

Music

Grade 3

Note values and rhythm

Count beats with whole, half, quarter and eighth notes.



I can name note values and count the beats in a bar.



1 Complete the table

Fill in the empty boxes.



Note	Name	Beats
		
		
		
		

2 🙌 Fill the gaps

Write the missing answer.

1.   +  = _____ beats
2.   +   +  = _____ beats
3.  = _____ beats
4.    +   = _____ beat

3 ✅ True or false

Circle true or false.

1. A bar in 4/4 time has four beats.
2. A half note lasts longer than a whole note.
3. A rest means silence.

True

False

True

False

True

False

4 How many fit?

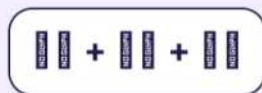
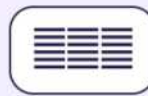
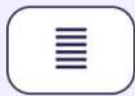
Write the missing number.

1. 1 whole note = _____ quarter notes
2. 1 half note = _____ quarter notes
3. 1 quarter note = _____ eighth notes
4. 1 whole note = _____ half notes
5. 1 half note = _____ eighth notes
6. 1 whole note = _____ eighth notes

5



Which lasts longer?

Write $>$, $<$ or $=$ in each circle.

6



Pick the answer

Circle the right answer.

1. How many quarter notes fill one bar of 4/4?

A 2

B 3

C 4

2. How many beats are in each bar of 3/4?

A 3

B 4

C 2

3. Which bar of 4/4 is complete?

A

B

C

4. Which note lasts half a beat?

A quarter note

B eighth note

C half note

7 🥁 Is the bar full?

Count the beats. Write each bar in the right box for 4/4 time.



4 beats (full bar)

Not 4 beats

8 🥁 Think and write

Write your own 4-beat rhythm using quarter and eighth notes. Clap it!

How did it go?



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Answer key

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Fill in the empty boxes.



Note	Name	Beats
	whole note	4
	half note	2
	quarter note	1
	eighth note	$\frac{1}{2}$

2 🙌 Fill the gaps

Write the missing answer.

1.   +  = 3 beats

2.   +  +  = 3 beats

3.  = 4 beats

4.   +   = 1 beat

3 ✅ True or false

Circle true or false.

1. A bar in 4/4 time has four beats.

True

False

2. A half note lasts longer than a whole note.

True

False

3. A rest means silence.

True

False

4 How many fit?

Write the missing number.

1. 1 whole note = 4 quarter notes

2. 1 half note = 2 quarter notes

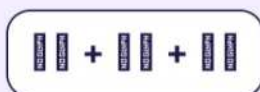
3. 1 quarter note = 2 eighth notes

4. 1 whole note = 2 half notes

5. 1 half note = 4 eighth notes

6. 1 whole note = 8 eighth notes

5

**Which lasts longer?**Write $>$, $<$ or $=$ in each circle.

6

**Pick the answer**

Circle the right answer.

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B 3

C 4

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B eighth note

C half note

7 🥁 Is the bar full?

Count the beats. Write each bar in the right box for 4/4 time.



4 beats (full bar)

Four vertical bars, a comma, eight vertical bars, a comma, one vertical bar.

Not 4 beats

Four vertical bars, a comma, eight vertical bars, a comma, four vertical bars.

8 🥁 Think and write

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