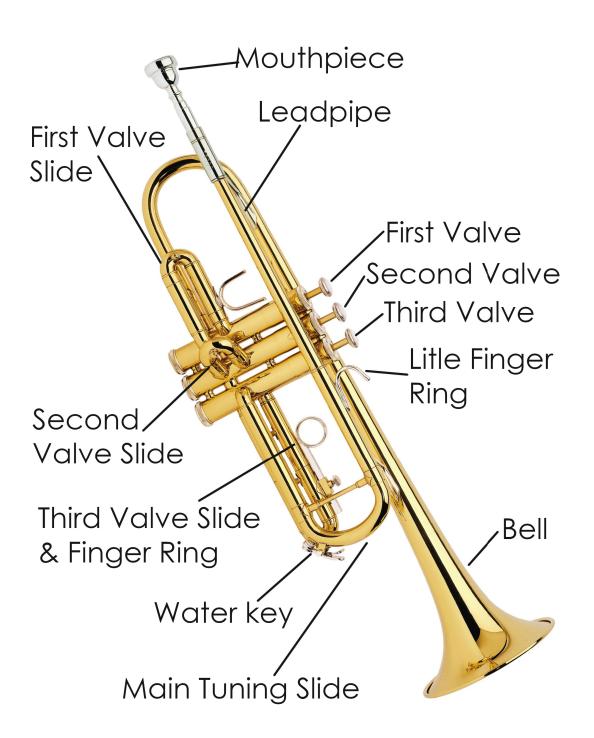
Parts of the Trumpet



Posture

- 1. Sit or stand in an upright and comfortable position
- 2. Set the music stand at eye level and slightly off to the left so that it doesn't block your bell.
- 3. Hold the trumpet with your left hand.
 - Place your thumb around the first valvecasing and fingers around the third valve casing.
 - Put your middle finger into the third valve slide ring.
- 4. Drop your right hand down by your side and imagine you are holding a drink bottle.
- 5. Bring your right hand hand up to the valves, place your fingers on top of the valves and make sure that you keep the shape of the drink bottle.
- 6. Place little finger on top of the finger ring.
- 7. Ensure that you bring the Trumpet up to your mouth and you don't change your posture by leaning forwards.

Breathing Exercise

When you breathe in always breathe in through the corners of your mouth, past the outside of mouthpiece

1. Breathe in for 4 beats Breathe out for 4 beats

2. Breathe in for 2 beats Breathe out for 4 beats

3. Breathe in for 1 beat Breathe out for 4 beats

Place the mouthpiece rim between your lips and try this exercise below



Creating an embouchure

1. Say mmmmm Make sure that your lips feel firm

2. Say mmmmm Then place the mouthpiece on your lips

3. Say mmmmm Then place the mouthpiece on your lips and release your

airstream through the

Mouthpiece

You should only hear air passing through the mouthpiece, no sound

4. Say mmmmm Breathe in through the corners of your mouth Then place

the mouthpiece on lipsand release your airstream through the mouthpiece. You should only hear air passing through

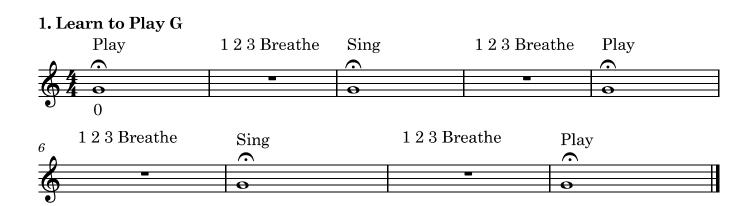
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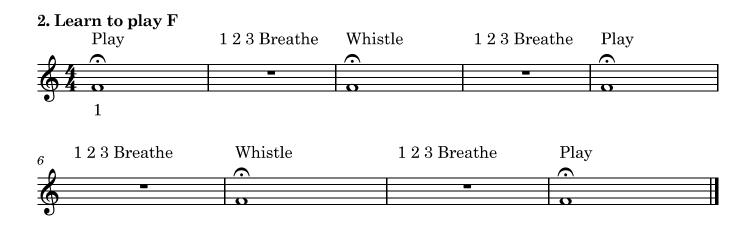
5. Say mmmmm Breathe in through the corners of your mouth then place

the mouthpiece on lipsand play a G

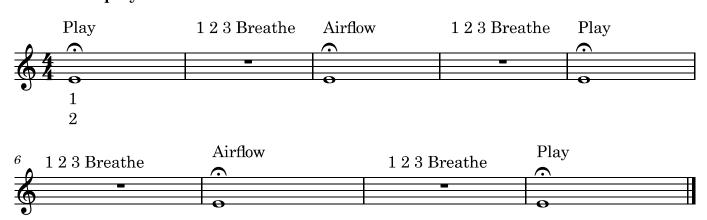
6. Repeat exercise 5 for every note that you know.

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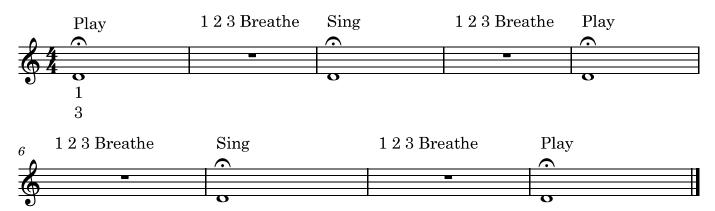




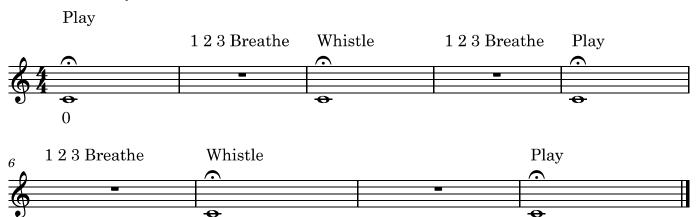
3. Learn to play E



4. Learn to play D



5. Learn to Play C

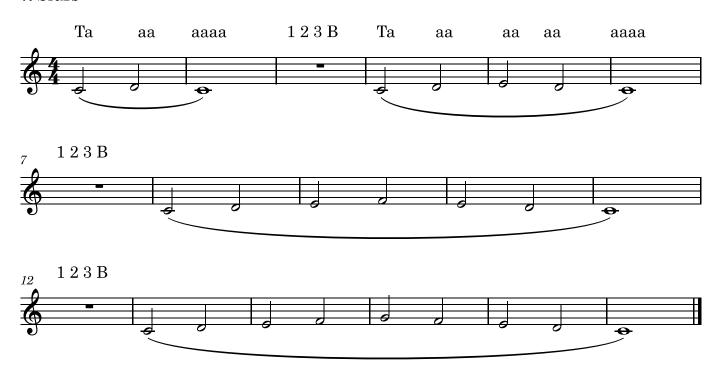


6. Scale

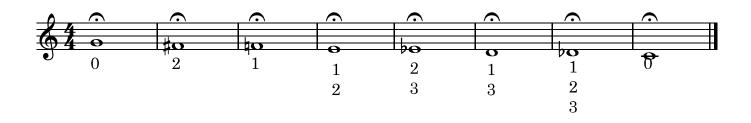




7. Slurs



8. Chromatic



9. Tonguing

