Learning Your Music Beyond Measure

You CAN be prepared!

Learn how to analyze music and use notation tools to improve your barbershop skills.

No theory knowledge needed!

You don't have to know how to read music to join!

We will teach you!

1. Step 1 – Prep your chart

Name

Page x of y

Key Signature

Scale steps

2. Step 2 – Define your part

Highlight your notes

3. Step 3 – Clarify your lyrics

Highlight your lyrics.

Pay special attention to where they may be different!

4. Step 4 – Spell Chords

If you need to, write in the letters

Bracket octaves

ID Root/Five

ID 'rubs'

5. Step 5 – Part Specifics

Tenor, below the lead, flatted 7th, half steps

Lead, Pick ups, 1-3

Bari, above the lead

Bass, Pick ups