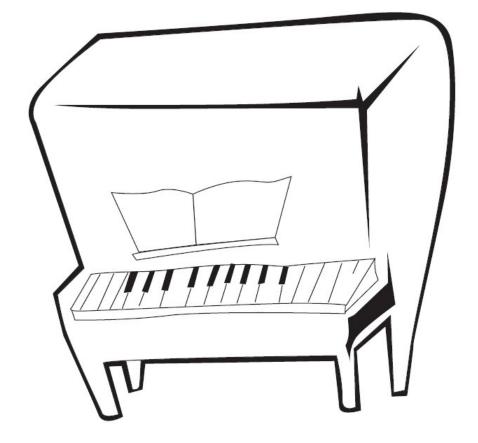
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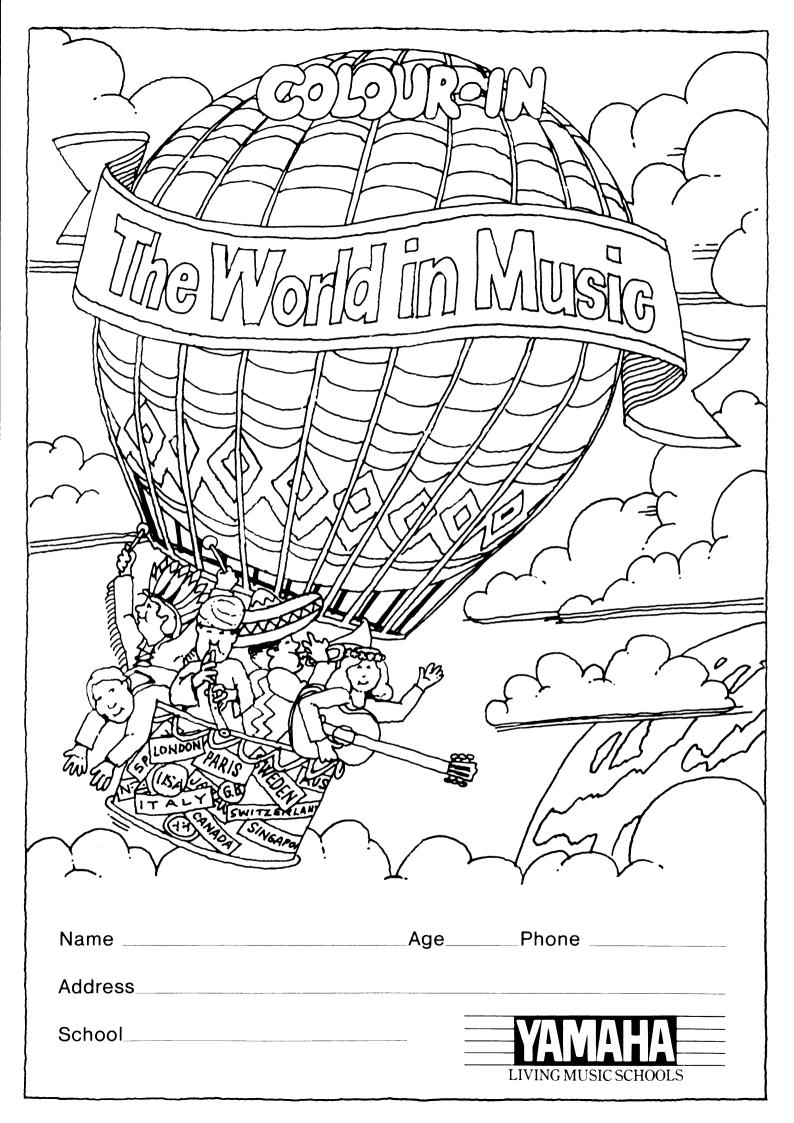
Can you draw our class?



Trace around your hands. Write the number next to each finger. Your thumb is number one!



Right Hang



Which note is do?

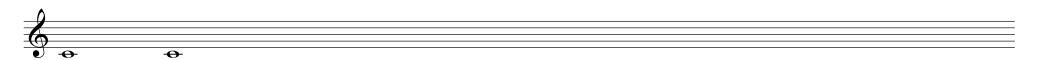
YMC 1



Circle the notes that are "do"



Now, draw your own "do" notes

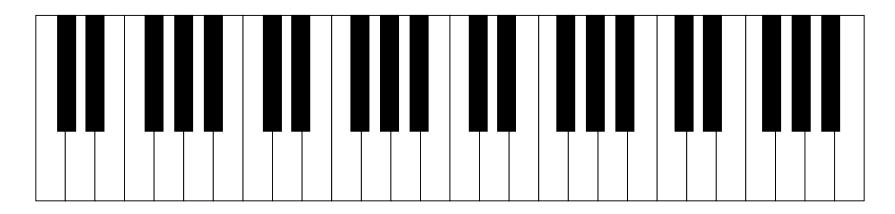


Look through your book and find any notes that are "do". Sometimes they might look like this too:



Note finding quiz!

Follow the code written below to start a rainbow of notes on your keyboard!



COLOUR "do" RED

COLOUR "re" ORANGE COLOUR "mi" YELLOW

COLOUR "fa" GREEN COLOUR "so" BLUE

Name the Notes

YMC 1









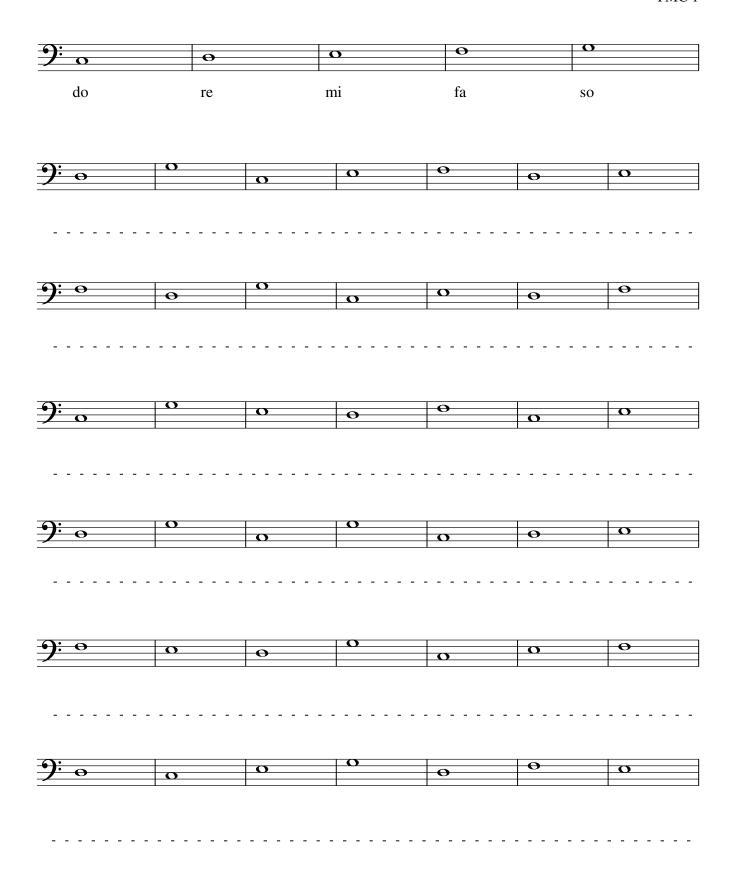






Name the Notes - Bass Clef

YMC 1



Name	
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An Elephant's Amazing Trunk!

Copy the melody of this piece

YMC 1





Can you write it in the treble clef?

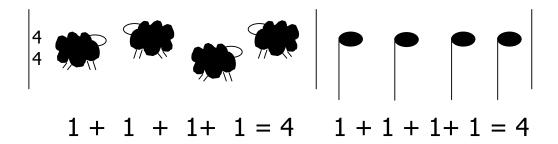




Rar lines

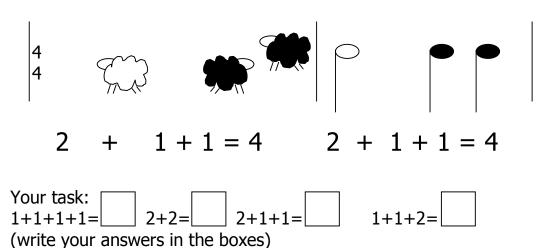
Bar lines are there to keep the right number of beats in each bar. They are a bit like fences on a farm.

In 4/4 time, there need to be four beats in each bar.



The next kind of note is worth two beats; there are only two of these notes in each bar of 4/4.

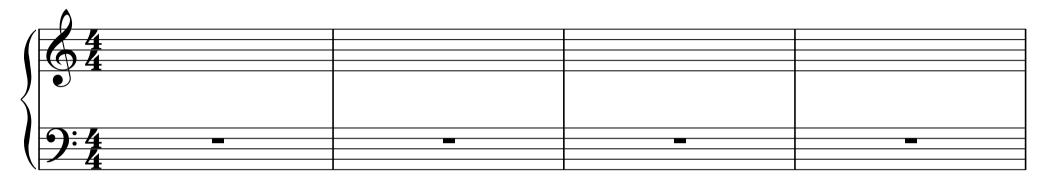
Sometimes bars can have a mix of two beat and one beat notes.

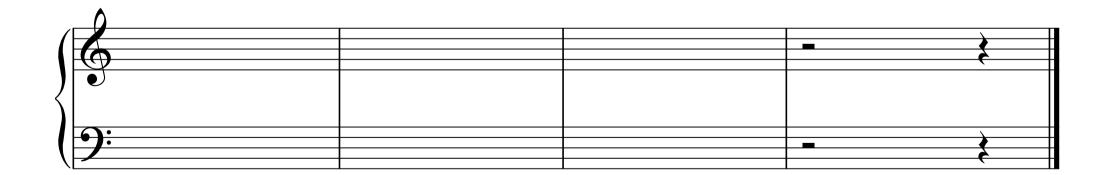


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Dancing Penguins

As neatly as you can, write the notes for this piece.



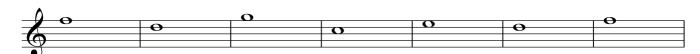


Name the Notes - High Notes

YMC 1









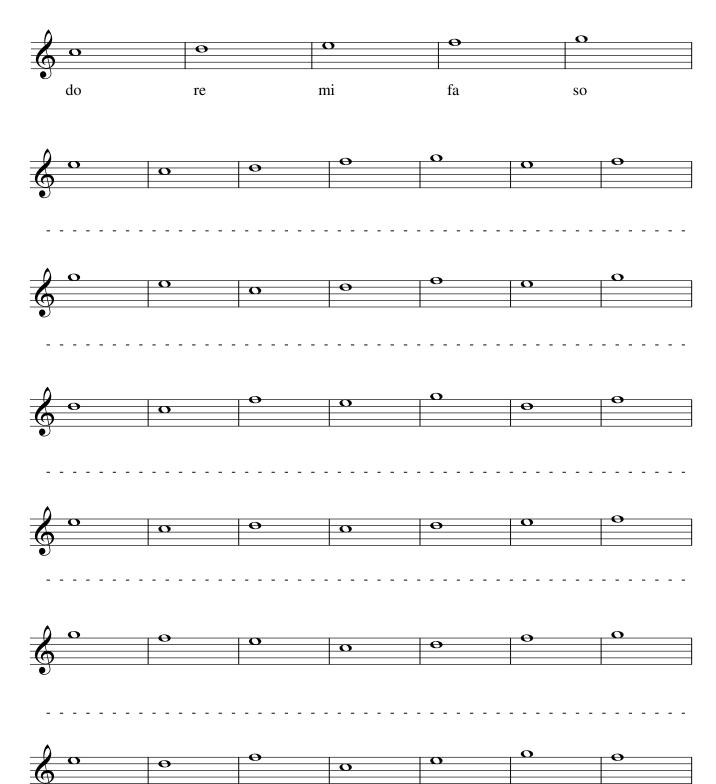






Name the Notes - High Notes part 2

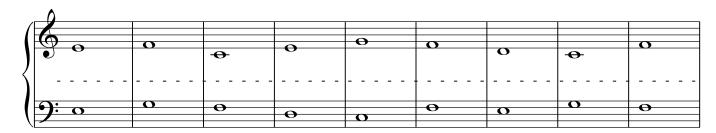
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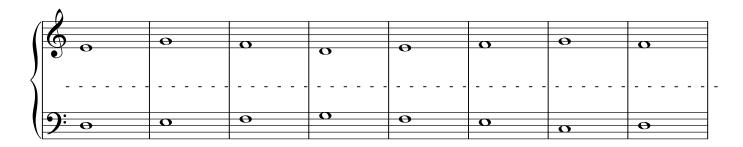


Name the Notes- Treble and Bass

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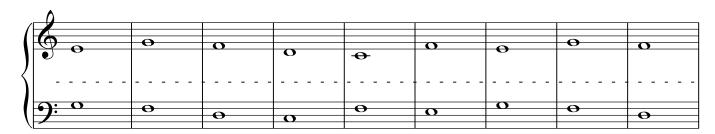


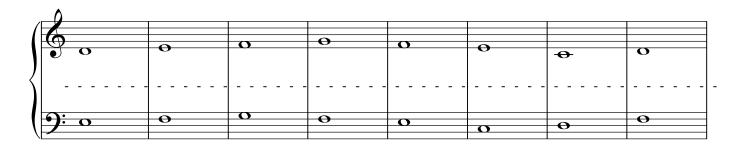
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Name the Notes- Treble and Bass 2

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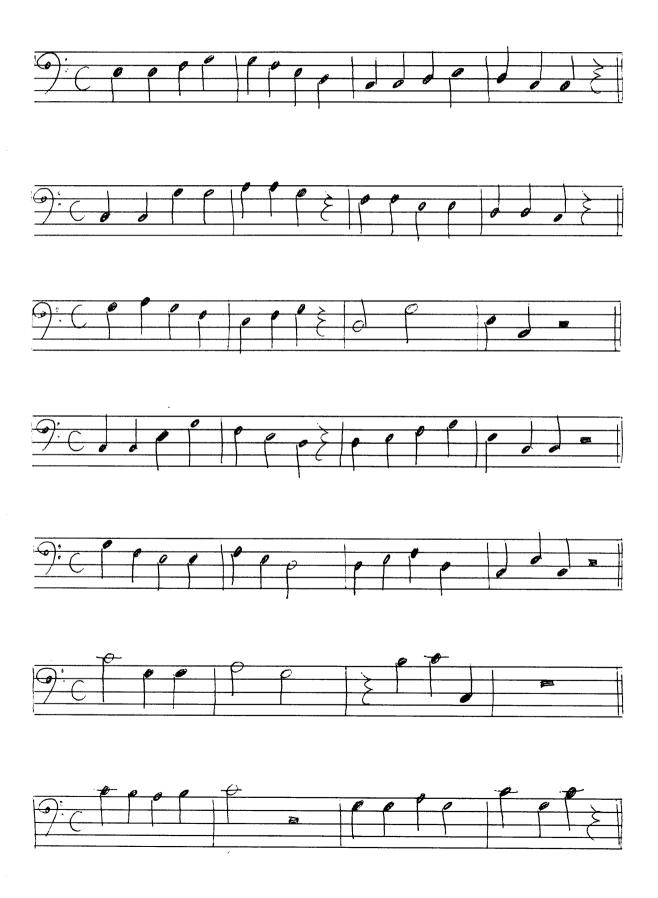




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Note playing challenge!

Can you play these songs?

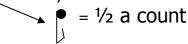


HOW MUCH IS THIS NOTE WORTH?

= 2 counts (like the first note in An Elephant's Amazing Trunk)

- = 1 count (like the first note in Giraffes)
- = $\frac{1}{2}$ a count for each note; 1 counts for both notes. (like the second bar of Tumbling Pandas)

These notes are written like this when they are on their own:



$$\frac{1}{1/2} + \frac{1}{1/2} = 1$$

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See if you can answer these musical maths sums:

(write the answer in the box. The first one has been done!)

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Draw a row of **two-count** notes in this box:

Draw a row of **one-count** notes in this box:

Reading Chords

Name _____

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do.mi.so

do.fa.la

ti.fa.so

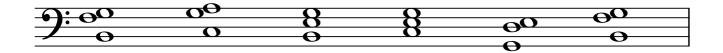
Circle all the "do-mi-so" chords



Circle all the "do-fa-la" chords



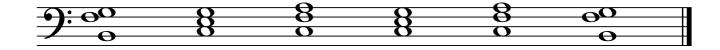
Circle all the "ti-fa-so" chords



Draw the chords



Name these chords



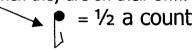
Crunchy Rice Crackers,

Please copy the first four bars of the first page:

HOW MUCH IS THIS NOTE WORTH?

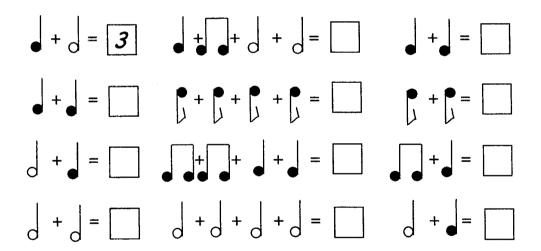
 $= \frac{1}{2}$ a count for each note; 1 counts for both notes.

These notes are written like this when they are on their own:



See if you can answer these musical maths sums:

(write the answer in the box. The first one has been done!)



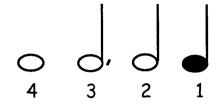
Draw a row of **two-count** notes in this box:

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Draw a row of **one-count** notes in this box:

Musical Maths

Each note has a certain number of beats.

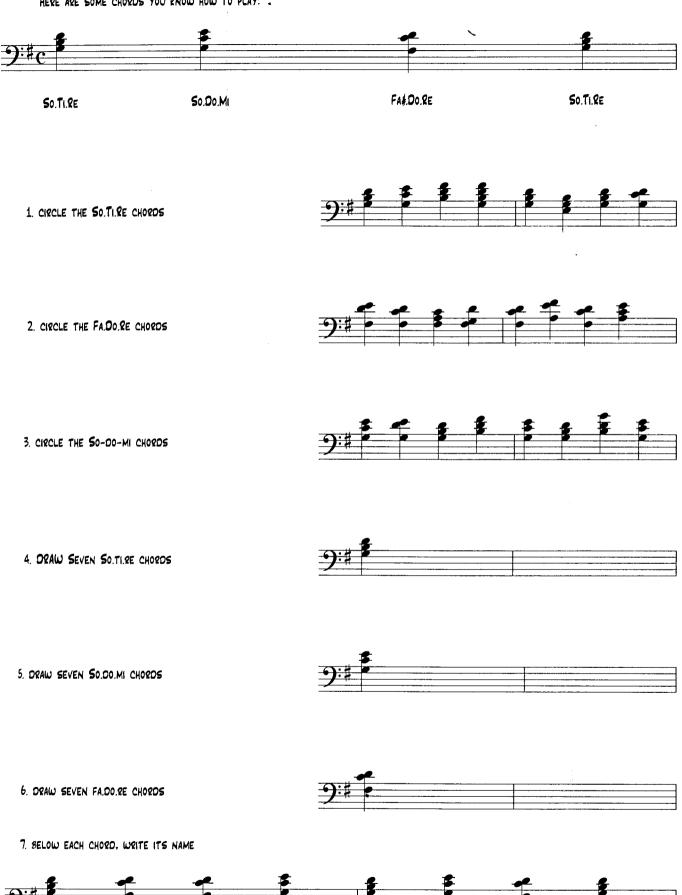


1. Underneath each note, write how many beats it has.



2. Can you add up the following musical beats?

HERE ARE SOME CHORDS YOU KNOW HOW TO PLAY: .



The Sharp Sign

The sharp sign raises the note a semitone. Practise drawing the sharp sign neatly.

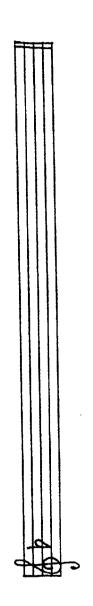
There is a sharp in

A Big Cake With Candles!

Can you find it?

The Flat Sign

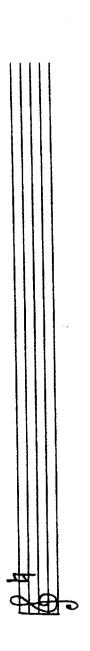
The flat sign lowers the note a semitone. Practise drawing the flat sign neatly.



There is a flat in Popcorn! Can you find it?

The Natural Sign

The natural sign means to play the white note instead of a sharp or flat. Practise drawing the natural sign neatly.



There is a natural in Bubble Gum!

YMC 2 p14 I Love Treats

Name_

Do you?

Love Treats,

Oh yes I do!

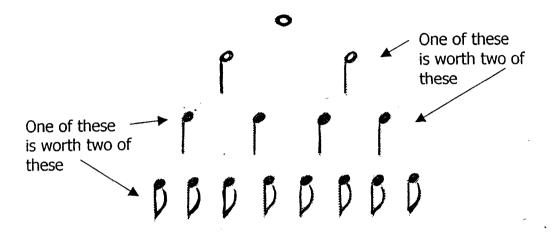
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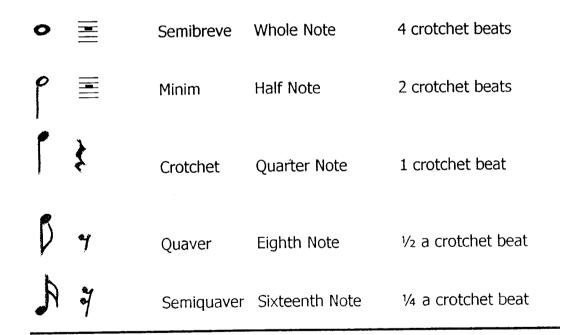
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note values

This chart is a bit like a family tree. You can follow it to see how many beats fit into the value of one note.





Did you know? A dot after a note makes it half as long again.

- Dotted Minim, Dotted Half Note = 2 plus ½ of 2
 - = 3 crotchet beats
- Dotted Crotchet, Dotted Quarter Note
 - = 1 plus ½ of 1
 - = 1 and ½ crotchet beats

★ see if you can find these different note values in the pieces you are playing ★

Do you know your note values?

How long do you hold this note? Note Name

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Custard Pudding



Please copy the first four bars of the second page: make sure you line up the notes EXACTLY!

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My Cream Puffs Didn't Pur

Oh dear!

Please copy the first page of RH- can you see where it is different?

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Do you know your dynamics signs?

Find these signs in the pieces that you play.

Name

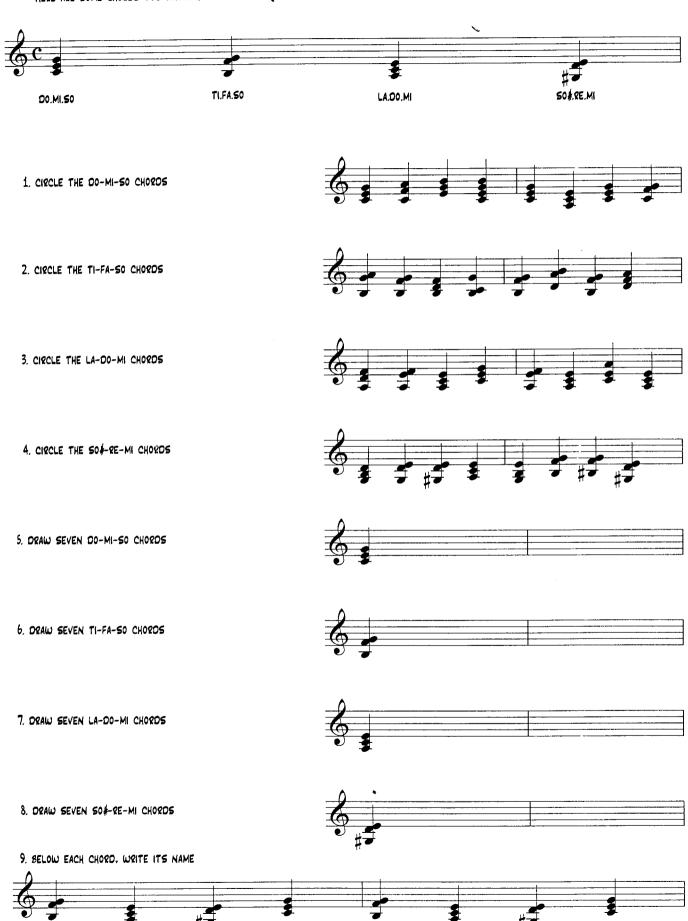
Time Signatures

The bottom number tells you the "kind" of note to be counted as one beat. You will find a time signature at the beginning of each piece of music. Make a list of your pieces in each time signature: The top number tells you how many beats in a bar.

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C MAJOR AND A MINOR CHORDS

HERE ARE SOME CHORDS YOU KNOW HOW TO PLAY:



Are you ready for your Hungry Vacuum Cleaner sticker?

Your name:	
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Here are the different sections you might find; can you put them in the right order as you hear them in *The Hungry Vacuum Cleaner?*



Verse Two

Chorus

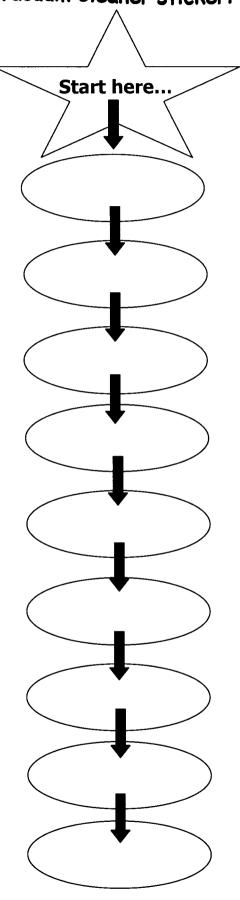
Coda

Introduction

Verse Three

Bridge

You'll get your sticker
if it's right!



Crunchy Rice Crackers,

Please copy the first four bars of the first page:

Guess the Tune 1

Name: ______
Date: _____

Play the following songs, and if you know them, write their title on the dotted line.

Song Number One is



Song Number Two is



Song Number Three is



Song Number Four is



Guess the Tune 2

Name: ______
Date: _____

Play the following songs, and if you know them, write their title on the dotted line.

Song Number One is



Song Number Two is



Song Number Three is



Song Number Four is



Reading Chords 2

Name _____

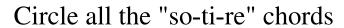






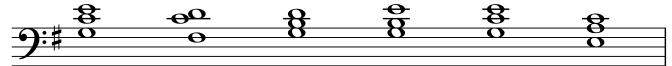
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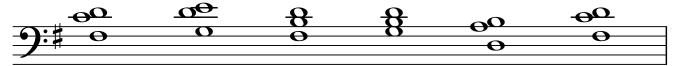




Circle all the "so-do-mi" chords



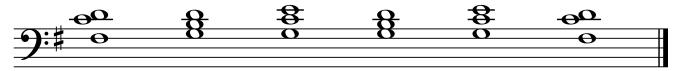
Circle all the "fa#-do-re" chords



Draw the chords



Name these chords



Transposing Bird's Wedding

Can you transpose this piece to 6 major and F major? Choose your favourite key to write the piece in:



Write the melody of <u>Daisies</u> your favourite Left Hand accompaniment.
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Time Signatures

The **top** number tells you how many beats in a bar.
The **bottom** number tells you the "kind" of note to be counted as one beat. You will find a time signature at the beginning of each piece of music. Make a list of your pieces in each time signature:

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po you know your dynamics signs?

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Do you know your note values?

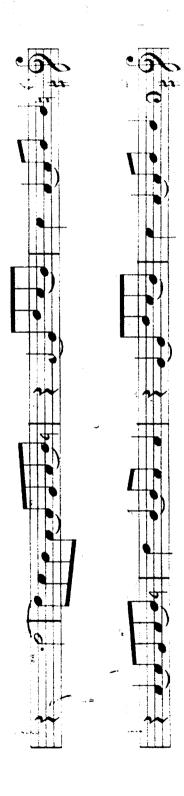
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				Note Name
				How long do you hold this note?

Ties and Slurs

A "tie" connects two notes with the same name and you hold for the value of both.

Look at the music below from Soccer/ Football. Can you mark the ties with a T and the slurs with an S? A "slur" connects two different notes and means to play them smoothly

" Yasuya Tomioka



C major Cadence

Copy the Cadence in C major

Can you play this cadence every day?

6 major Gadence

Can you play this cadence every day? Copy the Cadence in 6 major

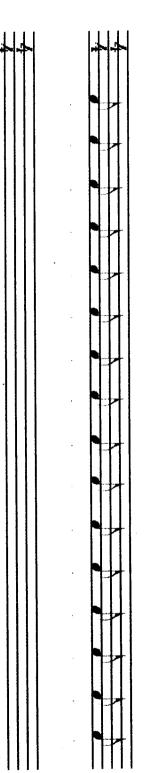
major Cadence

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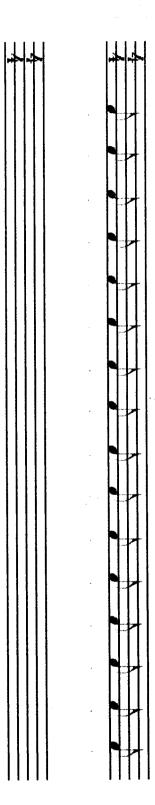
Can you play this cadence every day:	Copy the Cadence in A minor
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	Can you play this cadence every day?	Copy the Cadence in D minor	o minor Gadence
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Practise connecting the eighth notes in groups of two.



Practise connecting the eighth notes in groups of four.

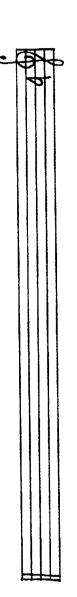


Practise drawing the following musical signs.

Repeat Accent Tenuto

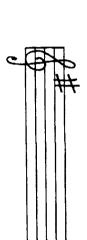
The Flat Sign

The flat sign lowers the note a semitone. Practise drawing the flat sign neatly.



The Sharp Sign

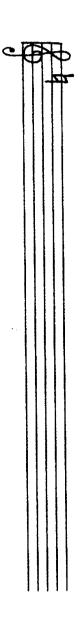
The sharp sign raises the note a semitone. Practise drawing the sharp sign neatly.



The Natural Sign

The natural sign means to play the white note instead of a sharp or flat.

Practise drawing the natural sign neatly.



Note Reading Challenge!













Playing Tag!

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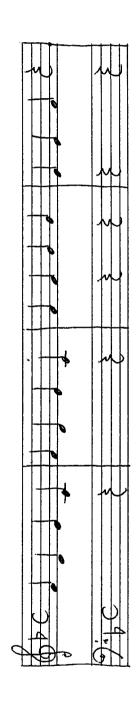
Fill in the missing notes.



Be careful when you practise this piece that you remember these differences!

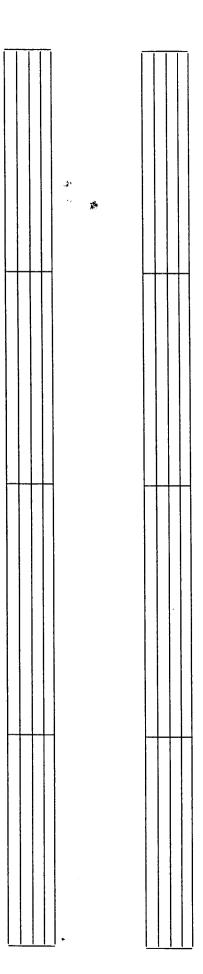
Playing Tag! 2

Write in the LH that goes with this RH...



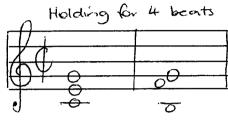
playing Tag 3

Write out the first page of right hand (treble clef) notes. Don't forget staccato dots, treble clef signs, and a flat for the ti.



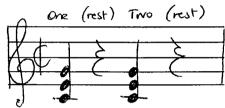
The Big Orange Sun
Quiz!
Name:
Look at the first line of the Big Orange Sun.
What is it called when the music copies itself like this: Crescendo sequence coda
Does the music copy itself again somewhere else? Yes, line 3 Yes, last line No
Look at the second line of Big Orange Sun. What does
this sign mean? ————————————————————————————————————
How many beats are there in each bar? (Hint: you can
check on page 44 for a clue) Two Three Four
Name three instruments you can hear on the CD
recording of Big Orange Sun: 1
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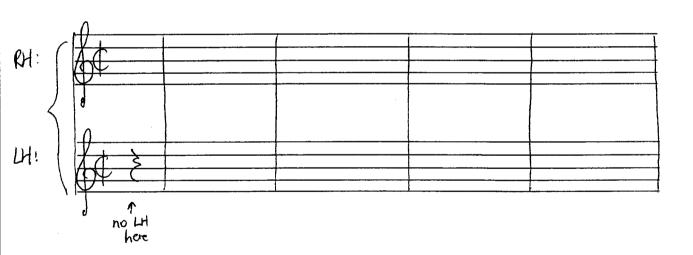
Write the melody of "Bird's Wedding", then your favourite LH accompaniment...

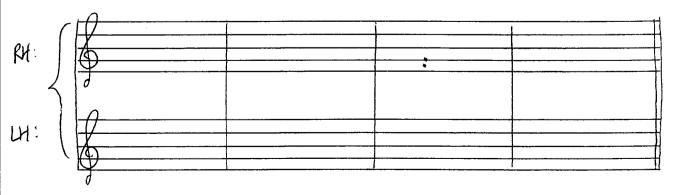










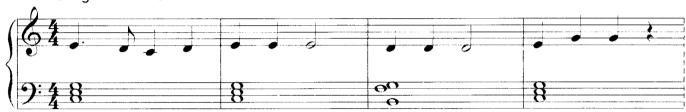


GUESS THE TUNE 1

Name:	
Date:	

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Song Number Two is



Song Number Three is

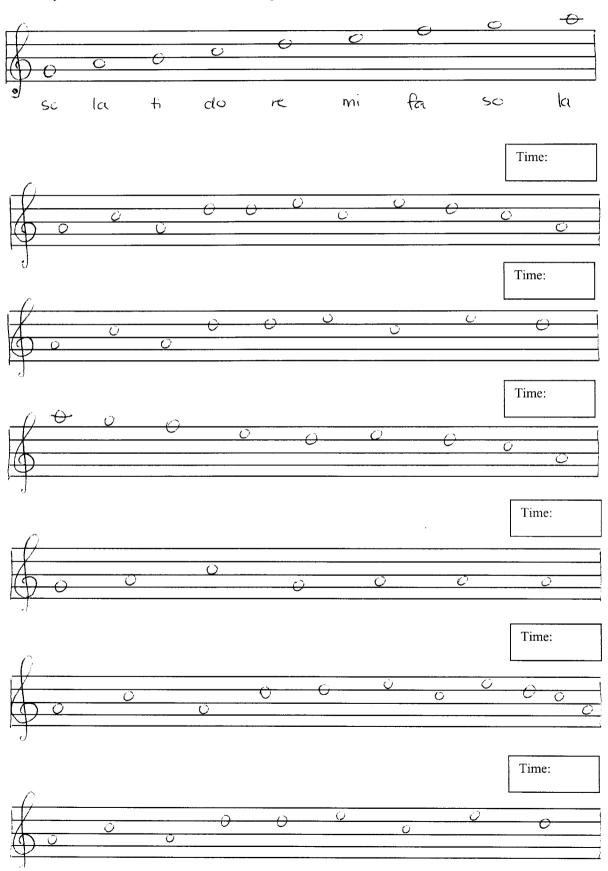


Song Number Four is

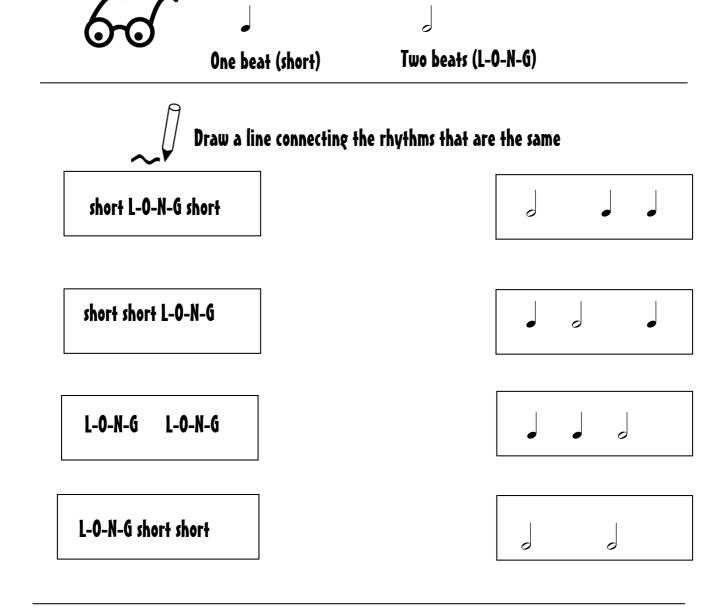


Note finding challenge!

How quickly can you correctly name each note on the lines below? Time yourself on each line using the second-hand on a watch.



One and Two-Beat Notes





Dynamics

Here is what the signs in your book mean:

p "piano" = soft

"forte" = loud

mp

"mezzo piano"
moderately soft

mf

"mezzo forte" moderately loud



1. Write these meanings into your workbook.



2. Draw a line connecting the words that belong together. Careful, they are all mixed up!

piano

mezzo forte

mezzo piano

forte

f

p

mf

mp

moderately soft

soft

loud

moderately loud

Dynamics

Rewrite the following dynamics signs from very soft to very loud.

ff p f mp mf pp

Your answer:

Note Values

Rewrite the following note values from shortest to longest.



Your answer:

Note Values Challenge

See if you can match each note with its two names! (You can draw lines to connect them)

_	CROTCHET	Half note
o	MINIM	Whole note
)	QUAVER	Quarter note
	SEMIQUAVER	Eighth note
_}	SEMIBREVE	Sixteenth note

Dynamics Challenge

See if you can match the dynamic sign with its Italian name and what it means!

SOFT	Piano	pp
VERY SOFT	Forte	\boldsymbol{p}
MODERATELY LOUD	Fortissimmo	mp
MODERATELY	Mezzo piano	mf
SOFT	Mezzo forte	f
VERY LOUD	Pianissimo	$f\!\!f$
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Follow Your Dreams

Your name:	
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Here are the different sections you might find; can you put them in the right order as you hear them in *Follow Your Dreams?*



Verse Two

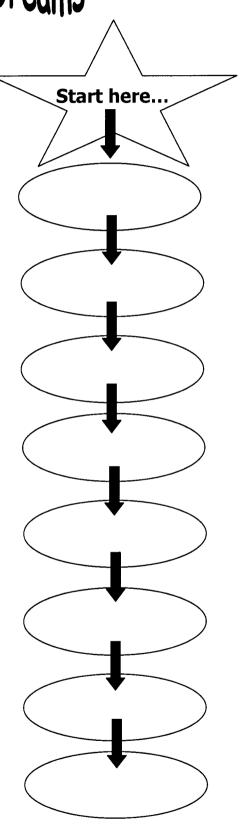
Chorus

Coda

Introduction

Bridge

You'll get your sticker
if it's right!



GUESS THE TUNE 2

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Date:	

Play the following songs, and if you know them, write their title on the dotted line.

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Song Number Two is



Song Number Three is

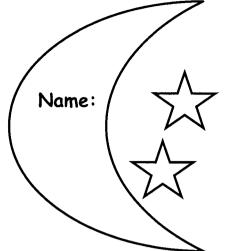


Song Number Four is



Music Box

Quiz!



Look How many beats are in each bar?
What is the sign straight after the treble clef?
Who is the composer? Ya_u_u_i _a_o_i
Listen How many times on the CD do you hear the song?
Is there an introduction? A coda?
Think
Do you know some other songs that are often heard on a music box?

Dynamics

Here is what the signs in your book mean:





2. Draw a line connecting the words that belong together. Careful, they are all mixed up!

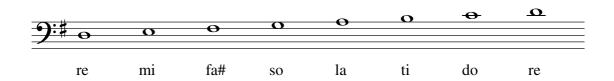
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mezzo forte	\boldsymbol{p}	soft
mezzo piano 	mf	loud
forte	mp	moderately loud

Note Reading Challenge!









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Notes to find!

Write the names of the notes underneath...











Song Writing Study Worksheet

Here are the different sections you might find; can you put them in the right order as you hear them in *Adventurous Kids?*

Verse One

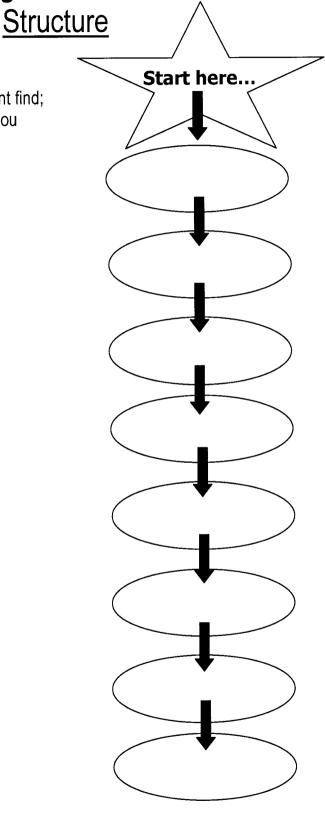
Verse Two

Chorus

Coda

Introduction

Bridge



Magic Power

Here are the different sections you might find; can you put them in the right order as you hear them in *Magic Power?*



Verse Two

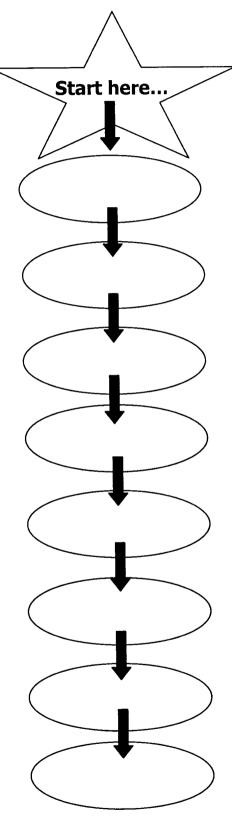
Chorus

Coda

Introduction

Bridge

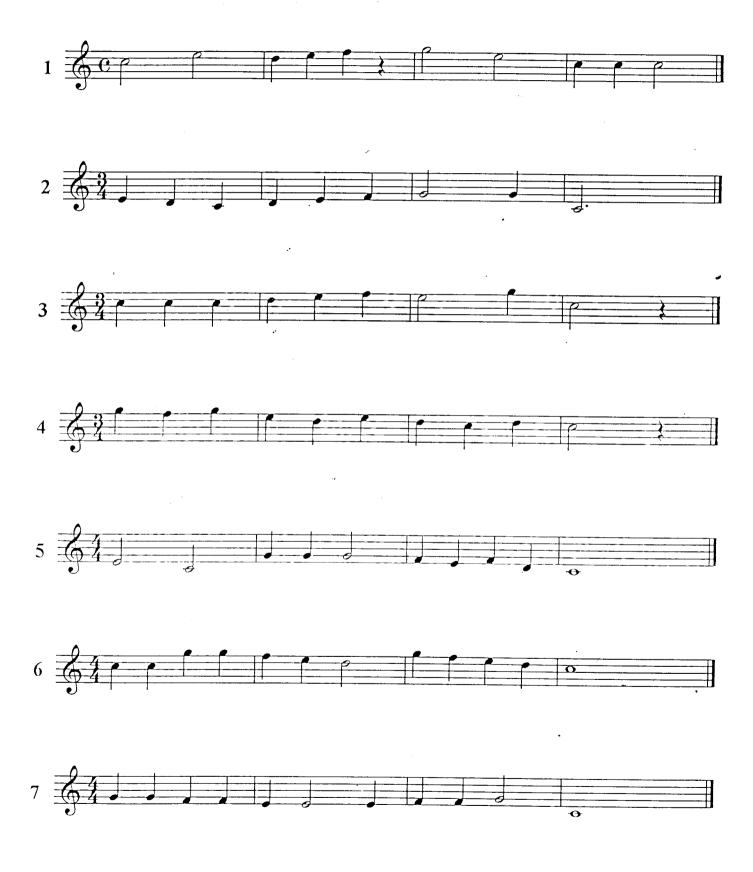
You'll get your sticker
if it's right!





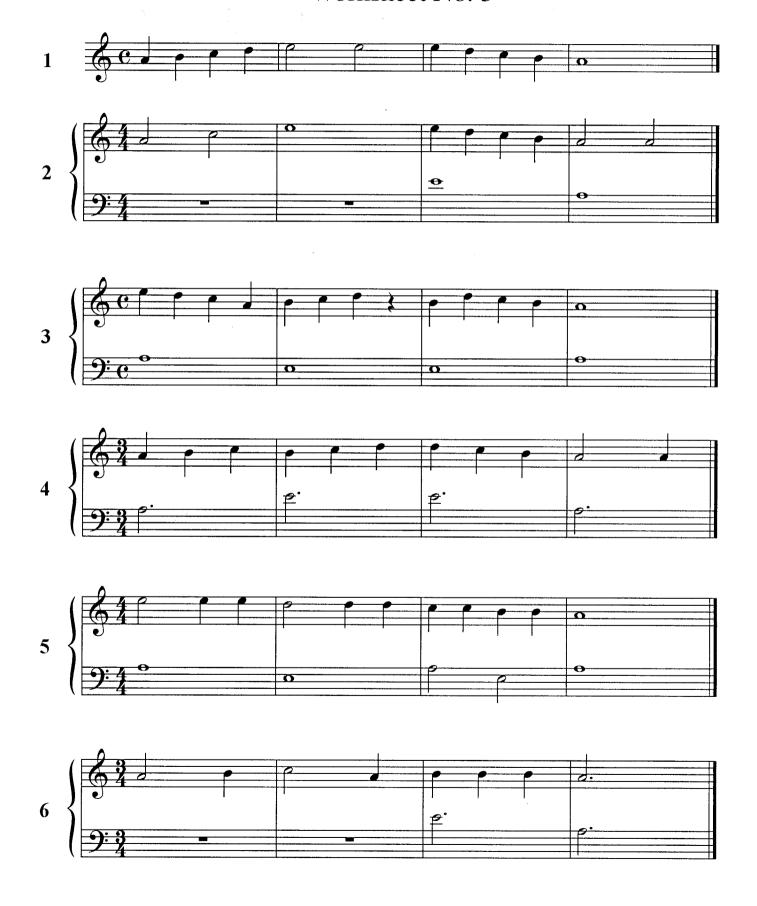
How many seconds does it take for you to play all of these chords?

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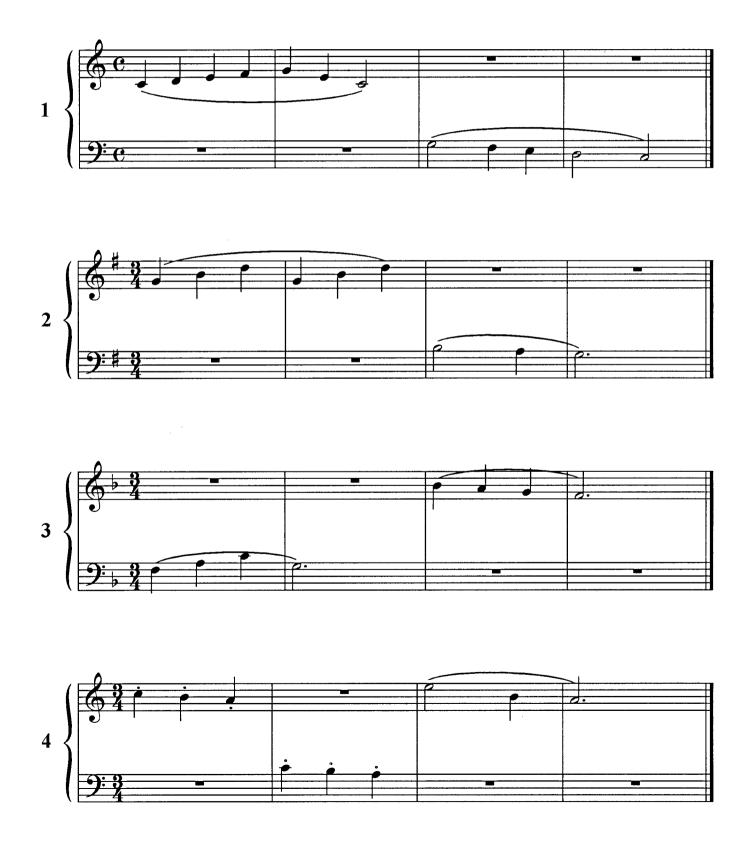


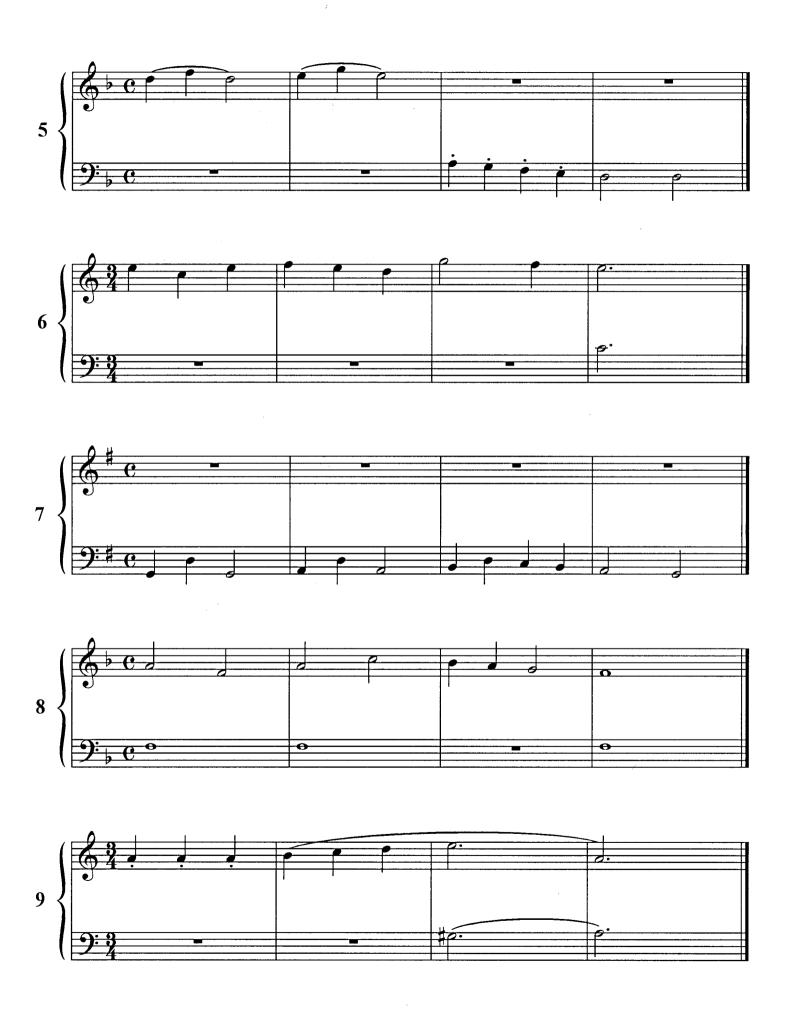






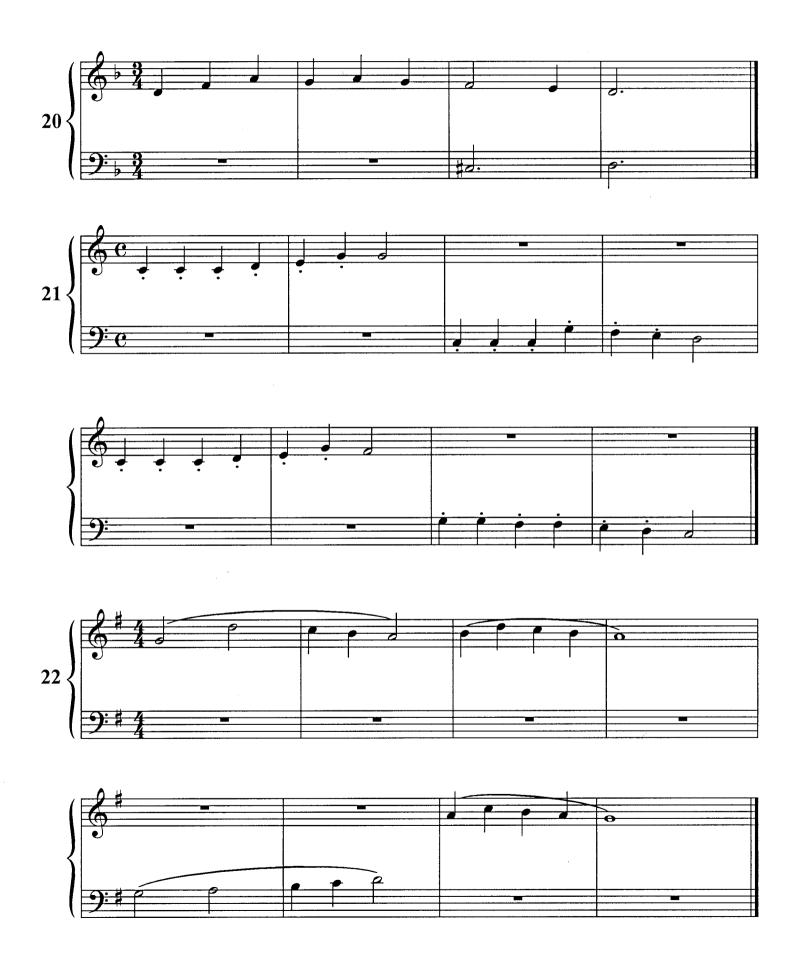
Sight Playing Extra Challenges





















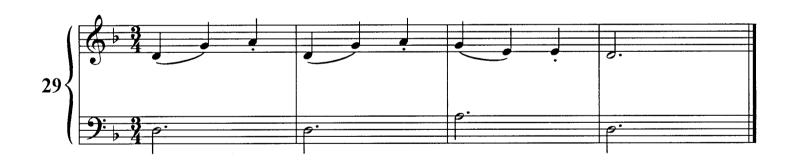






















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Honeybee March

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You are going to write out the first four bars for both hands! (Please use pencil.)

Step One: Check what clefs you need, and write them in.

Step Two: Check if you need any sharps or flats in the key signature and write them in.

Step Three: Check what the time signature is (6/8, 4/4...) and write it in.

Step Four: Carefully copy the RH part, being careful to space the notes the same as the book.

Step Five: Do the same for the LH part.

Step Six: Copy the articulation (slurs, staccatos, accents...)

Step Seven: Copy the dynamics (mf, p, crescendo...)

Step Eight: WELL DONE! Just check and see if it looks right.

Honeybee March CONTINUED!

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Now you are going to write out the four bars of THE THIRD LINE for both hands!

Step One: Check what clefs you need, and write them in.

Step Two: Check if you need any sharps or flats in the key signature and write them in.

Step Three: Will you need a time signature for the third line?

Step Four: Carefully copy the RH part, being careful to space the notes the same as the book.

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Step Seven: Copy the dynamics (mf, p, crescendo...)

Step Eight: WELL DONE! Just check and see if it looks right.

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Step Eight: Write in the tempo marking (moderato? andante? cantabile?)

Step Nine: WELL DONE! Just check and see if it looks right.

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Now you are going to write out the four bars of THE SECOND PAGE (p31) for both hands!

Step One: Check what clefs you need, and write them in.

Step Two: Check if you need any sharps or flats in the key signature and write them in.

Step Three: Will you need a time signature for the second page?

Step Four: Carefully copy the RH part, being careful to space the notes the same as the book.

Step Five: Do the same for the LH part.

Step Six: Copy the articulation (slurs, staccatos, accents...)

Step Seven: Copy the dynamics (mf, p, crescendo...)

Step Eight: WELL DONE! Just check and see if it looks right.

Step Nine: Now repeat the steps and copy line 3 of the second page (page 31)

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Oh! Susanna

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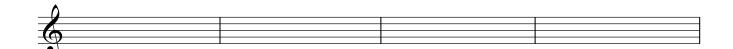


- 2. Now add the dynamics (f, mf...)
- 3. Now add the tempo marking (allegro, allegretto, moderato...)

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Pretty Bouquet









- 1. Neatly copy the melody of this piece. Don't forget the key signature (sharps and flats.)
- 2. Add the dynamics (mf, p...)
- 3. Add the articulation (slurs, staccato)
- 4. Add the tempo marking (allegro, andante, largo...)

A Little Piano

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1. Write in the missing notes.





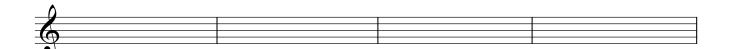
- 2. Add the articulation (staccato, slur...)
- 3. Add the dynamics (mf, f...)
- 4. Add the tempo marking (andante, cantabile, moderato...)

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North Wind

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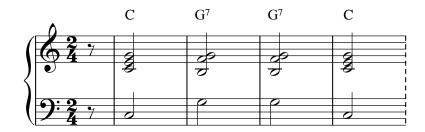




- 1. Neatly copy the melody of this piece.
- 2. Add the dynamics (mf, p, decrescendo...)
- 3. Add the articulation (slurs, staccato)
- 4. Add the tempo marking (allegro, andante, largo...)

SHARPENING THE SCISSORS- CADENCE PLAYING!

Here's the cadence we use in "Sharpening the Scissors."



This is what it looks like in "boom-cha" style playing.



1. Write the piano-style accompaniment for the beginning of Sharpening the Scissors:





Because this song has two quarter-note beats in each bar, it is important to feel two beats, not four.

That's why we don't play with "boom-cha-cha-cha".

Pretty Bouquet Cadence

Fill in the missing chords and bass in line 2.

Traditional

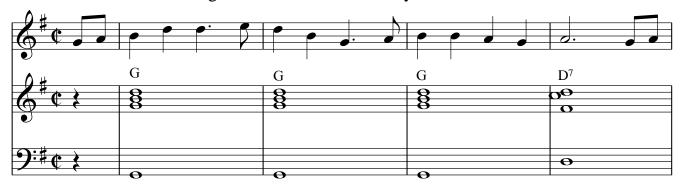


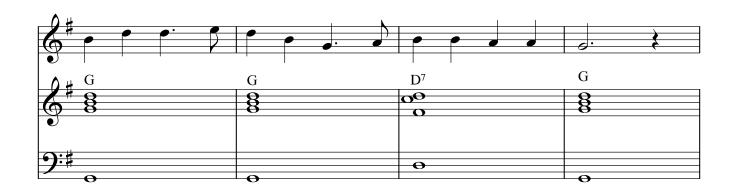
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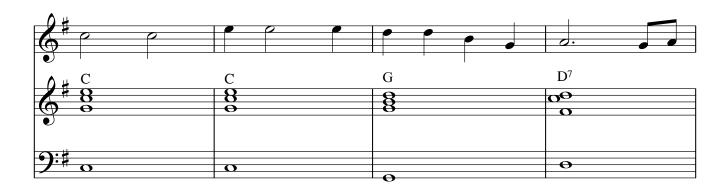
Oh! Susanna Cadence Playing

Date: _____

Fill in the missing chords, bass and chord symbols for the last line.









Oh! Susanna Cadence Pattern

Name: _____

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Fill in the piano-style accompaniment you like the most.





Choose from the following, or make up your own!

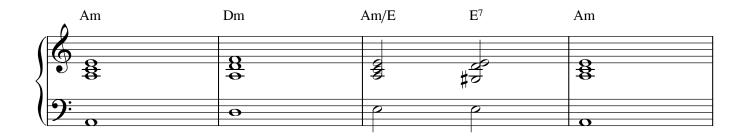






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A minor Cadence



- 1. Play this A minor cadence each day. See if you can play it with your eyes shut!
- 2. Write out the A minor cadence.

	Am	Dm	Am/E	E7	Am
19:					

C major cadence

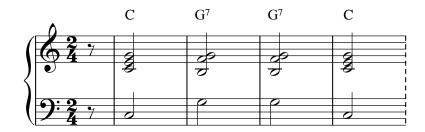
C	F	\mathbf{G}^7	C	
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1. Copy the C major cadence. Then add the "chord symbols" above each chord.

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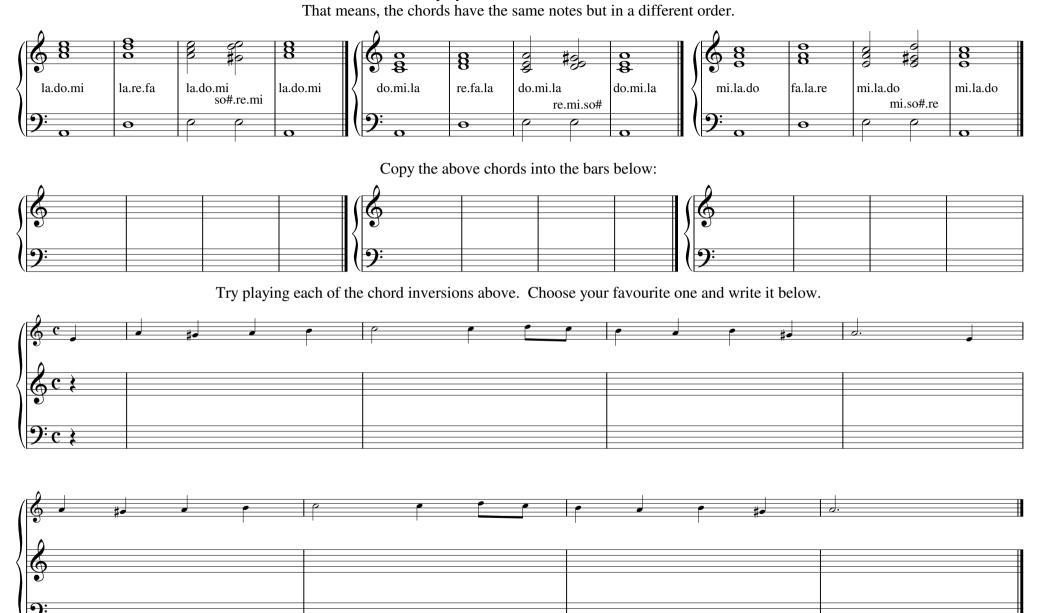
That's why we don't play with "boom-cha-cha-cha".

Fill in the missing notes, slurs and staccatos.



An Old French Song

You can play chords in different inversions.



1. Copy the chords into the second line of this piece.





2. Continue the accompaniment style using the chords from Question 1.



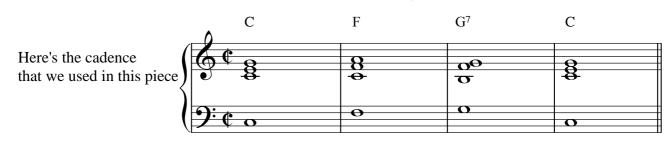
3. Now try continuing this accompaniment style using the chords from Question 1.



4. Which bar numbers of Happy Christmas would sound good with this LH? From bar to bar



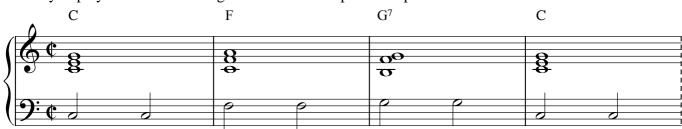
Little Brown Jug

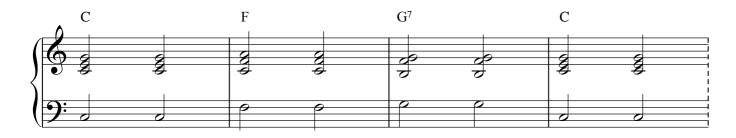


Write it out here as neatly as you can

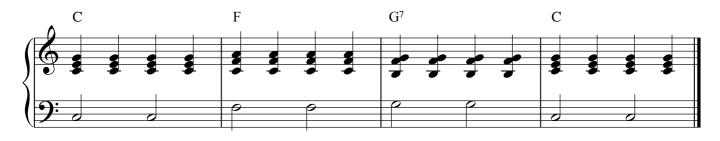


Can you play this cadence using a different accompaniment pattern?



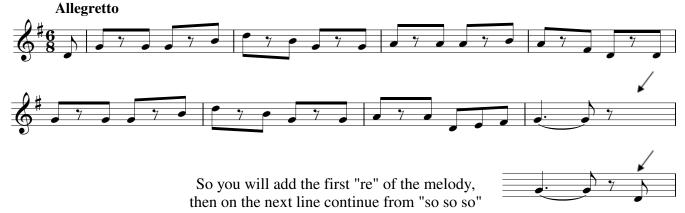






The Mulberry Bush-How to Complete the Melody

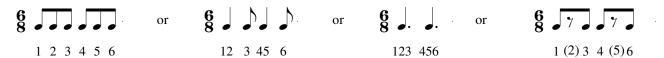
Because this piece has an anacrusis at the start (an extra note in its own bar,) you will need to have an anacrusis for the next eight bars too. See where the arrow is in bar 8.



Be careful to spread out your notes so they are not squashed together.



This piece is in 6/8 time. That means there are six eighth notes per bar, like this:



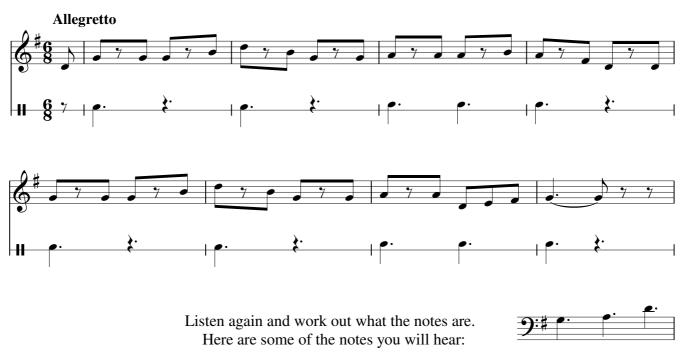
Here's the beginning of two other pieces in 6/8. Can you find them in your book?





The Mulberry Bush-How to Complete the Accompaniment

Listen carefully to the CD. Can you hear the Left Hand rhythm like this?



Now listen to the second part of the melody. Can you hear these chords?



The Mulberry Bush-Variations

The third part of the melody has some variations.

Try and work out how to play it.

It would look like this:

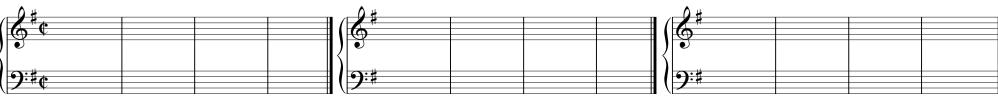


Red River Valley - G major cadences

You can play chords in different inversions. That means, the chords have the same notes but in a different order.

G D^7 G G C D^7 G G \mathbf{C} \mathbf{D}^7 G C 8 00 **00** so.ti.re so.do.mi fa#.do.re so.ti.re re.so.ti ti.re.so do.mi.so re.so.ti mi.so.do re.fa#.do do.re.fa# ti.re.so 0 0 0

Copy the above chords into the bars below:



YMC 6

Sleigh Ride

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