

DIAGNOSTIC 1

Directional Interval Reading

Instructions

- 1. Tell the student that the staff system without a clef allows you to place your five fingers on any five white notes. The lower staff is for the left hand. The upper staff is for the right hand.**
- 2. Have the student play the three sets.***

** If the student has difficulty in performing this task, demonstrate the first example in Set 1:
“left hand finger 2 starts on any note; the next note is down a second
because it is on the next line – a space to a line is a second.”*

- If your student can play these examples without hesitation, proceed to Diagnostic 2.
- If your student cannot play these examples, stop the testing and place the student in SightPlay Orientation.

SAMPLE

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Set 1

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Set 2

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Set 3

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