

Notes and Rests

Music **notes** tell us when to sing. There are also symbols in music called **rests**. Rests tell us when *not* to sing. Music notes and rests both have **counts** to show how long they are.



1 count



2 counts



1 count



2 counts



4 counts

Use the notes and rests below to draw lines from dot to dot! Draw a curved line for notes and a flat line for rests. The size of the curved line matches how many counts the note has. One has been done to show you how.

A musical staff with a dotted line above it. A curved line has been drawn above the dotted line, starting at the first dot and ending at the second dot. Below the staff, there is a quarter note, a half rest, and a quarter note.

A musical staff with a dotted line above it. Below the staff, there is a quarter note, a half rest, a quarter note, a quarter rest, a half note, and a half rest.

A musical staff with a dotted line above it. Below the staff, there is a quarter rest, a quarter note, a half note, a half rest, a quarter note, and a quarter note.

