

CONCEPTS COVERED: Up/down/same on the staff

STUDENT LEVEL: Newbie

S L T t a h e d e p d er

The Step Ladder

HOW TO PLAY

- Place a counter for each player on the "ground" at the bottom of the board.
- Players take turns to draw a card and:
 - Move up if it's a step up
 - Move down if it's a step down
 - Don't move if it's a repeated note
- The winner is the first to reach the cloud at the top of the ladder.

ASSEMBLY

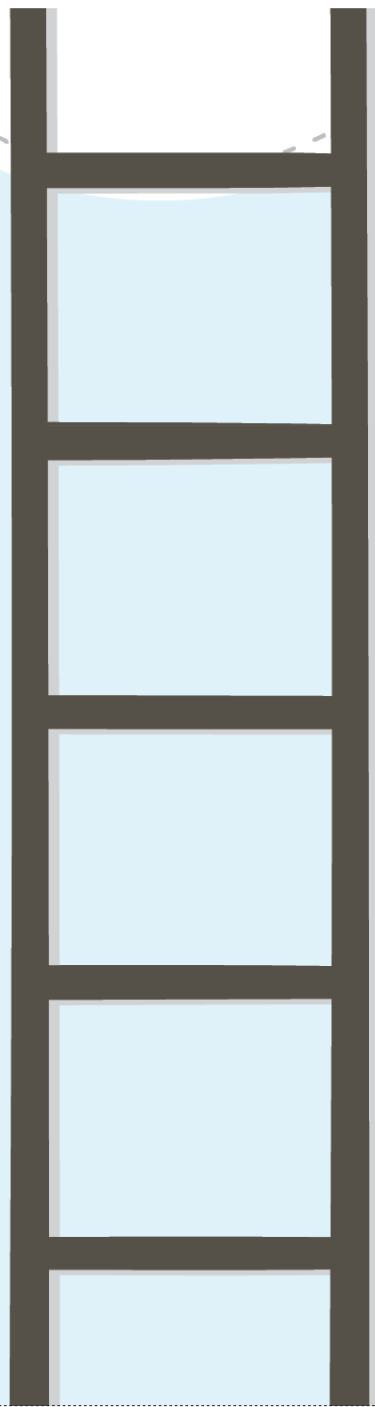
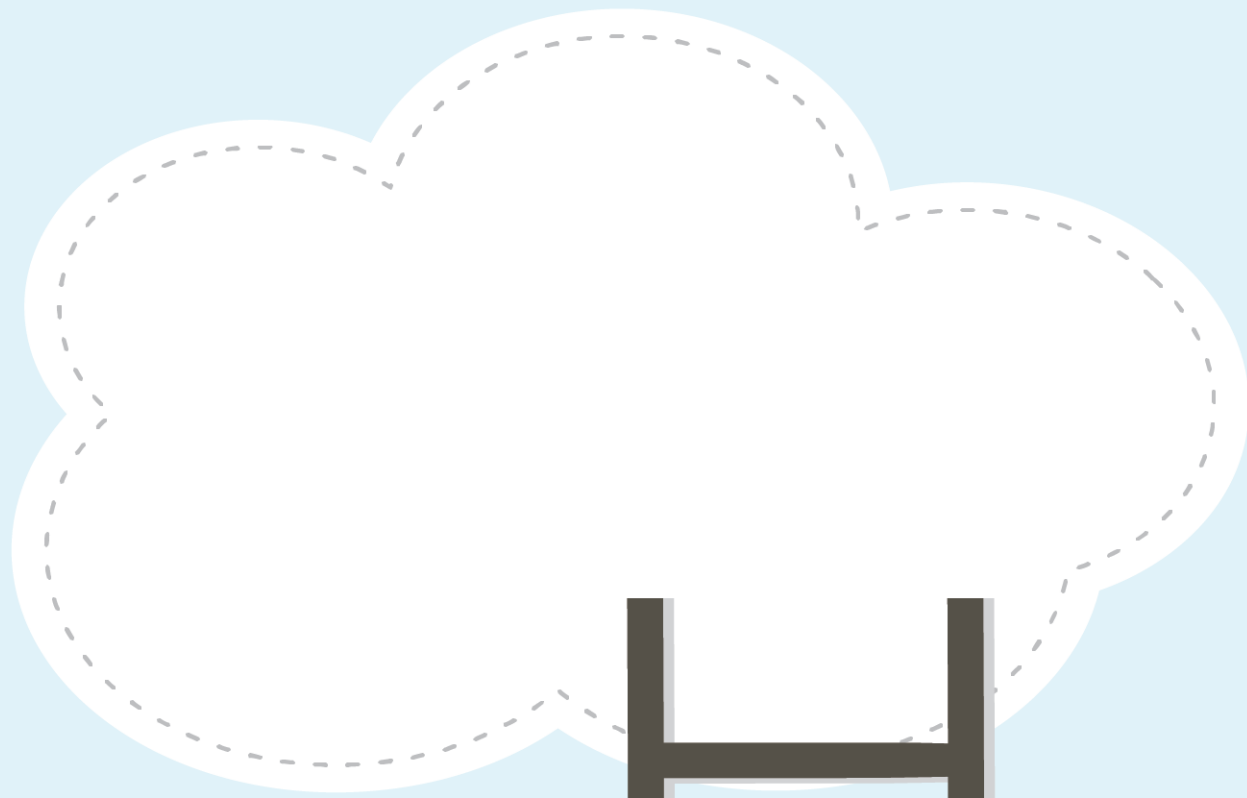
To assemble this game:

- Print out the game board (pages 3-4). Trim along the dotted lines, laminate if desired and tape together.
- Print out the game cards (pages 5-12) double-sided. Cut apart and laminate if desired.
- You will also need a game counter (eraser, small toy, button, etc.) for each player.

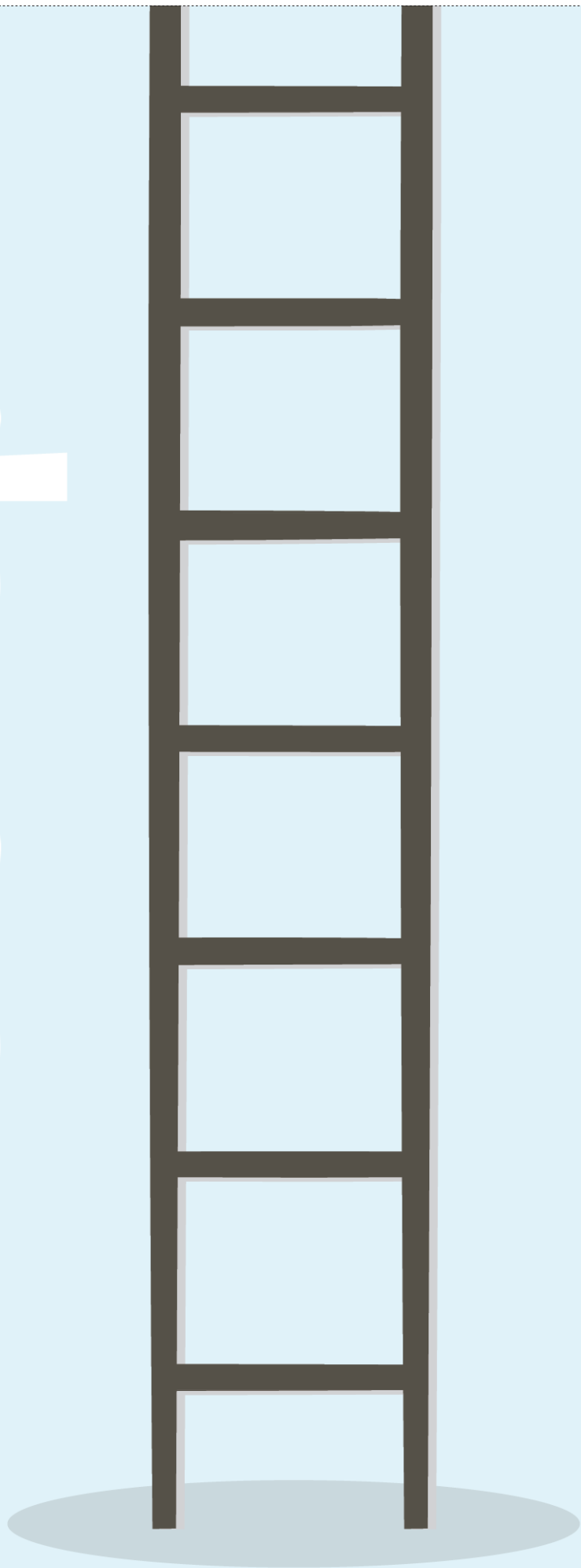
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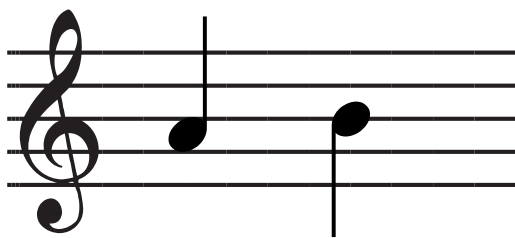
The Step Ladder gives students an opportunity to practise directional reading, away from the piano. The cards are designed to look show steps in a variety of contexts (including note values that students likely will not have encountered) in order to convey the message that a step is a step is a step.

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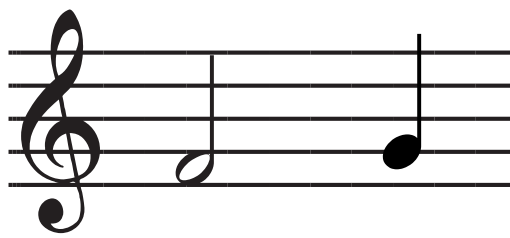


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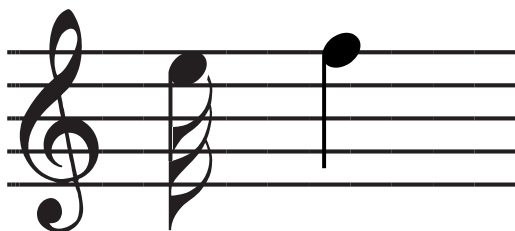




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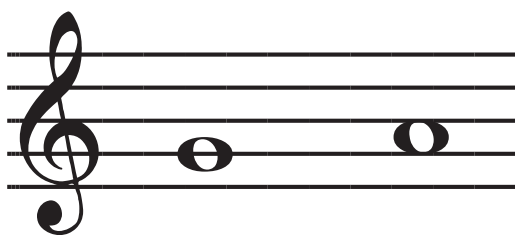
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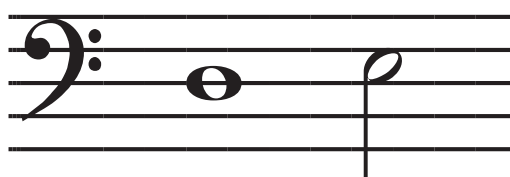
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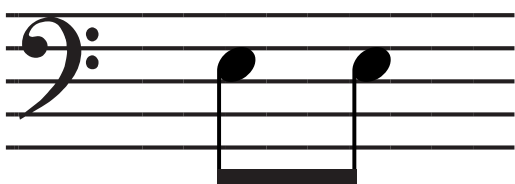
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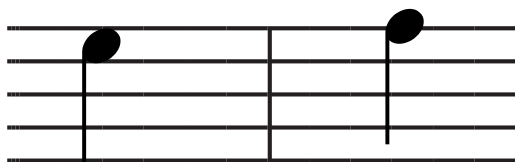
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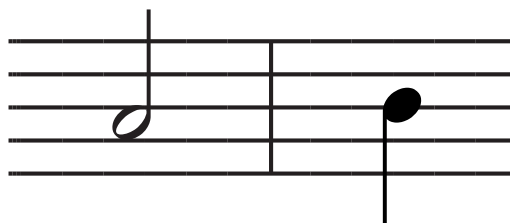
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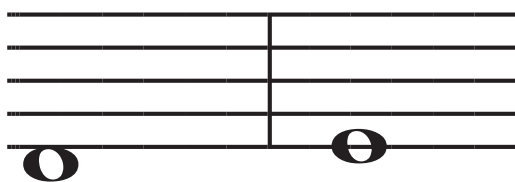
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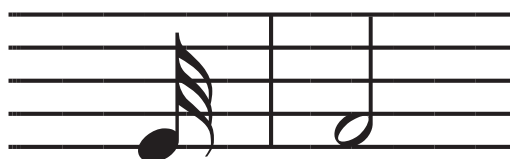
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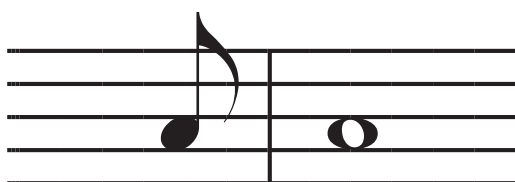
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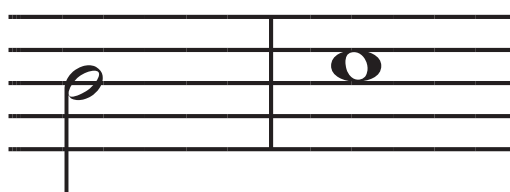
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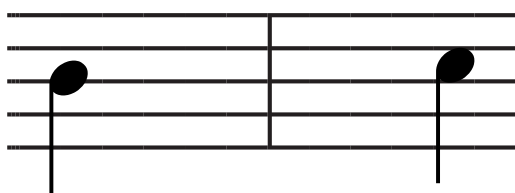
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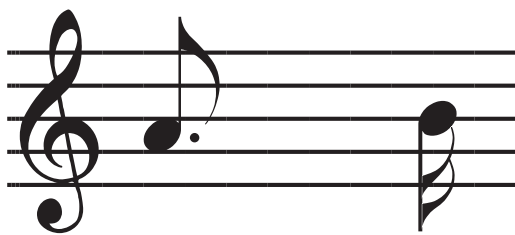
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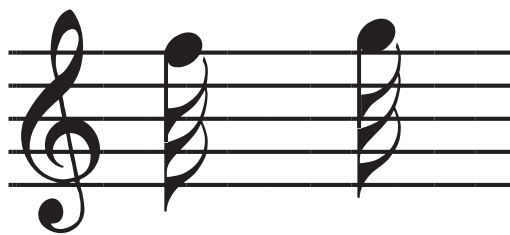
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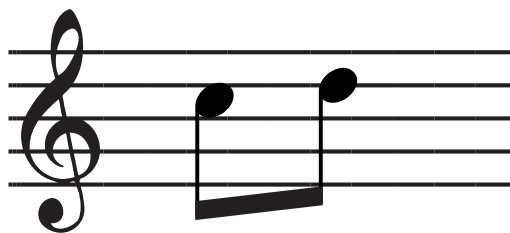
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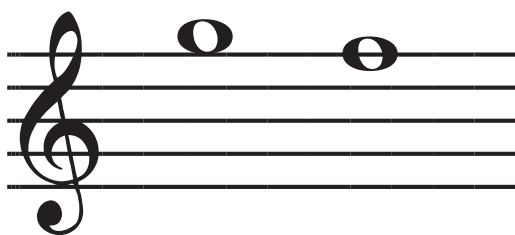
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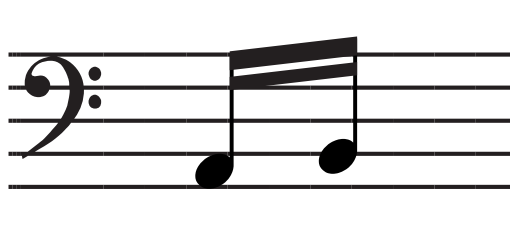
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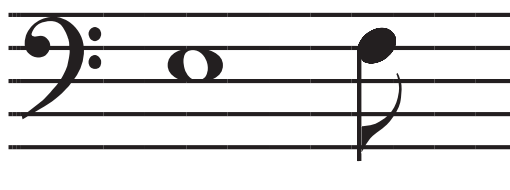
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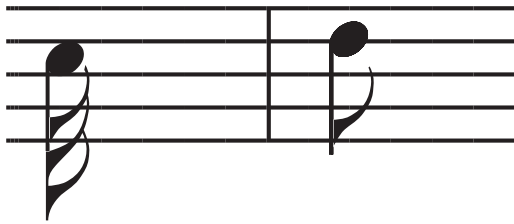
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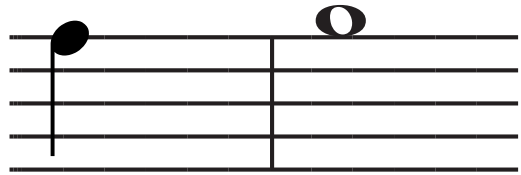
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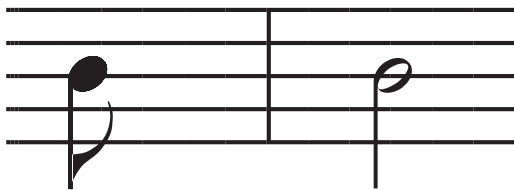
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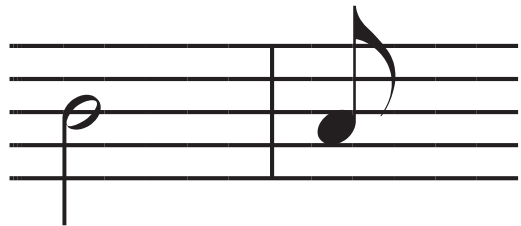
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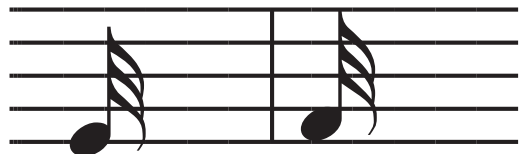
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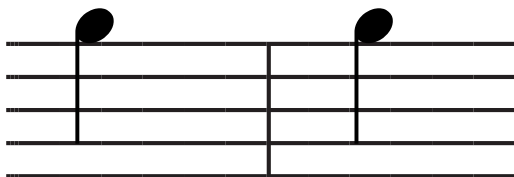
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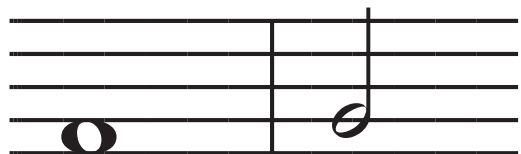
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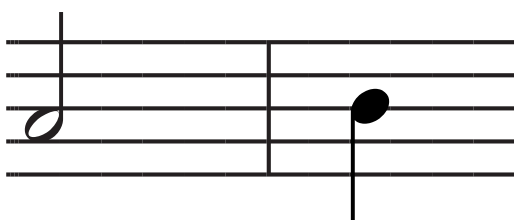
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