# Ring Around Bells #2202

# **USER'S GUIDE**



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#### Bestseller!

Our best selling Ring Around Bells has been totally updated. Now you can use this wonderful musical instrument in four different ways: activate the attached yellow switch and the colorful bells twirl around sounding the musical scale while the multi-colored LEDs blink; or use your own capability switch to activate the toy; or twirl the bells by hand; or finally detach one or more bells from the stand and play them by hand. Ring Around Bells is excellent for music therapy and classroom music time. Encourages listening and grasping skills while increasing eye-hand coordination. The bells are precision-tuned and provide exceptionally clear sounds. Size: 12"L x 14"W x 10"H. Requires 4 C Batteries. Weight:  $4\frac{1}{4}$  lbs.

## Operation:

- 1. The Ring-Around Bells requires 4 C cell batteries. Use alkaline batteries only (e.g. Duracell or Energizer brand). Do not use rechargeable batteries or any other type of batteries because they supply lower voltage and the unit will not perform properly. Never mix old and new batteries together or different brands or types together.
- 2. To install the batteries turn the unit over and remove the battery cover screws. Next slid the covers to one side to reveal the battery compartment. Install the batteries following proper + & battery polarity. Slide covers back and replace screws. Turn the ON/OFF switch to ON.
- 3. The Ring Around Bells has its own built in switch, depressing the switch will start the bells moving if the switch is released the bells will stop. The bells can also be moved by hand by turning the carousel.
- 4. The Ring Around Bells can also be activated by an external switch. Connect any external capability switch via the jack, located on the back of the unit. The Ring Around Bells is equipped with a 1/8-inch jack, for use with capability switches with a 1/8-inch plug. If you need to use a 1/4- to 1/8-inch adapter purchased elsewhere, it must be a mono adapter, not stereo. Make sure that the connections are very

- tight, especially when using adapters. There should be no gaps between the switch and the adapter (if applicable) and/or the adapter and the jack.
- 5. Activate your external capability switch and enjoy the music! If you are using a momentary switch, the Ring Around Bells will only remain on while your switch continues to be activated. A switch Latch/Time module (e.g. #605) or switch with a built in Latch/Timer can also be used with the Ring Around Bells.
- 6. The bells are also removable from the carousel, to remove any of the bells carefully grab the outside of the bell and pull it straight out from the carousel. To replace slide the bell back into the carousel until it is flush with the carousel. Please Note: The bells are number marked when replacing them follow their numbered sequence, if not the musical scale will not play properly.

### **Troubleshooting:**

**Problem:** The bells do not turn. **Action:** Replace the batteries.

Action: Make sure nothing is blocking or restricting the carousel

from rotating.

## Care of Unit:

The Ring-Around Bells can be wiped clean with any mild household multi-purpose, non-abrasive cleaner and disinfectant. We recommend Simple Green, which is a non toxic biodegradable all-purpose cleaner.

Do not use abrasive cleaners, as they will scratch the surface of the unit.

Do not submerge the unit, as it will damage the electrical components.