

Viola

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Lesson 23. Compose Your Own Melodies #1

Using only these 3 notes, the given Time Signatures, and these 4 note values ♩, ♪, ♪., ♩., compose your own music. Then play the melodies on your instrument.

Write out your rhythm on this line first.

Next, assign these notes to your rhythm.

D E F#

A

1 2 3

B

1 2 3 4

C

1 2 3 4

D

1 2 3 4

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E

Musical notation for chord E in 2/4 time. The treble clef is on the top staff, and the bass clef is on the bottom staff. The time signature is 2/4. The chord is represented by a whole note on the E line of the treble clef. The bass staff is empty. The piece is divided into four measures, with measure numbers 1, 2, 3, and 4 indicated below the staff.

F

Musical notation for chord F in 3/4 time. The treble clef is on the top staff, and the bass clef is on the bottom staff. The time signature is 3/4. The chord is represented by a whole note on the F line of the treble clef. The bass staff is empty. The piece is divided into four measures, with measure numbers 1, 2, 3, and 4 indicated below the staff.

G

Musical notation for chord G in 4/4 time. The treble clef is on the top staff, and the bass clef is on the bottom staff. The time signature is 4/4. The chord is represented by a whole note on the G line of the treble clef. The bass staff is empty. The piece is divided into four measures, with measure numbers 1, 2, 3, and 4 indicated below the staff.

Musical notation for chord G in 4/4 time. The treble clef is on the top staff, and the bass clef is on the bottom staff. The time signature is 4/4. The chord is represented by a whole note on the G line of the treble clef. The bass staff is empty. The piece is divided into four measures, with measure numbers 5, 6, 7, and 8 indicated below the staff.

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Lesson 23. Compose Your Own Melodies #2

Using only these 4 notes, the given Time Signatures and these 4 note values ♩, ♪, ♪., ○, compose your own music. Then play them on your instrument.

A

D E F# G 1 2 3

B

1 2 3 4

C

1 2 3 4

D

1 2 3 4

E

1 2 3 4

F

1 2 3 4

G

1 2 3 4

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Lesson 23. Compose Your Own Melodies #3

Using only these 5 notes, the given Time Signatures and these 4 note values ♪, ♩, ♪., ♩., compose your own music. Then play them on your instrument.

A

Staff A: Notes D, E, F#, G, A. Time signature: 2/4. Measures: 1, 2, 3.

B

Staff B: Time signature: 2/4. Measures: 1, 2, 3, 4.

C

Staff C: Time signature: 3/4. Measures: 1, 2, 3, 4.

D

Staff D: Time signature: 2/4. Measures: 1, 2, 3, 4.

E

Staff E: Time signature: 2/4. Measures: 1, 2, 3, 4.

F

Staff F: Time signature: 3/4. Measures: 1, 2, 3, 4.

G

Staff G: Time signature: 2/4. Measures: 1, 2, 3, 4.