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# Sentence Segmentation

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## Clap the words

Say a word or sentence. Have your child say it with you. Now both of you say it again, adding a clap as you say each word. Eventually your child will be able to do this activity without you joining in to provide support.

- Start with one word and work up to longer phrases and sentences. Go slow. Don't increase the number of words until your child has a very strong ability to count out fewer words.
- You can switch out clapping for stomping, bouncing a ball, or an action of your choice.