Blank Rhythm Staff Paper: Percussion Clef and Beat-Box Guide

Original tasks 1, 2 / independent work

Task 1

In a four-beat measure, place a quarter note on beat 1, a quarter rest on beat 2, and a half note on beats 3 and 4. State the total duration.

Task 2

Write a four-beat measure with two eighth notes on beat 1, a quarter note on beat 2, a quarter note on beat 3, and a quarter note on beat 4. State the total duration.

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Task 3

Write a four-beat measure with a quarter note on each of beats 1, 2, 3, and 4. Then write a second measure in which beat 1 is a quarter note tied from beat 4 of the first measure, beat 2 is a quarter note, and beats 3 and 4 are a half note. State the tied sound's total duration and verify both measures.

Task 4

Compose four measures of four beats each using only quarter notes, half notes, and quarter rests. Vary the placement. Then describe how you would check the result with a rubric.