

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.

$$\textcircled{\text{o}=3} \quad \text{o} \quad \text{3} \quad \downarrow \quad + \quad \text{o} \quad \text{3} \quad = \quad 6 \quad (\text{played as one 6-count sound})$$

5

o=3



6

o=1



7

o=2

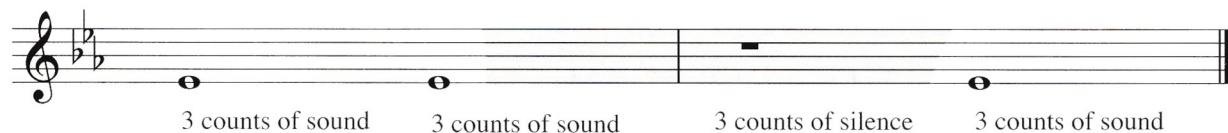


■ Whole Rests ■

■ 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.

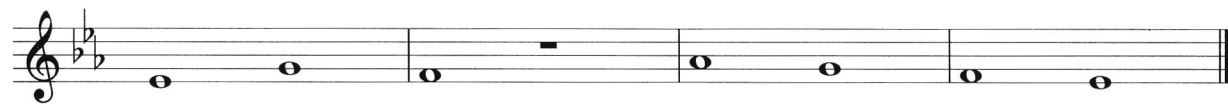
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o=3



9

o=4



10

o=2

