Blank Drum Notation Sheets: Percussion Clef and Beat Grid Design

Original tasks 1, 2 / independent work

Task 1

Design a 4/4 drum grid with quarter-note columns for bass drum, snare, and hi-hat. State the column count and one possible placement for each instrument.

Task 2

A bar of 3/4 uses sixteenth-note columns. How many columns are there, and how many columns belong to each beat?

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Task 3

Sketch a three-line drum staff legend for hi-hat, snare, and bass drum, and explain why each needs its own level.

Task 4

Explain how to mark a meter change from 4/4 to 3/4 in the middle of a sheet.