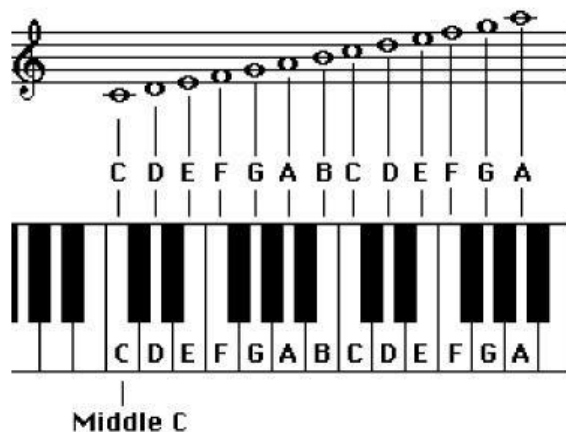


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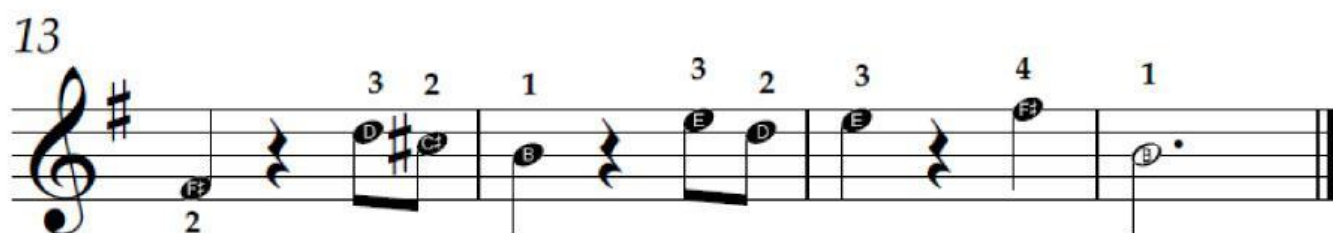
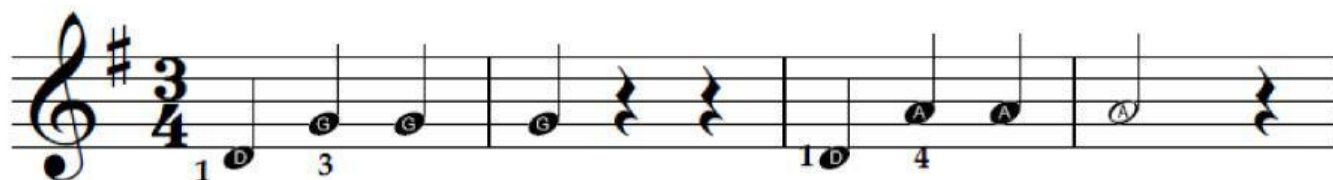
If you like, try this simpler version of the melody and make sure you can play this confidently with the correct counting and fingering. When you have done that, have a go at the whole melody.



Try some note naming practice [HERE](#)

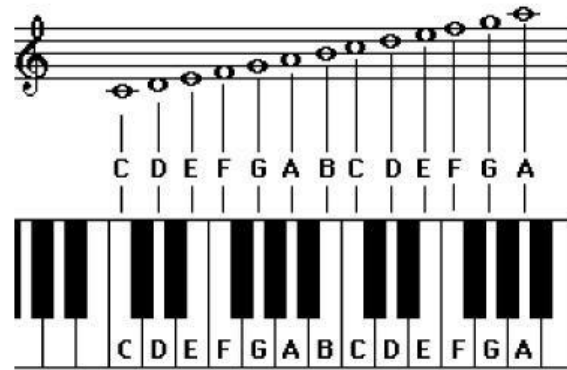
Simple Melody

4 bars intro



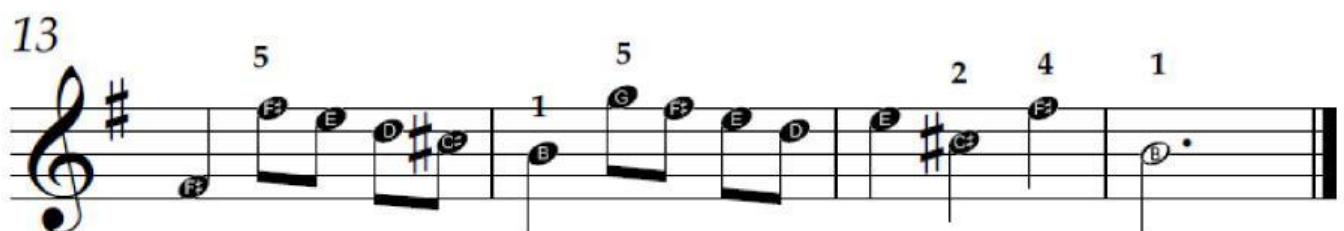
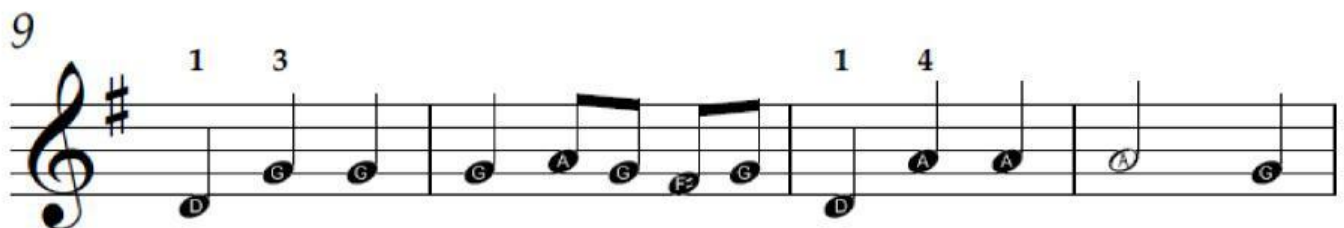
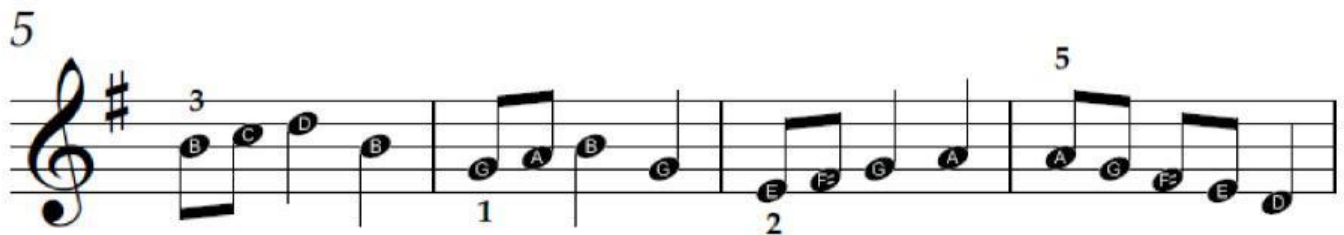
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Have a go at the full melody, making sure you are using the correct fingering. If you manage this, try the piano part on the next page, or team up with a partner and do it as a duet.



Melody

4 bars intro



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Simple piano/ duet

4 bars intro

First system of musical notation (bars 1-4). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 3/4. The melody in the treble clef starts on D4, moves to G4, then A4, and ends on C5. The bass line in the bass clef consists of two chords: G3-B2 and G3-G2. Fingering numbers 1, 3, 1, and 4 are indicated above the treble staff.

Second system of musical notation (bars 5-8). The melody continues from the previous system. Fingering numbers 3, 1, 2, and 5 are indicated above the treble staff.

Third system of musical notation (bars 9-12). This system repeats the first four bars of the piece. Fingering numbers 1, 3, 1, and 4 are indicated above the treble staff.

Fourth system of musical notation (bars 13-16). The melody concludes with a half note on C5. Fingering numbers 5, 1, 5, 2, 4, and 1 are indicated above the treble staff.

Full piano

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8

15

22

29

33

f

ff

The musical score is written for piano in G major (one sharp) and 2/4 time. It consists of six systems of two staves each. The first system begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The second system starts at measure 8. The third system starts at measure 15 and includes a piano (*p*) dynamic marking. The fourth system starts at measure 22. The fifth system starts at measure 29. The sixth system starts at measure 33 and includes a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic marking. The piece concludes with a double bar line at the end of the sixth system.