

# BELLS TIPS

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## ASSEMBLING THE INSTRUMENT

- ▶ Unfold the legs of the base and tighten the leg adjustment lock wingnut.
- ▶ Insert the upper section of the stand into the base of the stand.
- ▶ Raise the stand to the desired height and tighten the height adjustment lock wingnut. (You'll be able to adjust the height again if necessary after adding the bells.)
- ▶ Unfold the support arms and tighten the support arms adjuster wingnut.

*To attach the practice pad:*

- ▶ Line up the hole on the bottom of the practice pad with the screw at the top of the stand, then turn the pad clockwise to screw it onto the stand. (If it does not fasten, make sure the pad is perpendicular to the screw and not angled.)
- ▶ When done practicing, spin the practice pad counter-clockwise to remove it from the stand.

*To attach the bells:*

- ▶ Set the bells on the stand, making sure the screw at the top of the stand goes through the round hole on the underside of the bells and so that the rubber insulators surround the frame of the bells.
- ▶ The bells can be lifted off the stand when done practicing.

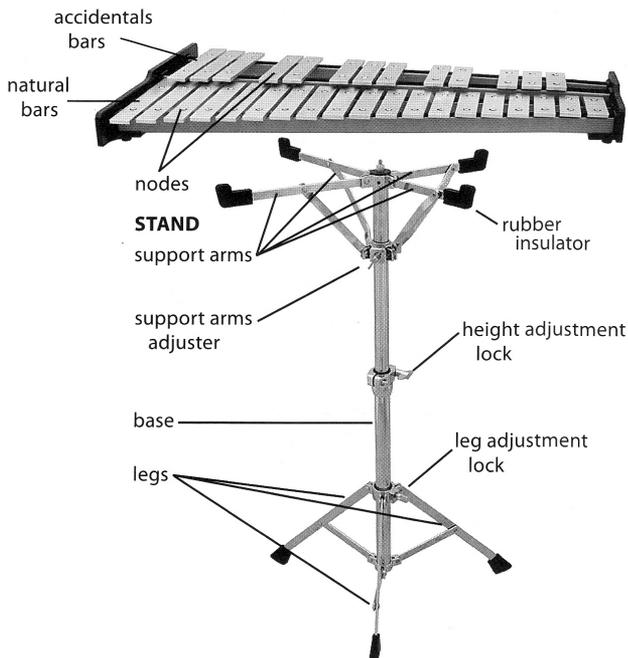


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## CARE & MAINTENANCE

- ▶ Store the instrument in its case/bag when not in use.
- ▶ Do not sit on the bag or set objects on top of it, as this could break the frame.
- ▶ If the instrument needs repair, send it to Ellis Music.



## HELPFUL ITEMS TO HAVE

- Mallets
- Stick bag
- Music stand

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