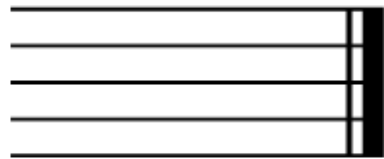




**Repeat signs:
The ROAD MAP to MUSIC
(keeps you from getting lost)**

WATCH FOR THE SIGNS!

**This sign means the piece
is OVER...STOP Here!**



**It is called a "Double Bar"
or "Double Bar Line"**



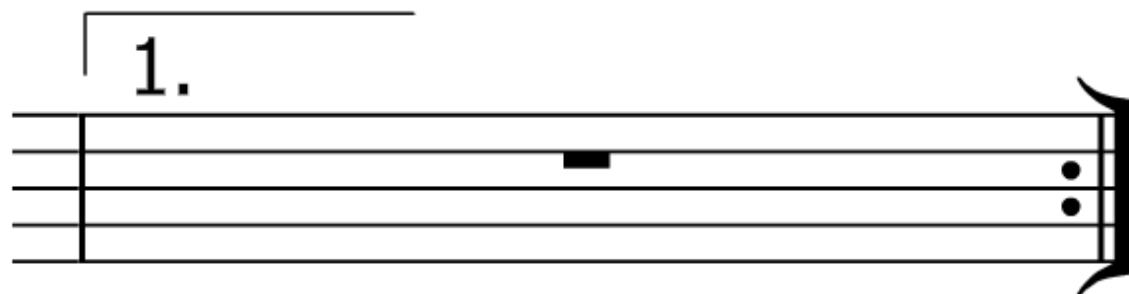
This forward repeat means that you will come back here later



This backward repeat sign means turn back now...either to the beginning of the piece or the forward repeat sign nearest if there is one



1st ending: do this 1st time only

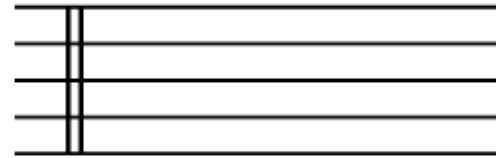


2nd ending: skip 1st ending. Perform this the 2nd time and go on



Advanced: Some music may have 3rd endings, 4th endings, endings such as "1., 3." and "2. 4." What would you do in these cases?

This is a "sign" §



Dal Segno

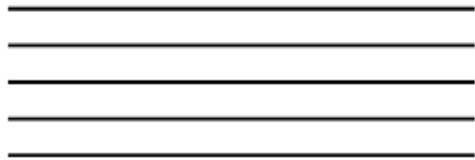
D. S. al Coda

Go back to the sign,
then skip to the Coda



This is the
Coda -
the tail
ending

D. C. al Coda



Da Capo

"the Head"

This means to go back to the beginning of the piece, then skip to the coda sign the second time.



By using the Italian word

Fine

A piece can end anywhere!

D. C. al Fine means go back to the
top, then end at "***Fine***"

D.S. al Fine means go back to the
sign, then end at the "***Fine***"