



Tempo + Rhythm

Music Y2

Key skills

Listening & Singing:

Rain, Rain go Away
It's Gonna be Hot
Noah's Ark

Composing + Performing:

In a team, create music to a picture and perform to tell a musical story.

Events and extra curricular

Little Singers perform
in Y3+4 Summer Concert

Vocabulary

tempo
pulse
beat
rhythm
duration
semibreve
minim
crotchet
quaver

Key Facts and Knowledge

Pulse is the beat of the music.

Duration is the length of each sound.

Rhythm is made up of a mixture of long and short sounds played to a pulse.

These symbols are used to represent different note lengths.

semibreve

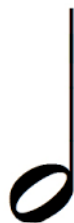
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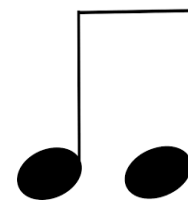
4 beats



2 beats



1 beat



1/2 + 1/2 beat

Links to prior learning and next steps:

Y2 Music and Movement
Y3 Animal Magic

Links to other subjects:

English

Characteristics of effective musician

I can... listen to and clap the pulse to music; I can listen to and copy a rhythm; I can identify notes of different lengths; work in a team to make up music to a picture; I can wait my turn and perform as part of a whole class piece.