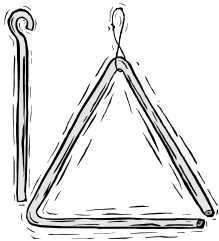
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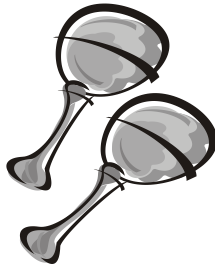
Plucking



Look at the pictures below. Name each idiophone and then write the way it creates a sound (stamping, shaking, hitting together, striking, plucking, scraping).



1. _____



2. _____



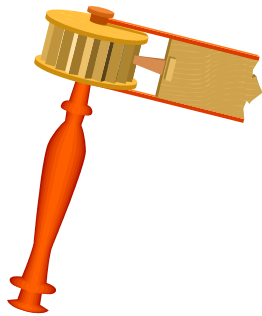
3. _____



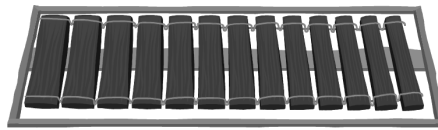
4. _____



5. _____



6. _____



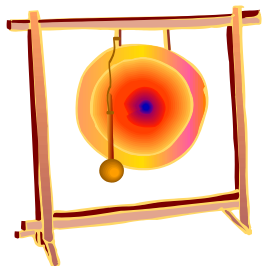
7. _____



8. _____



9. _____



10. _____



11. _____



12. thumb piano
