

GIANT QUARTER NOTES

Cut a shape around notes.

Laminate and cut a quarter to half inch away from previous trim.

When we look in a story book we see bunches of alphbet letters put together to make what we call words. So we can read those words to find out what the story is about.

Before we can read words, we have to learn our letters. We even sing songs about them like our ABCDEFG song. (Sing letters rather than just saying them.)

When we look at music (show them a page of music) we see a bunch of funny looking shapes.

This is one of those shapes and it is called a quarter note. This part is called a note head - looks more like a foot.

Oh.....but notes can be right side up or upside down! Show both flashcards here - right side up and upside down!

When it is upside down it does look a bit more like a head.

This long line is called a stem.

(Show flower flashcard here.)

- Now you know why I put those teeny flowers beside the stem of those quarter notes.
- What are these notes called again? etc. etc.