

Syncopated Notes

Notes played between the main beats of a measure and held across the beat are called **syncopated notes**

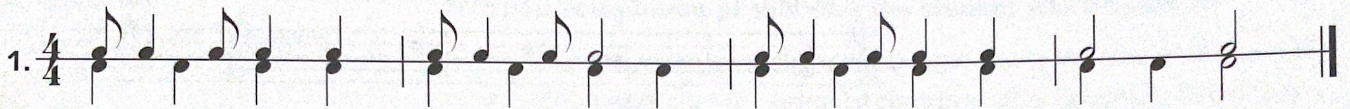
first quarter is syncopated



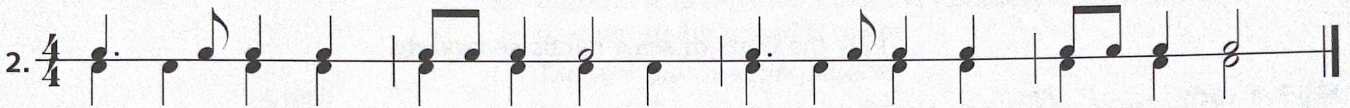
RHYTHM READING

Tap the following rhythm patterns using RH for notes with stems going up and LH for notes with stems going down. Tap hands separately first, and then hands together, always counting aloud.

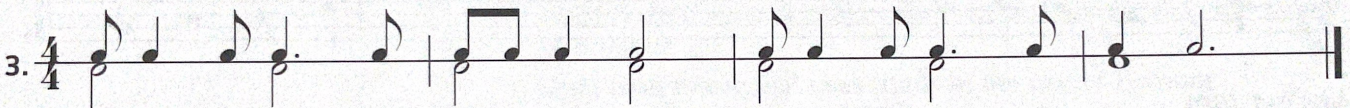
3-4 (53)



3-5 (54)



3-6 (55)



1. Practice with metronome ♩ = 140
2. Always count out loud.