

Counting Beats in Measures Review

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Understanding Time Signatures and Measures

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Answer the following questions about counting beats and measures in music.

1. Time signatures tell us how many ____ are in each measure.

2. What is the most common time signature?

- A. 2/4
- B. 4/4
- C. 6/8

3. The top number in a time signature shows the note value.

- True False

4. What do measures help musicians do?

5. In a 3/4 time signature, there are 3 beats in each measure.

- True False

6. How can you count 4 beats in a measure?

7. What does the bottom number in a time signature show?

- A. Beats per measure
- B. Note value
- C. Tempo

8. Musical rhythms are organized by ____ in music.

9. Which instrument is NOT mentioned in Psalm 150:3-5?

- A. Trumpet
- B. Drums
- C. Harp

10. Counting beats helps with keeping time in a song.

- True False

Answer Key

1. beats 2. 4/4 3. False 4. They help musicians play together. 5. True 6. You can clap four times. 7. Note value 8. measures 9. Drums 10. True