

**cymbal****cym·bal** [**cymbal cymbals**] *BrE* ['sɪmbəl] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* ['sɪmbəl] <sup>ˈ</sup> **noun**a musical instrument in the form of a round metal plate. It is hit with a stick, or two **cymbals** are hit against each other

- a **clash/crash of cymbals**

Word Origin:Old English, from Latin *cymbalum*, from Greek *kumbalon*, from *kumbē* 'cup'; readopted in Middle English from Old French *cymbale*.Example Bank:

- The piece ends with a cymbal crash.
- the sound of cymbals crashing

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**cym·bal** /'sɪmbəl/ *BrE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *AmE* <sup>ˈ</sup> **noun** [countable][**Date:** 800-900; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** *cymbalum*, from Greek *kymbalon*, from *kymbe* 'bowl']

a musical instrument in the form of a thin round metal plate, which you play by hitting it with a stick or by hitting two of them together:

the clash of cymbals

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