



**Staccato** - played short or detached

**Accent (horizontal)** - played louder than the notes around it

**Staccatissimo** - played even shorter than staccato (very short)

**Marcato (vertical)** - played louder than a regular accent  
(sometimes played shorter)

**Fermata** - to hold a note or rest for extra value

**Slur** - to play smoothly, connected (legato)

**Tenuto** - Hold full value; slight emphasis