Rest Values

For each note value in music, there is an equivalent **Rest Value**. The time signature determines the value of each note and rest. A rest indicates silence, while a note indicates sound.

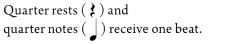


Whole Rest: Hangs down from the 4th line; the rest equivalent of a whole note

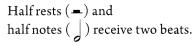
Half Rest: Sits on top of the 3rd line; the rest equivalent of a half note

Quarter Rest: The rest equivalent of a quarter note

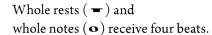
In 4 time:













STUDENT ASSIGNMENT

1. Add each set of note values to calculate the total number of beats. (The quarter note gets one beat.)

2. Trace each rest and draw four more of the same in each staff.



3. There is only <u>one</u> rest missing from each measure below. Draw the <u>rest</u> on the appropriate beat. Clap the rhythm.



4. Draw bar lines in the following music. Write in the counting below the staff. Place the counting of rests in parentheses. For notes longer than one beat, place brackets around the first and last beats in that note (see examples above). Clap the rhythm.

