

CBC LESSON NOTES

MUSIC

GRADE 4 NOTES

FREE LESSON NOTES FOR GRADE FOUR

Singing with expression

4/11/2020

Expression is Someones feelings. Someone can be Sad, Serious, Happy, Laughing, Angry, Wondering, wow.

Dynamics

When we sing, we might be singing loudly or softly. We are always singing with dynamics. Song can be sung loudly or smoothly.

Articulation.

Singing smoothly or in a detached manner with is called articulation

IS the speed of the song or beat
It can be low or fast

Homefun

1. Draw faces of:

Happiness

Sadness

Wondering wow.

Serious

Laughing

Laughing Loud

2. Draw colour emojis.

Happiness.



Sadness.



Wondering



Serious.



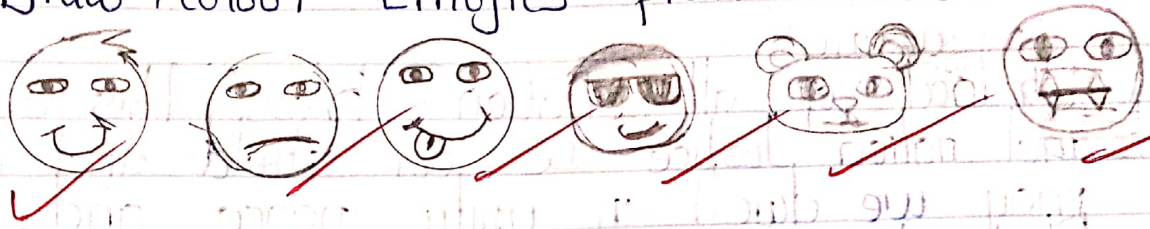
Laughing



Laughing loud.

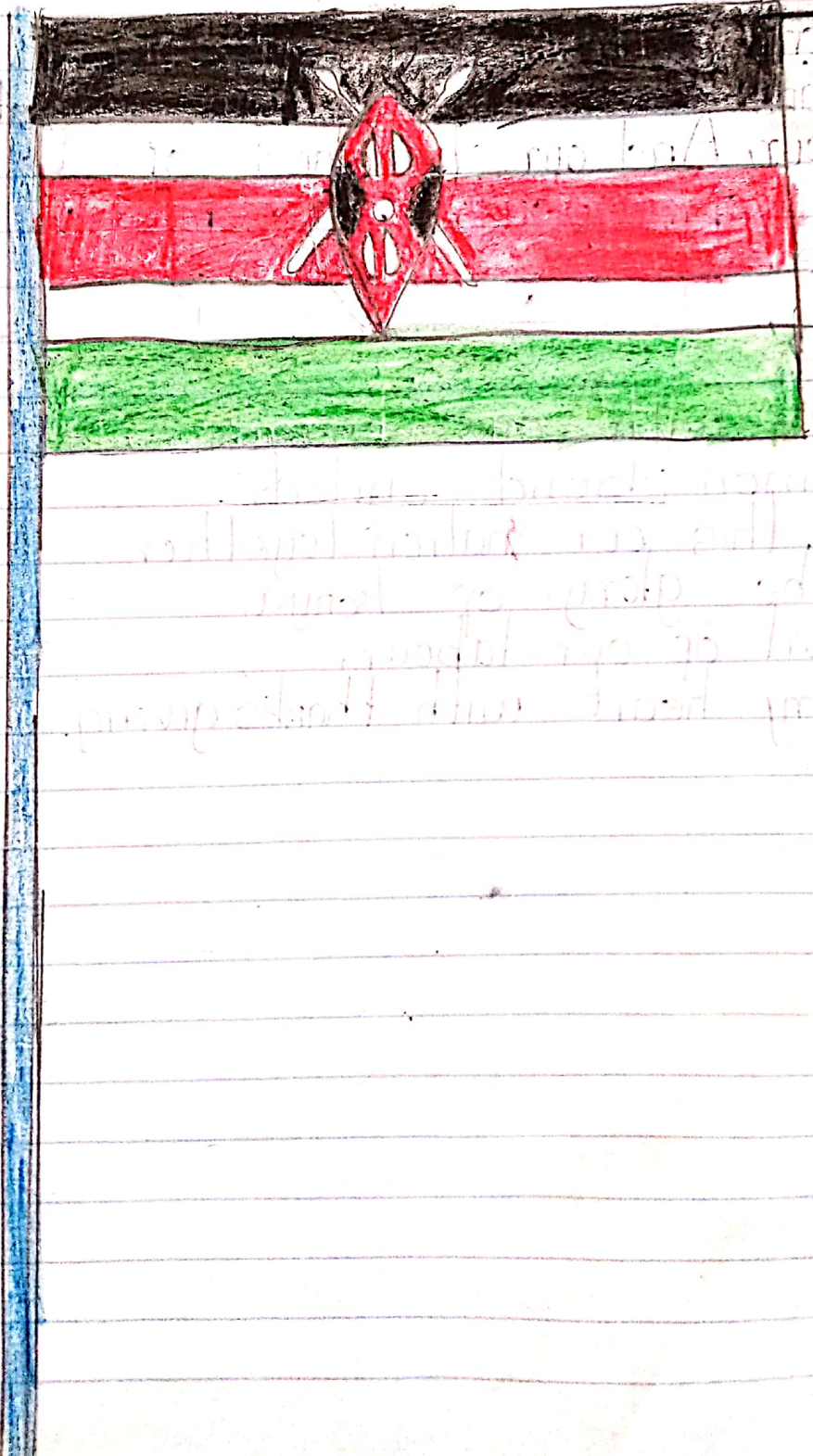


2 Draw, colour Emojies from androids.



Homework.

1. Drawing a flag of kenya



Seen

English national anthem

STANZA 1

Stanza one (1)

Oh God of all creation Bless this our land
and nation Justice be our shield and defender
may we dwell in unity peace and liberty
Plenty be found within our borders.

Stanza 2

Let one and all arise with hearts true both
strong and true, Service be our earnest endeavour
And our homeland of Kenya,
Heritage of splendour, Firm may we stand
to defend.

Stanza 3

Let all with one accord,
in common bond united,
Build this our nation together,
And the glory of Kenya,
The fruit of our labour,
Fill every heart with thanks giving.

Music costumes.

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Costumes are dresses and clothes we wear in a certain function. During music, costumes are put on to match the song, season, dance or message.

Examples of costumes

- Sisal skirts
- Lesos or kilenges.
- Hide or Skin clothes.
- Animal's skin (hat).
- Jingles.
- Colours.
- Beads and necklaces.
- Leaves clothes.

Musical instruments

Homework

1 Draw 5 music costumes.



Sisal skirt ✓



Lesos ✓



Jingles ✓

Skin hats ✓



Hide ✓



Necklaces or Beads ✓



Leaves skirts. ✓

2 Draw 5 musical instruments



Tamborine ✓



Shakers ✓



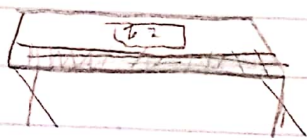
Drum ✓



Guitar ✓



Electric guitar ✓



Piano ✓

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The ~~four~~ main voices in a choir

- 1 Bass - Men
- 2 Tenor - Boys
- 3 Alto - Women
- 4 Soprano - Girls
- 5 Bary tone - All.

Corrections

1. When we sing loudly or softly, we say we are singing with dynamics.
2. Give the four main voices in a choir.
 - a Bass.
 - b Baritone.
 - c Tenor.
 - d Alto.

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Assignment.

1. Name the first three colours of the flag.
Black ✓
White ✓
Red ✓

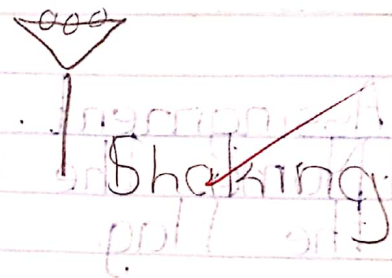
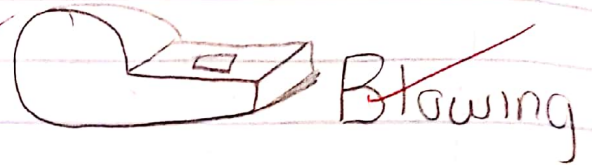
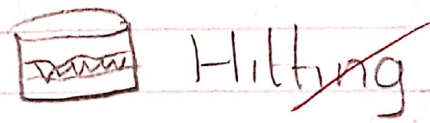
2. Write down stanza 3 of the national anthem.

Let all in one accord,
In common bond united,
Build this our nation together,
And the homeland of Kenya,
The fruits of our labour
Fill every heart with thanksgiving

3 Match.

Guitar	Blowing ✓
Drum	Shaking ✓
Kayamba	Plucking ✓
Whistle	Hitting ✓

4 Draw 6 musical instruments.



Composing / Creating music

16-1-2021

- Before creating music we need to know how to create rhythm and beat
- You can use claps, sounds and ^{taps} beats
- These rhythms are created using our mouth, hands and our legs.



Clapping



Tapping

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COMPOSING MUSIC

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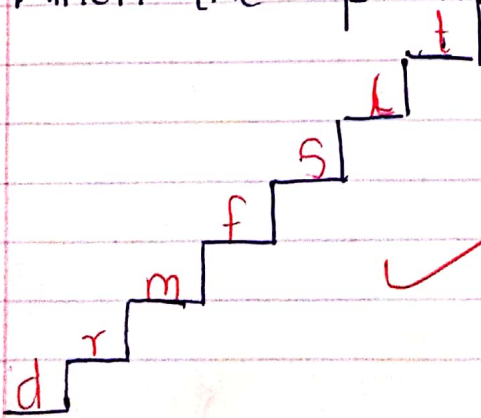
Sol-fas ladder

- Music is combined of tunes. The tunes can be ascending or descending
- The rising and falling of tunes are organized in Sol-fas Notation
- They are from low to high

d, r, m, f, s, l, t, d
 doh, rey, me, fah, soh, loh, te, doh

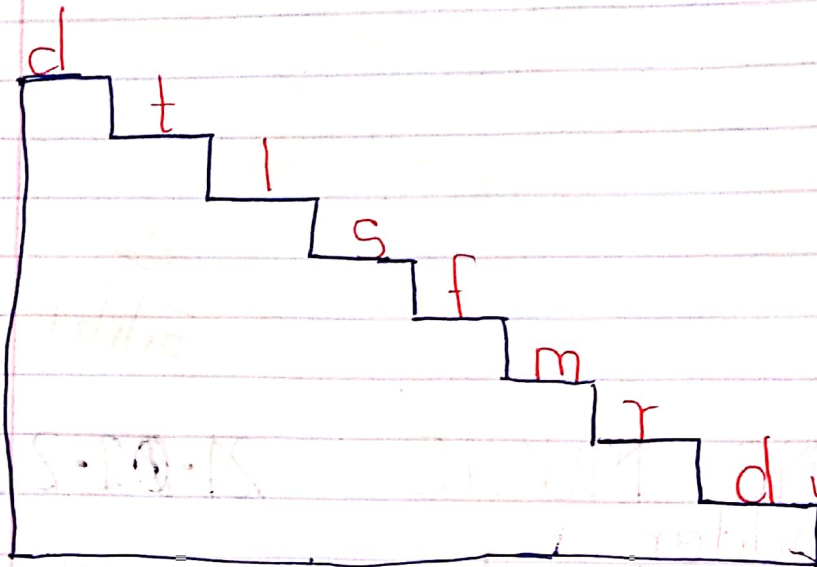
Ascending

- When the pitch goes from low to high.



Descending

- When the pitch goes from high to low



~~eggs~~
~~stitch~~

Tuesday

26-1-2021

Notes

- From the solfa notes we get the category of sounds.

1. Bass - Men
2. Tenor - Boys
3. Alto - ~~Men~~ Women and girls
4. Soprano - Women and girls
5. Baritone - Unisex

Wednesday

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Sol-fas

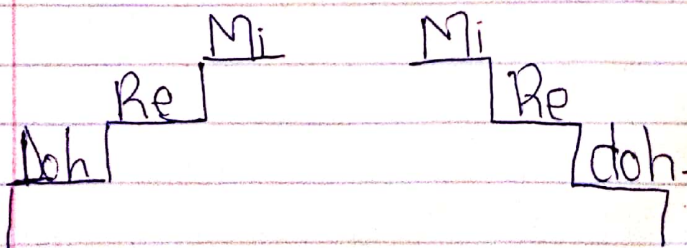
Solfa signs

Chewes
with base

Wm

- They are signs or symbols used to denote or show a solfa note.

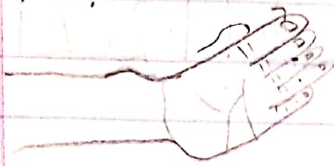
Doh Re Me



1. Doh



2. Re



3. Me

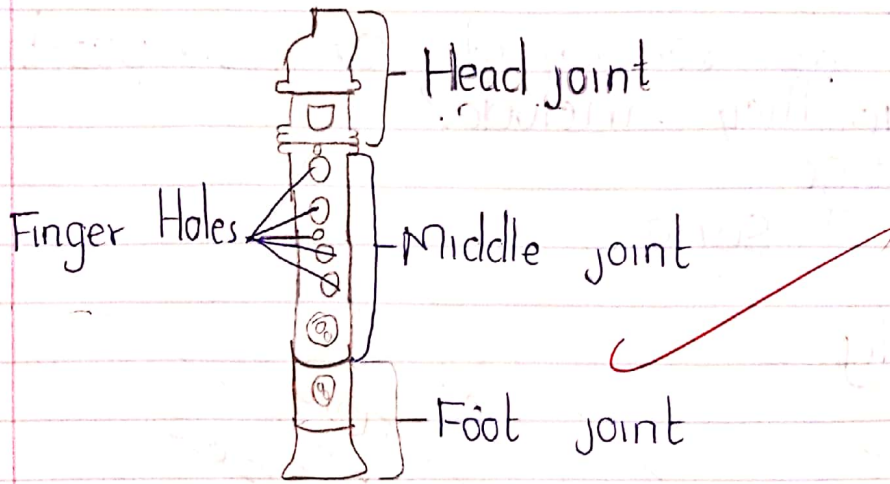


Solfa singing

	ly	sleep	my	child
Gen	re	me	re	re
doh			sweet	
			doh	

Descant Recorder

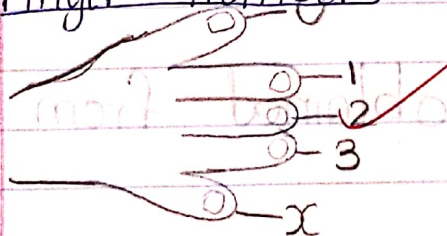
- It is a wind instrument played by blowing
- Its a type of flute.



Care and Maintenance

1. Keep away from heat or sun
 2. Avoid sharing
 3. Clean after use
- If you want to share clean it first

Finger numbers



Elements of a music

8.2.2021

- A music has a purpose.

- It is composed of elements that makes it recognizable

- These are components of composition of music. They include?

Message

Type of song

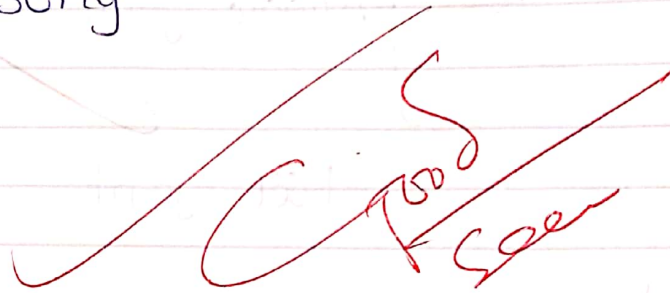
Rhythm

Melody

Pitch

Tempo

Dynamics



Thursday Revision

25.2.2021

1. Name 3 types of songs.

Folk ✓

Duo ✓

Sacred ✓

2. Name what we obtained from

singing. ✓

Unity ✓

Honesty ✓

Peace ✓

Sharing ✓

Love ✓

3. Name the colours of a flag.

~~Black
White
Red
Green.~~

4. Name 3 musical instruments.

~~Drum
Piano
Flute~~

5. Name three digital things that can record

~~Television.
Radio
Phone~~

6. Name 3 occasions where we sing happy songs

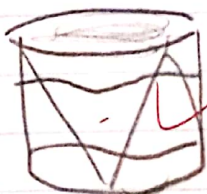
~~Birthday
Circumcision
Wedding~~

~~100%~~

7. The song sang to praise God is

Sacred

8. Draw a drum.



Tuesday

2-3-2021

Elements of music

Melody
Message
Rhythm
Pitch
Tempo

1. Type of songs

It's a song gospel, patriotic, folk topical.

2. Message

Depends with what the song is saying. Education, Corona, Sickness, AIDS

3. Rhythm

- Pattern of the music

4. Pitch

- Tones might be high or low.

When singing we use solfa notes

D R M F S L T ^ D

14-03-2021

Revision End - Term

1. Sing stanza 1 of wimbo wa Taifa.

Ye, Mungu Nguvu yelu,
Iele baraka kwetu.
Haki iwe ngao na minzi,
Matukae na undugu,
Amani na uhuru,
Raha tupate na ustawi.

2 Reason we stand at attention while singing.

To show love, respect and love

3 Clap on the music notes of...

Matukae na undugu.

Ma-tu ka-e na u-du-gu

Ta-te Ta-te Tate taa taa

4. Occasions we sing National anthem.

Sports day
Music festivals

Debates

Maclala

- Madaraka / Jamuhuri / Mashujaa
- Labour day
- Parliament
- Death of prominent

5. How do you feel after singing the national anthem.

Happy
Proud

Good

Peaceful

Patriotic

Love

GRADE 5 WORK

18.8.2021

PERFORMING SONGS

- In grade four we learnt types of songs like: Religious / Sacred songs
Topical songs
Patriotic songs
Folk songs
Lullaby songs
and many other songs.

- We gave examples and its importance we learnt how to perform them and the elements needed.

Task 1

- Groups are going to perform songs of their choice then learner will identify elements.

Task 2

Reharse and memorize East African anthem.

EAST AFRICAN ANTHEM

1 Ee Mungu twaomba ulinde,
Jumuiya Afrika mashariki,
Tuwezeshe kuishi kwa amani,
Tutimize na malengo yetu

CHORUS

Jumuiya yetu sote tulinde,
Tuwajibike, Tuimarike,
Umoja wetu ni nguzo yetu,
Idumu Jumuiya bora.

2 Uzalendo na pia mshikamano,
Viwe msingi ya umoja wetu,
Na tulinde Uhuru kwa amani,
Mila zetu na desturi zetu.

3 Viwandani na hata mashambani,
Jufanye kazi sote kwa makini,
Tujitoe kwa hali na mali,
Tulijenge jumuiya bora.

Performing Song

How we feel when you sing.

- Inspired
- Motivated
- Calm and Peaceful
- Joyful and happy.
- Sad
- Concentration

Note:

When you sing happy songs you are expressing Joy

Three part songs create concentration.

Song Message

Different types of songs express different messages. It depends with occasion.

National anthem - Express the message of patriotism, love, peace, unity, and respect towards a country.

Folk song - Carries message from different cultures of different tribes for example. harvest, pre-wedding, death, thanksgiving and praises

Sometimes the costumes and the equipment passes massage.

The Recorder

Descant recorder GAB

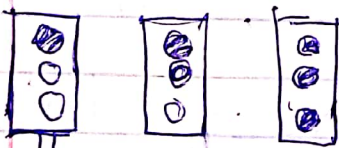
- It can be made from: Wood, Plastic, Rubber.
- A pack of recorder has a recorder cleaner, and sample notes.

Handling recorder precautions.

1. Don't share
2. Clean before and after use
3. Keep from sunshine or rain.
4. Handle with care. Don't break

Recorder notes

- When playing, holes are closed or left open to produce a certain sound.



- They are blocked using fingers.

28.9.2021

1. What is an element of a song that brings out certain feelings to the singer or listener? expression

2. Give 2 reasons we sing patriotic songs.

- a Brings love
- b Peace

3. Name 2 issues topical songs addresses in our community.

- a Corona
- b Diseases

4. Name the mode of music transmission.

- a Phone
- b tablet
- c Radio

5. East African community anthem is sung in two occasions namely.

- a. Mashujaa
- b. Madaraka

6. State two countries that form the East African community.

- a Burundi
- b Kenya

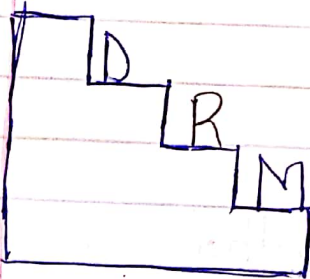
7 Complete

Ee mungu twaomba vilinde,
Jumuiya Afrika mashariki,
lupezeshe kuishi kwa amani,
lutimize na malengo yetu.

8 List 3 types of songs.

- a. Folk
- b. Lullaby
- c. Round

9 Fill in. the missing solfa notes



Soloist

25.10.2021

- Person who leads a song

Roles

- Pitch a song - Tone aligning
- Cue singer
- Address audience
- Coordinates movement.

Carols - Spanish lyrics

27.10.2021

- Are songs sung during Christmas (Birthday of Jesus)

1 Feliz navidad
Feliz navidad
Feliz navidad

Prospero ano Y felicidad

I wanna wish you a merry
christmas.

I wanna wish you a merry
christmas

I wanna wish you a merry christmas

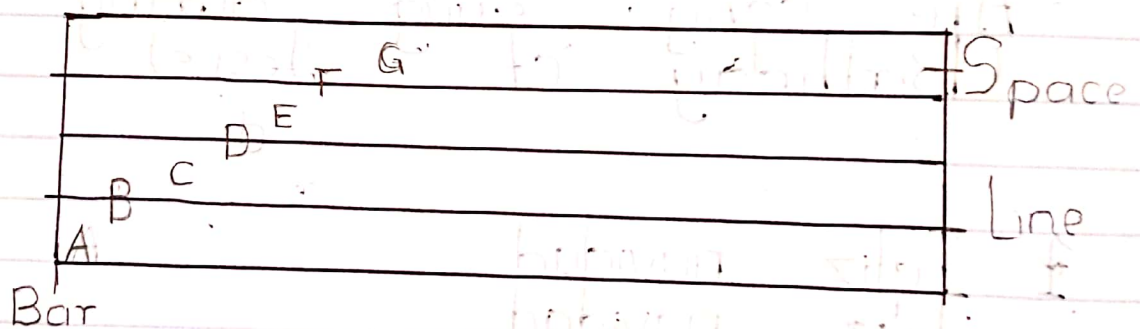
From the bottom of my heart

STAFF

- It is a table that controls the songs. On it we write the songs notes or the song lyrics.

- Has a set of 5 lines and 4 spaces.

- It's made of 7 letters from A to G.



Types of staff

- In naming staff we use the term clef.

- There are 2 types of clef

G - clef
F - clef

G-clef

- It is used to establish pitch used in bass.

Monday 1st November 2021

CAT.

1. Name the four aspects of folk songs.

a. Instruments

c. Occasion

b. Participants

d. Message

2. What are the five elements of music?

a. Pitch

b. Tone

c. Rhythm

d. Message

e. Beats

3. Give 4 types of songs.

a. Folk songs

c. Topical songs

b. Lullabies

d. Patriotic songs

4 In what three occasions do we sing EAC Anthem?

a Assemblies

b Mashujaa day

c Labour day

d Madaraka day

5 What does EAC stand for? East African Communities

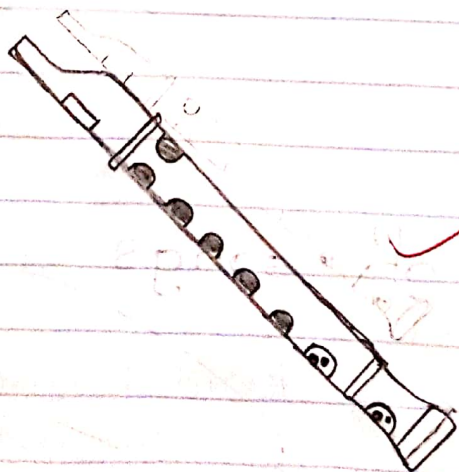
6 Write down three french rhythm.

a Ta - Te

b Taa

c Ta - Ta

7 Draw a descant recorder.



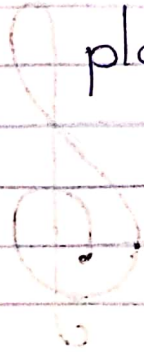
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8 Name 3 notes you can play in a recorder.

a B

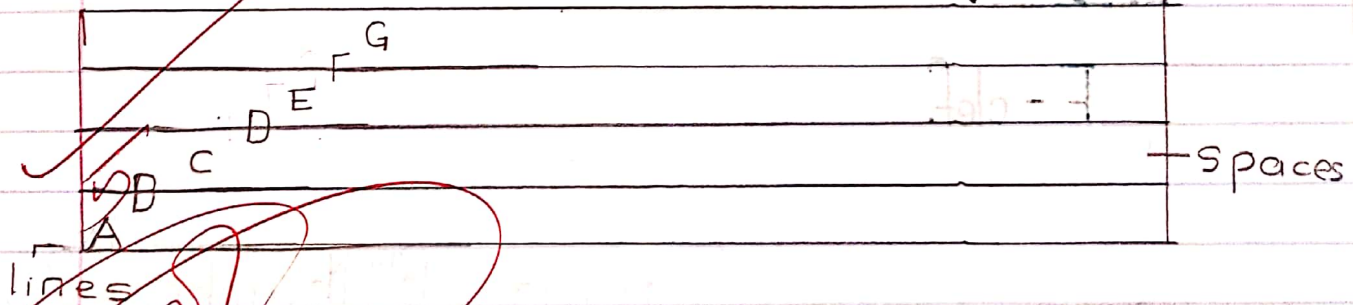
b A

c G



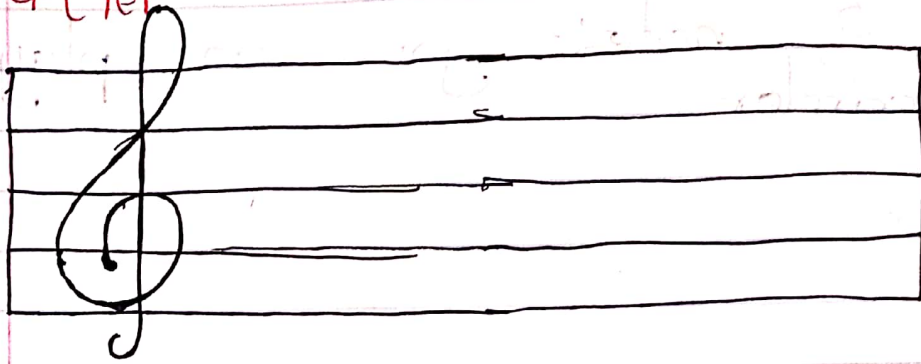
9. A staff has five lines and four spaces.

10. Draw a staff and name the lines and spaces from A-G.



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G-clef



G-clef or a Treble-clef

F-clef



F-clef

Saturday 6th November 2021

Revision

- French rhythm and music note.


1. Crotchet



2. Minim



3 Semi-brieve ○

4. Quavers 

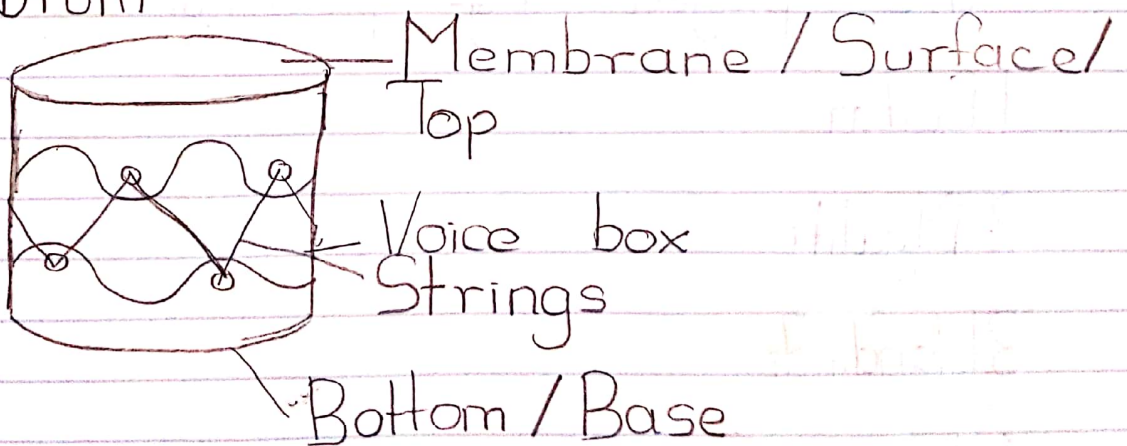
5. Semi-Quaver 

- Treble clef is also known as a G-clef.



- A drum is a percussion instrument
beat to remove sound

Drum



- Brass instruments are also known as wind instruments. They are blown.

Examples

1. Flute

2. Recorder

3. Horn

4. Trumpet

5. Harmonica

- String instruments are made out from strings, wires and ropes. They are played by plucking.

1. Guitar

2. Nyatiti

3. Wandindi

4. Ishiriri

5. Violin

6. Electric guitar

- Most music percussion instruments are easy to make since we use locally available materials to improvise.

1. Flute - Bamboo, Pipes, Hollow tree branch, *
2. Dancing skirt - Grass - Banana leaves, sisal.
3. Hat - Paper, Magazine, Animal skin, Box.
4. Jingles - String, wire, Bottle tops, Sheets.