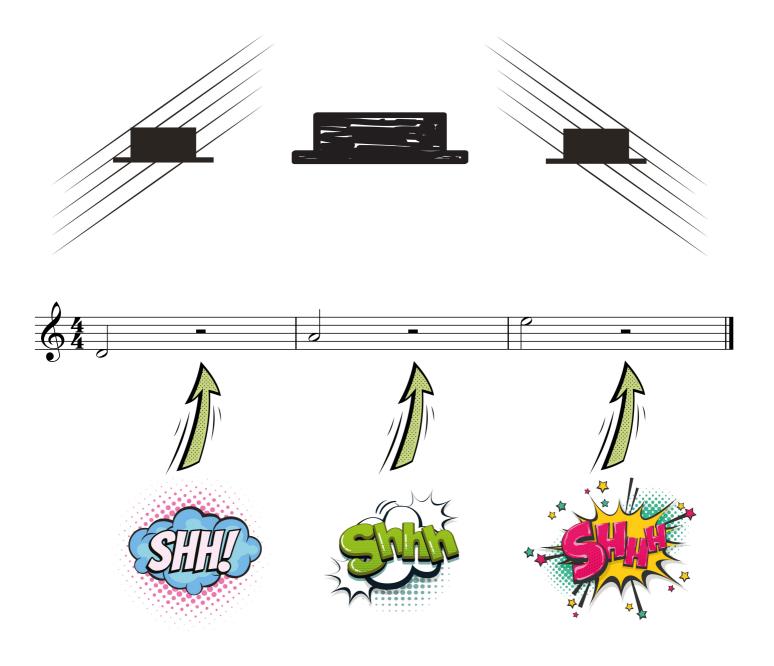
Minim Rest / Half Rest



The little rectangle that sits atop the middle line of the stave is a minim rest, or half rest

It means there is silence for the same duration as a minim, or half note