## Supporting phonological awareness during everyday play and conversations





Recite poems and nursery rhymes, emphasising the rhythm and highlighting rhyming words



Sing songs like Willoughby Wallaby Woo that encourage rhyme and initial sound awareness



Share stories that include rhythm, rhyme, and alliteration



Clap out syllable beats in children's names

## RECITE



**SHARE** 



Go on a treasure hunt for things that start with the same sound



Make up silly sentences or songs using words that start with the same sound: Mali made a magical mountain!



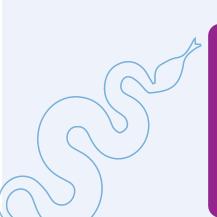
Play 'I went shopping and I bought...' with items that start with the same sound: 'a cake. a kite, a kitten...'



Play 'I spy with my little eye' and take turns to find objects or images starting with same sound

**EXPLORE** 

## COMPOSE





Talk about sound effects and noises during songs, stories, and play: what noise would a snake make?

**TALK** 



Follow children's lead in making noises during play, trying out different sounds, pitch, volume, and rhythm

SOUND

