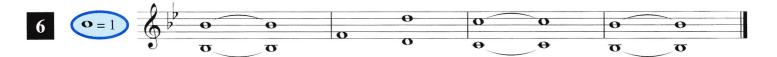
o o Ties o o

Ties are curved lines that are drawn between two notes of the same pitch. The curved lines are sometimes drawn below the notes and sometimes above them. *A tie in music is like a plus sign in math.* The two note values are added together and played for the *sum* of the two values.









─ Whole Rests **─**

is a **whole rest**. It is a filled-in rectangle that *hangs down* from the *fourth line* of the musical staff. Whole notes and whole rests get the same number of counts as each other.

