

Category: Scales

Title: EJ 1

Source: Taffanel and Gaubert 17 Daily Exercises for Flute (Please Purchase)

This is a very good exercise for all woodwind players. It is easy to memorize, and it helps a student solidify memorization of major scales.

Execution:

1. Starting on low D, the first line is a 5 note major scale.
2. The second line is in the key of Eb, but starts on D (the first note of the first line), and there is a turn at the end of the second line.
3. The third line starts on Eb, and is a 5 note major scale.
4. The fourth line is in the key of E, but starts on Eb, with a turn at the end.
5. Continue the pattern.



Tips for Success:

- Keep track of what you have done on the Warmup Tracking Sheet
- Set the bar high for yourself.

Modifications for other instruments: Flute start on D, Saxophone start on D, Clarinet on low E, Oboe D, Bassoon F