How to Write Music for Violin with Lilypond

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Bowing

=>   c4(\downbow d) e(\upbow f)

Write triplets

=>   \tuplet 3/2 { d8 e f }

LAYOUT TIPS

Add vertical space

A   =>   \markup "A"

                                                     \markup \vspace #1

B   \markup "B"
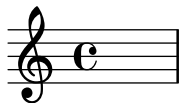
How to remove first score indentation?

=>   \layout { indent = 0\in}

MIDI TIPS

Set the MIDI instrument to Violin

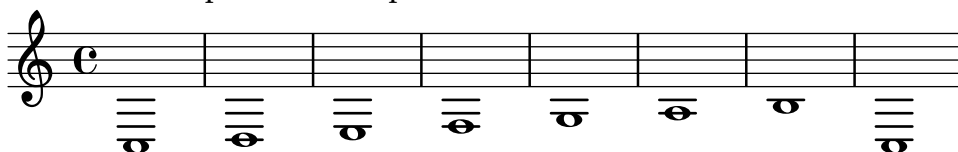=> \set Staff.midiInstrument = "violin"

Set the tempo of the score in the MIDI

\score {   ...music...   \midi {   \context {   \Score   tempoW

Here are examples of markup with music

                                                      Scene I.

                                                                          { c d e f g }
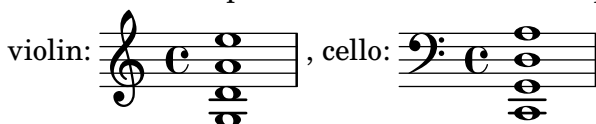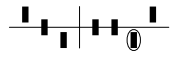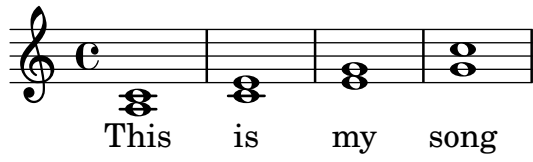
                                                                          Enter Valentine and Proteus.

Here is an example of a score within markup

violin: , cello:

Here we add a score

This is my song

here

violin: