NYSMTA – DISTRICT 4
Ear Training Test - Level Four
Sample Dictations: Question #4 on Ear Training Test

<u>Ear Training Test Question as it appears on the exam:</u>

4. Notate the 4-bar melody on the staves below. You will be given the starting note, the meter (3/4 or 4/4) and the major key (up to 4 sharps and 4 flats) to notate. The melody will contain intervals no larger than a 3rd, and rhythmic values of a quarter, half, dotted-half, 8th, dotted quarter, and 16th notes and equivalent rests. Each bar, including its bar line, is worth 4 points. Correctly drawn time and key signatures are worth one point. The melody will be played through in its entirety. Then each bar three times, including all previous bars (*bar 1 three times, bars 1-2 three times, bars 1-2-3 three times, etc.),* then the whole melody two more times at the end. (15 points)

Teachers! I invite you to write samples of your own following the above specification and share them with fellow teachers.
Please feel free to call or email me with any questions:
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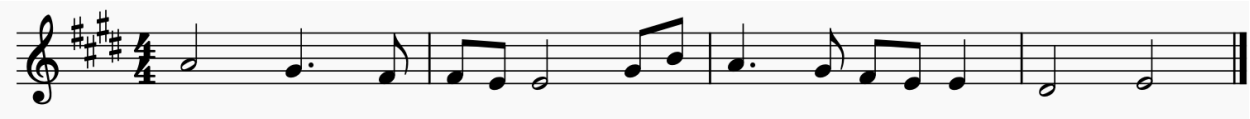
<u>Sample #1</u>:



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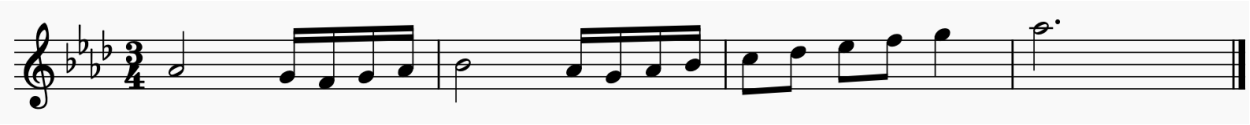

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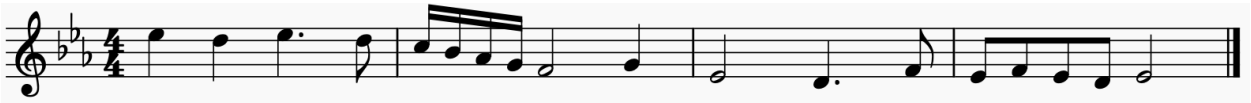
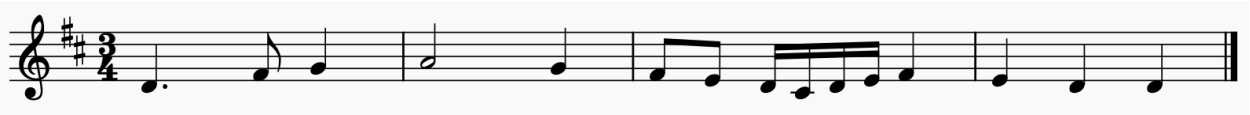
<u>Sample #4</u>: