

INTRO TO MUSIC NOTATION

ledger line notes

Ledger (or leger) **line** notes are pitches **above** or **below** the **stave**, as seen here:



Some instruments commonly read many ledger line notes, such as the flute. It can play up to three Cs above Middle C. It looks like this -

Applaud the flautists in your class!



1. Write the note names in the **treble** clef.

D C B — — —

G A — — —

2. Write the note names in the **bass** clef.

F E — — —

B C — — —

A word on ledger line notes:

The ledger line is the line that you place the 'note head' on, above or below. The lines should be evenly spaced from the stave, as they are an extension of the stave.

