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Name _____ Date _____

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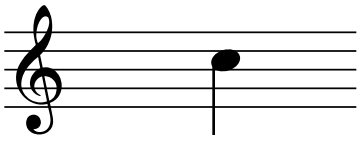
A Treble clef

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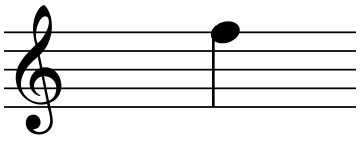
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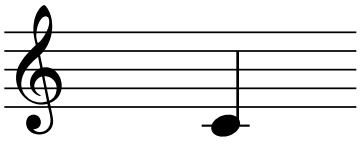
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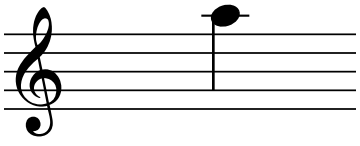
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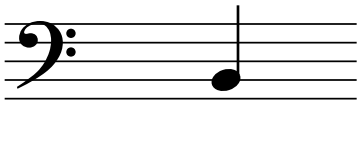
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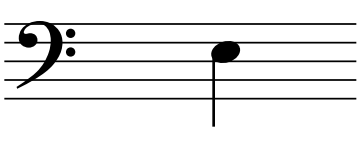
B Bass clef

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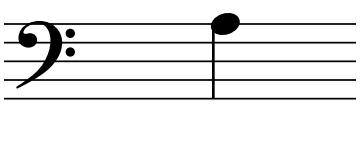
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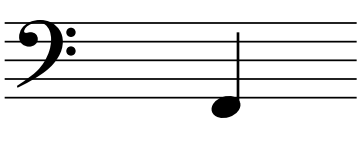
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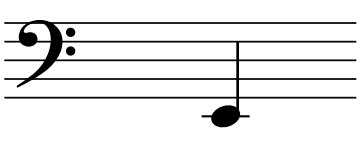
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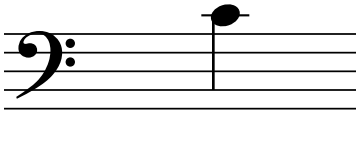
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11.



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12.



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C Connect the clefs

13. Which two examples show middle C? _____

14. Is every ledger-line note named C? Use an example to explain.

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ANSWER KEY Sample wording is acceptable where noted.

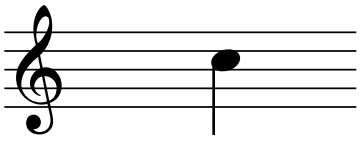
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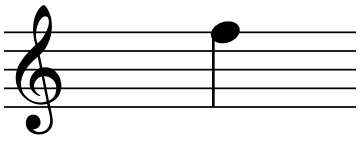
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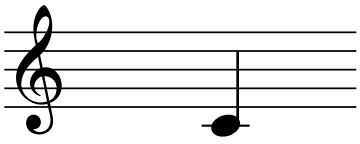
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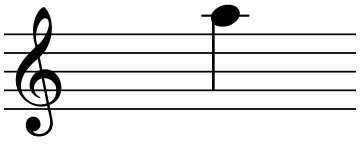
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G

2. 
C

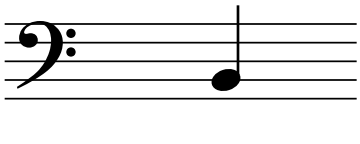
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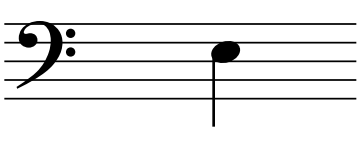
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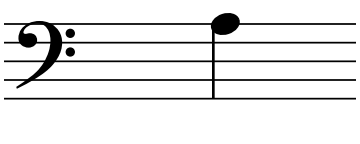
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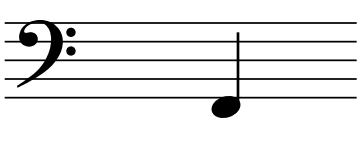
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A

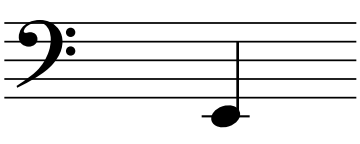
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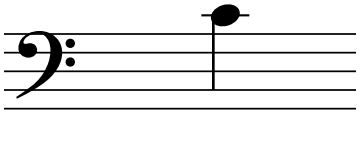
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No. Example 6 is A; example 11 is E. Ledger lines continue the staff.