

Quick Straw Measurement Guide

Each number on this ruler measures 1 inch. Between the numbers, there are lines dividing the inches into smaller parts. The shortest lines along the bottom of the ruler divide each inch into its smallest parts called sixteenths ($1/16$). Along the top and bottom, the lines grow increasingly longer to indicate larger parts, like eighths ($1/8$), quarters ($1/4$), and halves ($1/2$).

Now that you understand the marks on a ruler, you can use the dotted lines below to help you measure, mark and cut your pan flute straws. Be sure to draw an X on the part of each straw past the marking to help you keep track of the pieces to throw out!

