Treble Clef Staff Paper: Design Spec and Teaching Guide

Worked example / complete source key

A writer plans a short treble clef exercise in 4/4 meter that fits on two systems. Describe how to use the planned paper, including clef, key signature, and barlines.

Answer: Use the standard page. Each system already begins with a printed treble clef, so do not draw one. Write any key signature immediately after the clef on each system. Because this draft treats barlines as user-drawn, decide 4/4 first, then mark a barline after every four beats. Check that both systems begin with the printed clef and that the key signature follows it. The page choice is one valid option; a reduced-staff page could also work if more annotation space is needed.