



## Professor Haydn Hippo Rhythm Pattern

- 1 Tap and say the words.
- 2 Tap and count aloud.
- 3 Trace the Professor Haydn Hippo rhythm pattern.
- 4 Circle the Professor Haydn Hippo rhythm pattern each time it appears in the music on page 3.

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Say: Pro - fes - sor Hay - dn Hip - po  
Count: 1 1 1 1 1 1 - 2 1 - 2



### Note to Teacher and Parents:

Please read and discuss this information with the child.

### Meet Franz Joseph Haydn

**F**ranz Joseph Haydn (1732–1809) was born in Austria. As a child, he sang in a famous boys' choir at St. Stephen's Cathedral in Vienna. As an adult, he was hired by the rich Esterházy family from Hungary to direct their choir and orchestra. Today, he is well-known for his many symphonies, piano sonatas and string quartets. Although he had no children, he was called "Papa Haydn" by his friends because he was usually in a good mood and liked to laugh.



### Meet Professor Haydn Hippo

**P**rofessor Haydn Hippo is the toy mascot from the children's music class at school. He met the music friends when the children were allowed to bring him home for a visit. Named after the famous composer Franz Joseph Haydn, he often teaches music lessons to his toy friends. His dream of becoming a conductor came true when he conducted the music friends in a grand concert at Orchestra Hall.

