

The Fourth Finger on the D String (It is called G)

The 4th finger G is a half-step from the 3rd finger F. Place the 4th finger about 1 or 1 1/4 inches from the 3rd finger. When this mark connects two notes, it is a reminder that they are a half-step apart. The 1st and 3rd fingers must remain on the string when you play the 4th finger.



Jumping Beans



Off to School

Leave a slight pause at each comma (9) with the bow remaining on the string.

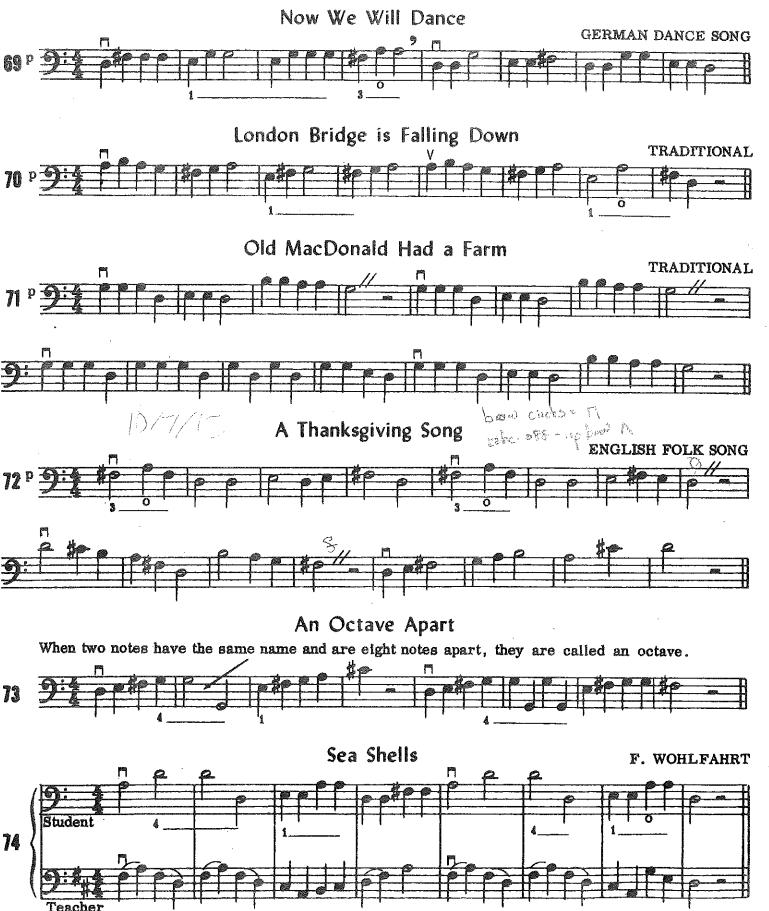


Our Theme Song - Lightly Row

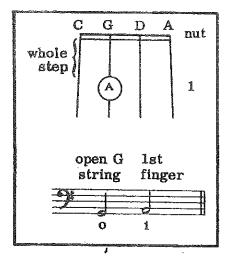


ROTE PROJECT: This tetrachord or 3 4 finger pattern with the 3rd and 4th fingers a half step apart may now be played on all strings in various rhythms. Hum or sing this pattern before

BEAUTIFUL MELODIES with the FIRST, THIRD and FOURTH FINGERS



ROTE PROJECT: The pupils may now learn the D Major scale. The class should hum or sing the scale before playing.



A NEW LOW TONE

The First Finger on the G String (It is called A)

It sounds a whole step higher than the open G string.





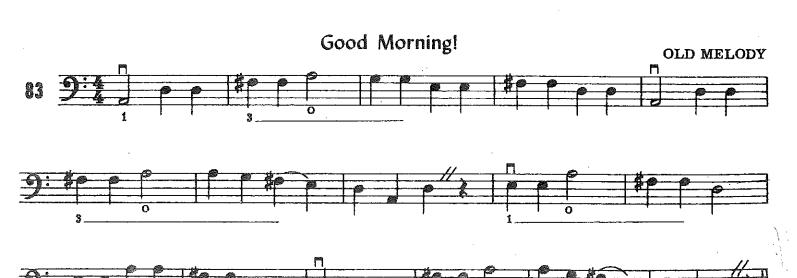
THE QUARTER REST

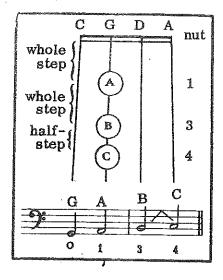
This is a quarter rest (?). It receives one count.



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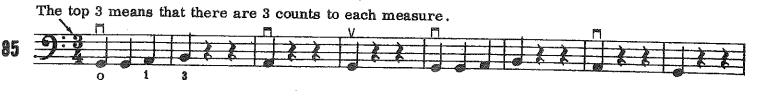


The Third Finger on the G String (It is called B)

It is a whole step from the 1st finger A.



The Tap Dancer



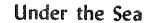


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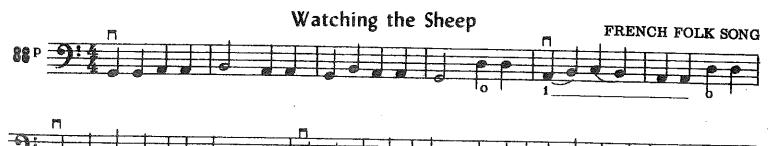
(It is called C)

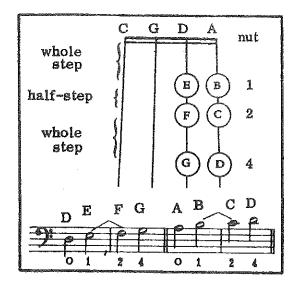
It is a half-step from the 3rd finger B. Place the 4th finger about 1 1/4 inches from the 3rd finger.











When Do We Use the Second Finger?

When the next note above the 1st finger is a half-step away, we use the 2nd finger. We now use the 2nd finger to play F on the D string and C on the A string. Both notes are a half-step from the 1st finger. Place the 2nd finger about 1 or 1 1/4 inches from the 1st finger.

- This is a natural sign which means that the note is not sharped or flatted.



ROTE PROJECT: The class will now enjoy playing the 1 2 finger pattern with a half step between the 1st and 2nd fingers. Play on all strings in various rhythms.