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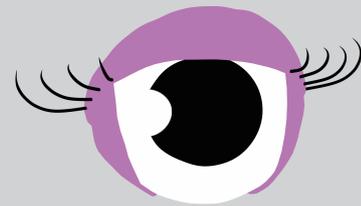
La is on the line.

Narrator: Once upon a time there was a little blue boy.
He was always alone, in between two lines. One day when he woke up by himself once again, he heard someone weeping above him.
La was really happy that there was someone else.
But she kept weeping. La also started weeping with her without knowing why.

*Two notes are weeping
The little girl wait for him to stop crying, and ask :*

MI : Why are you crying?
LA : I don't know. Because you are crying. But why are you crying?
MI : I'm lost.
LA : You are?
MI : I lost my friends.
LA : Friends???
MI : Yes, friends. How about you?
LA : I don't know. I have been alone for a long time.
Mi : Alone??? ??? so you are lost as well, aren't you?
Narrator: LA La looked up wonderingly and said after a pause.
LA : I love to sing. Do you love to sing as well?
MI : Oh Yes !!!

La, and Mi start singing.



La and Mi are bored on the lines. They hear the voices of children playing. La and Mi look left and right but nobody is there. They look at each other and gradually become sad. And then they hear the voices of children again. They look in the direction of the voices with surprise. They find Re and Do playing together under the line.

Re and Do are laughing

La : Who are you guys?

Narrator: Do and Re were so absorbed in their game that they didn't listen.

La : Oi!

Re and Do are absorbed in their playing.

Mi : Oi! (with bigger voice)

Re and Do finally stop playing and look up at La and Mi. They become quiet for a moment but quickly start playing again, and while playing disappear screen right.

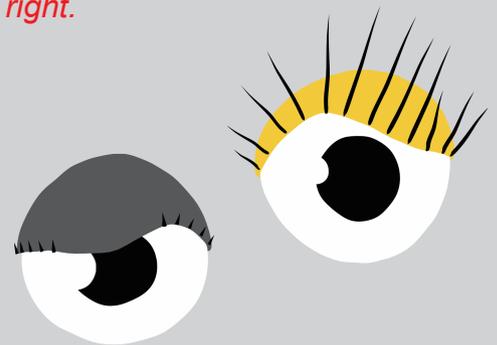
Mi : Mi: Haaa (sigh) Those two friends are just alike...

La : Friends?... What should I do to become friends?

Mi : Wait...

La : Wait for what ?

Mi : Just wait.



La looks at Mi suspiciously and says after a pause...

La : You know what? We can slide here!

Mi : Slide?

La : Yes! Look at me!

La starts sliding on the line. Mi copies him, laughing a little.



La : We can swing as well.

La starts swinging on the line. La comes close to the camera and goes further away, swinging. Mi tries to do the same but she can move just a little. So La swings his swing with full power, so that he goes all the way round, sending Mi swinging.

La : Do you think those two like to sing?

Do and Re join them. Do, Re, La and Mi start singing.

Ti, sitting between La and Mi, sings.

Ti: Ti...Ti...

Narrator: La and Mi was sound asleep. They wouldn't wake up. But, suddenly...

Ti looks at them and says :

Ti: Ah! I thought you two would never wake up.

La: Are you... are you Ti?

Ti: Yes, I am Ti.

Mi, still crying.

Ti looks at Mi and says :

Ti: Why are you crying?

La: Mi lost her friends.

Ti: Lost?? Friends is not something we lose. Even if our friends are not beside us, they are still with us in our heart.

La: In our heart? What do you mean?

Mi: (Stops crying) Why are you here?

Ti: I was looking for other musical notes to sing together with

La: (Happily) Can you sing with us?

Ti: Actually, I'm not sure.

Mi and La: Oh Please ! sing with us!

Ti: Alright. So let's do that. Sing something for me!

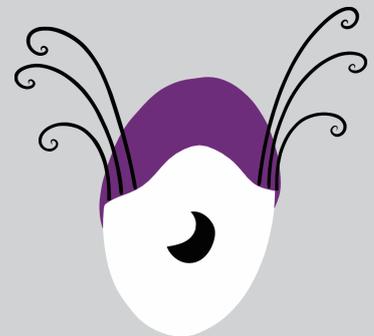
Mi and La: La mi, la mi

Ti: Hm. That's not bad.

But can you really sing a whole song ?

Mi and La: Oh sure !

Ti : Ok ! let try to sing together !



La, Mi and Ti start singing.



EPISODE 4 : Meet So

THEME : Friends is a thing to share



Narrator: So and Fa were walking on their own lines. All of a sudden they heard another musical note singing.

Mi: Mi.Mi,Mi...

Fa looks left and right to find where the singing is coming from. So starts running to screen left (with camera move), finds another musical note.

Mi: (speaking to the others) Ah! It's So!

Mi: (speaking to So) So! So!

So:: (looking at Mi) Ah! I found you! We have been looking for you, where have you been?

La; (looking at So and looking around) We?

Mi: Well... actually... I have something to tell you... (looking at So and looking around) By the way... Where is Fa? So looks around himself.

So::Ah! He disappeared again! (Looking at Mi reflexively after a pause) By the way, what do you have to tell us?

Mi is looking at La happily.

Mi: I... have found a new friend!

La looks at Mi with surprise and looks left and right, and tries to find who Mi is talking about.

Mi: This is La.

Mi indicates to La by looking in his direction ('pointing finger')

La looks at Mi with surprise and then looks at So happily. So starts running towards La.

So: Amazing! A new friend!

So jumps on the line and bumps into La who is smiling shyly. So bumps into La again but a bit strongly, so La loses balance.

Mi: Watch out!

La: (shyly) But I don't understand.. We have to wait to become friends, don't we?

So: Right. It's very important to wait. But the other important thing is to share!

La becomes sad

La: To share? But... I have been alone here for a long time. What can I share?

So is looking down with confusion.

So: Alone?

Mi: Yes. La was alone when I met him but we are friends now.

La: But how do you know we are friends?

Mi: Of course I know that!

La looks at Mi wonderingly.

So: (looking at Mi) Can La sing?

Mi looks at La and smiles.

La: (looks at So and coughs to get his attention) Ahem!

La and Mi and So start singing a new song together.



EPISODE 5 : Whole Note Rest

THEME : I like Silence.



La, Mi, Sol and Si are sleeping at their own positions.

Narrator: Here come Do and Re. As usual, they were playing together under the line.

Mi: Ah, here they are!

Re and Do are making a lot of noise, playing and shouting.

Mi: Oiii!

Do and Re don't stop, they keep playing as though nothing had happened.

Mi: It seems impossible to make them be quiet. They really are good friends.

La looks at Mi and then at Do and Re.

Suddenly they hear something.

Voice: Hic! (Like Hiccup)

Re and Do stop making a noise. All of the notes are amazed and wonder at this.

Re and Do start making noise again. But again they hear something.

Voice: Hic!

They find a strange mark on the line.

Do and Re get upset about being made to stop talking, and leave.

Mi: Who are you?

Strange Mark: I'm Whole Note Rest.

Mi: Since when have you been here?

Whole Note Rest: I don't know. I fell asleep... And then... I was here when I woke up.

They all look at each other.

La: Can you sing?

Whole Note Rest: Nope. Because I'm Whole Note Rest.

La: Whole Note Rest?

Whole Note Rest: Yes. Whole Note Rest.

La: What do you mean?

Whole Note Rest doesn't say anything.

Si: I know about Whole Note Rest very well. It makes silence.

Whole Note Rest: That's right. I have always been like this since I was little.

Si: But his problem is that he can't control when he does it.

La looks at Si and then looks at Whole Note Rest curiously.

Sol: (starts singing above them) Eh! I can't believe that! I'd like to see that! Sol!

La turns to look at Mi and then looks at Whole Note Rest again.

Whole Note Rest: Hic!

Sol: Sol!

Whole Note Rest: Hic!

And then all of a sudden Sol stops singing. La is surprised and turns to look at Sol.

Sol: Wow, how interesting! I'm singing but I can't make a sound!

La, Mi and Si burst into laughter and Whole Rest also starts laughing.

Mi: Please, can you stay with us?

Whole Note Rest: But I'm not useful for anything.

La: But me, I like silence very much.

Mi: Please, let us listen to the silence.

Song starts with the long silence of the Whole Note Rest.

La: For sure, I really like the silence.



Narrator: This time, La woke up first. Surprised, he found a new note sleeping beneath So.

La is surprised and tries to wake Mi up without waking the others.

La: (with a small voice) Mi... Mi...

Mi finally wakes up and looks at La and then sees Fa

Mi: (with surprise) Fa!

The other notes also wake up, surprised.

So: Fa, where were you?

Fa: (shyly) I'm not too sure.

La: Fa?

Mi: (looking at Fa) It's Fa! How funny, we have been looking for each other!

So: At last we can sing all together..

La: (looking at Mi) But why are you always looking for each other?

So: (looking at Fa) Let's sing our song! So ~

So starts singing but Fa is miles away and forgets his turn.

So: Ahhh, we can't start if you always forget your turn.

Do and Re come back, quarrelling, and stop So from singing.

Fa is glad and looks at Do and Re.

Other notes seem a bit irritated, looking at them moving constantly.

Mi: Ah! Again!

Si: We are used to seeing them passing by

So: They never stop here but we always feel close to them.

Si: Just like friends!

La looks at Si, surprised, and ponders.

La: (talking to himself) Friends?

Mi: I suppose they are also getting used to us, aren't they?

La (looking at Mi): Getting used to us?

So: Sure. I think they also feel they are with us, just like we do.

Do and Re stop as though nothing has happened. All the others are surprised.

Do and Re: Fa! Let's sing our song!

So: (looking at Fa) Your song?

Fa looks at So a bit shyly.

Do and Re: Hey Fa, Let's Sing!

So: I'm So, what are your names?

Do and Re: (after a long pause) Do, Re.

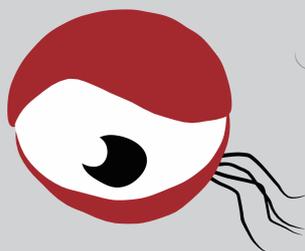
Nobody could understand their names because they speak at the same time.

Mi: Have you two ever sung songs together with Fa?

Fa: (shyly) Yes.

Do and Re: (bluntly) Yes

Do and Re start singing. Fa also sings with them. All the others are dancing along to the rhythm of the melody.



EPISODE 7 : Mi finds out that she can move Octave

THEME : I exist because my friends exist



La, Mi, Si, Fa, So and Whole Note Rest are each on their lines. As usely, Do and Re arrive, quarrelling. The others look down (because Do and Re are usually below them) but Do and Re appear from screen top right (between Si and Mi). They are so absorbed playing that they bump into Mi.

Mi: (angrily) Hey!

Mi: (surprised at what Do and Re did) What are you doing there? How did you change lines?

Do and Re don't reply and keep on moving between lines, bumping into Si.

Si: Oi!

Mi: (talking to herself with a small voice) They used to be below us but now they are above us... That means... Can I also go down?

Mi builds up momentum to jump down. The other notes get scared and try to stop her.

All other notes: Stop it!

Mi jumps to the bottom lines and then falls from the screen.

Fa also leans and then falls (bottom left) just as Mi did.

The other notes get scared and look down but they can't see anything. They are sad that Mi and Fa disappeared but the lines bounce and they come back. When they bounce the other notes lose balance and fall over.

Mi settles down in the middle of the bottom line. Other notes burst into laughter one after another.

Mi: Wow, I changed.

La: Changed? You haven't changed.

Mi: That's not true! You are all above me now! Listen listen, I will try to sing. Mi... (low).

Mi laughs happily.

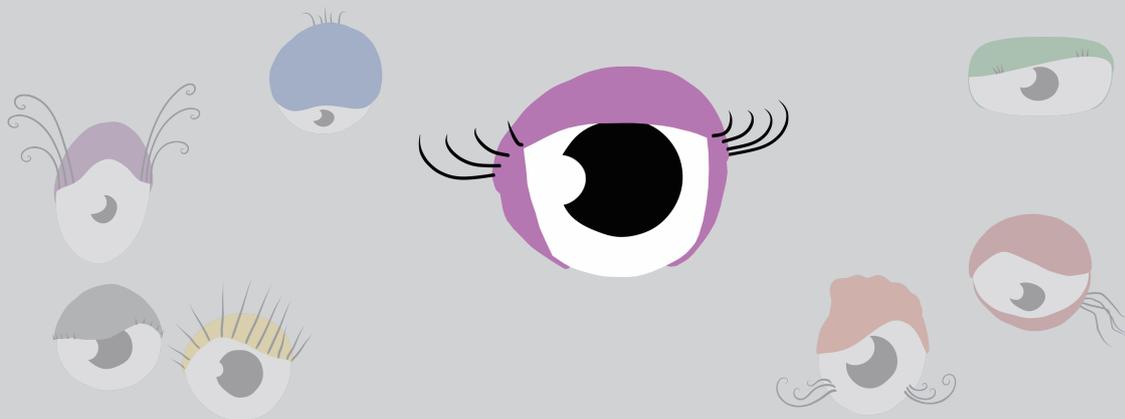
So is looking for Fa : Where is Fa ?

Mi starts singing a new melody with low Mi. Mi jumps quickly from line to line (low Mi and high Mi)

So said to REST : do you want to come with me to looking for Fa ?

REST: If I can help you ...

SO and REST jump and fall from the screen. They don't come back. The others notes, speechless, are looking each other.



EPISODE 8 : Accidental sharp

THEME : What is normal ?



The musical notes are all together . Do and Re are quarrelling as usual.

Mi : (angrily) Phoooo!

DO crashes into RE. And then a strange mark “Sharp” appears above the head of Re.

Re : It hurts !

All the the others starts laughing.

Mi: (laughing) You have got a strange thing above your head!

Re tries to look above his head but he can't.

Re: What? I can't see anything.

Do bursts into laughter and Re becomes annoyed. Re shoves Do and then Sharp appears above Do's head as well.. Re starts laughing.

Mi bumps into Si playfully. And then “Flat” mark appears above the head of Si.

Si: (angily) What did you do?! You broke my voice! (trying to sing) Si—(flat) ~

She is shocked to discover that she has this new voice for the first time

Si: Wow! This voice is also very pretty!

Do and Re: Do (sharp) ~ Re (sharp) ~ . Our voices are also strange!

Do (trying to sing again) Do ~ Ahhh. It went back to normal.

La: What is normal?

Si: Si ~ Mine also went back to normal. Mi, please can you bump into me again?

La: Hey! What is normal?

Mi bumps into Si again and again.

Si: Si—(flat) ~ Si—(flat) ~ Si—(flat) ~ ! My voice became Si flat.

La: I can't understand what normal is at all.

Si: Do, La, shall we sing together?

Do and La: Yes! Sure!

Do and Si: Mi, Re, please help us.

La: But not so hard this time.

They all laugh. La starts singing looking into camera. Do and Si also sing. Song with sharp and flat and also without them.

La: But I'd still like to know what normal is.



EPISODE 9 : Chord

THEME : There are some things we can't do by ourselves



Narrator: As usual, the notes were waking up slowly. when suddenly ...
SOL, FA and rest come back, jumping in their own position.
All the notes are very surprise.

Si: Where did you go ? I thought that you will never come back !
SOL, FA and rest laugh together.
They start to sing together happily, jumping and bumping into each other. They catch a melody and their singing and jumping and bumping escalates and suddenly Do and Mi and So fall into vertical alignment at the same time. And then a new sound is born.. Chord. All of the notes are surprised and suddenly stop singing. Do and Mi and So look at each other and sing together at the same time.

All others: Waaa!
Do and Mi and So start laughing, satisfied.
Do tries to sing by himself.

Do: Eh? Why can't I do that?

La: Maybe you can't do that by yourself.

Do looks at La grumpily

Re, Fa, La together: Let's try it as well!!

Re, Fa and La jump (move) sideways into vertical alignment... Chord of Re

The six notes are laughing and and sing Chord of Do (major chord) and chord of Re (minor chord) alternately.

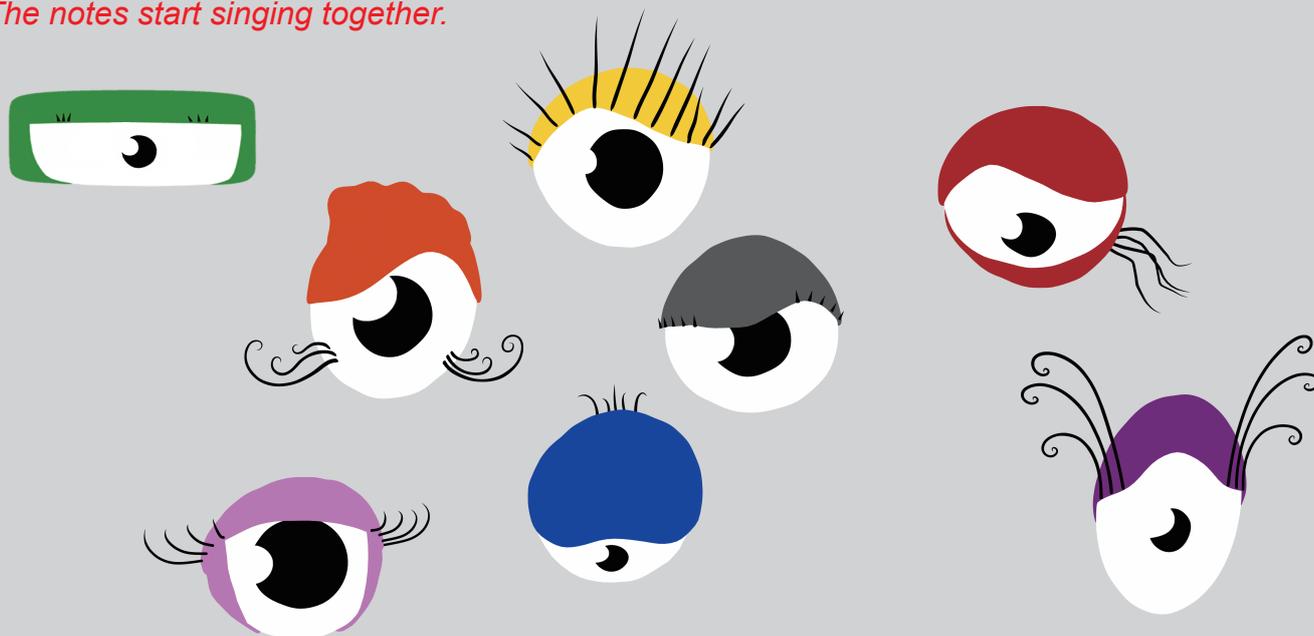
Si stays at her line silently, only she is not laughing. She feels sad because she is left out.

Si: (suddenly) Si Si Si...

Re and La jump to Si and sing together, making another chord.

Mi and So swap with Re and La. Chord of Mi.

The notes start singing together.



La wakes up alone on his line. He is really confused.

Narrator: One morning La woke up all alone on his line. He looked left and right and up and down, and all around, but no one was there. Had this all been a dream? What if there was never any any Mi, at all? What if there were no friends... What if everything was just the same as before?

La became very sad, even sadder than before. He felt more lonely than before. He felt as though he would never be able to sing with the other notes.

Just then he thought he heard the voice of Mi. He looked up happily but he couldn't see anyone.

He said to himself, to cheer himself up, 'Even if it was all a dream, this line will always be Mi's line, and all these lines are the lines of my friends. The line of So will be So's line forever and Re's line is Re's'. These lines have a different meaning for La now, they are not just lines any more.

La sings very sadly looking up and down and left and right as if he was with the others. As if he can hear the others' voices.

