

# Music Basics

## Lesson 6

### Time Signatures



Time signatures are those numbers you see on the staff at the beginning of a song. When you see these numbers:

**4**  
**4**

What does the top number tell you?

What does the bottom number tell you?

Here's another example of a time signature:

**2**  
**2**

What does the top number tell you?

What does the bottom number tell you?

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Here's one more example:

**6**

**8**

What does the top number tell you?

What does the bottom number tell you?