Notation “Nutrition” – Let’s make a Percussion Pizza!

Another way to look at the difference between music notes is to think of them as different slices of pizza. A whole note (or a whole pie) would be a pizza that has yet to be sliced. Half notes would be the two parts of a pizza that has been cut in half. Quarter notes equal four cuts of pizza (or four quarters). Eighth notes are eight cuts, etc.
Cut out the following puzzle pieces and place them over the pizza pan template on the facing page. See how each note makes up an equal portion of our percussion pizza. Are you getting hungry?

Whole Note:
Half Notes:
Quarter Notes:
Eighth Notes:
Sixteenth Notes: