

COUNTING RHYTHM DOTTED HALF NOTES

Strategy:

A dot can be added to notes or rests to make them longer and add value.

The dot adds **half the value of the note it is beside.**

Example:

in $\frac{4}{4}$ time  = 2 counts

add a dot  + . =  = 3 counts

NAMED: DOTTED HALF NOTE 

1. Practice counting dotted half notes by writing the correct count number under each note and rest.
2. Remember to look at the time signature before you begin counting.
3. Use the counting example to get started.

WRITE COUNTS:



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CHECK-UP:

1. A _____ can be added to notes or _____ to make them longer and add _____.
2. The dot adds _____ the value of the note it is beside.
3. In $\frac{3}{4}$ or $\frac{4}{4}$ time, a dotted half note gets _____ counts.
4. A dot beside a half note changes its name to _____ note.
5. Tap and count the above lines of rhythm.