Teaching Suggestions

1. To use as flash cards, hold cards up one at a time showing the ‘notes’ side and ask students to tell what the name of the note is before showing the other side.

2. Shuffle the cards and spread them out on the floor, ‘notes’ side up. Ask the student to sort them into eight groups of matching letter-names. Count how many seconds it takes.

3. ‘Guessing Game’ for groups of students: Each student needs some manuscript and a pencil. Place the cards in a pile, ‘letter’ side up. Students ‘guess’ what the note is going to be and draw the note. Those with the most correct guesses win. One point for each correct guess.

4. Note Names ‘Snap.’ Shuffle the cards. Hold the cards close to you so that the backs cannot be seen. Slide the top card away so that the card underneath can be seen. If both cards share the same letter name, the student(s) call out ‘snap.’

The first ten pages of Flash Cards are the fronts. Print these out and keep them in their original order. The next ten pages are to be printed on the backs of these. Be sure to keep them THE SAME WAY UP so that the tops and bottoms remain the same. To protect your flash cards, they should be laminated. Once laminated, trim the excess laminate from the sides and cut the cards in half. You will now have a set of 20 Flash Cards.
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