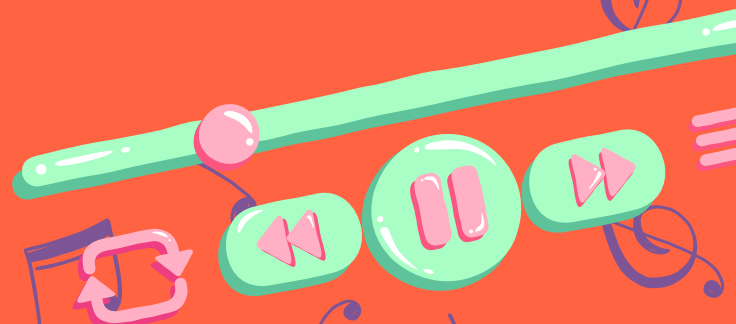




T3.001



We're now organizing HUNTER's CARDSET using the letters M.A.T.R.I.X. Each letter has four rows—M1, M2, M3, M4—and each row contains seven sub-cards, labeled M1.001, M1.002, M1.003, and so on up to M1.007. This card arrangement is inspired by Niklas Luhmann's note-taking method, and we encourage you to create your own cards in each row. Download the 7 cards from the link below, and let's build them together!





T3.001: The First Note

Overview:

This card introduces the first step of music creation: finding the first note. It's the beginning of the musical journey, and every melody starts with one simple sound.

Activity:

- **Step 1:** Close your eyes and hum your favorite song. What does the first note sound like? Try to imagine where the note takes you.
- **Step 2:** Play around with humming different tunes until you find a note that feels good to you. This will be your "first note" for your own song.

Basic Music Theory Link – Notes:

What are Notes?

Notes are the building blocks of music. Each note has a name (like C, D, or E) and a sound. The first note you choose is like the first word in a story. In this step, we're focusing on finding that first "word" to begin your musical sentence.

Practical Tip for Educators: Explain to children that each note has a different pitch. Some notes are high, like a bird singing, while others are low, like thunder rumbling.



Example from Hunter:

Hunter found his first note by singing about the snow falling in his town. His first note sounded like a soft "la," like a snowflake gently touching the ground.

Simulated Music Score:



C4 - 1st Note

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Reflection:

What does your first note make you think of? Does it remind you of a sound you hear often?

Creative Resources:

- **Music:** Listen to *Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star* and identify its first note.
- **Art:** Draw your "first note" as a shape or color—what does it look like to you?
- **Science:** Discover how sound travels by learning about the science of vibrations.