

Keyboard Skills

Feature	Definition
Riff	A repeated pattern
Bass Line	The lowest pitch part in a song (accompaniment)
Accompaniment	The backing parts. (they support the melody)
Bass line	Lowest pitched part
Chords	Two or more notes played at once
How do we find C on a keyboard?	C is to the left of the two black keys
What are the 3 steps to effective practice?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Repeat 2. Slow it down 3. Practice the hardest part
Playing accurately	Playing the correct notes
Playing fluency	Playing the notes in the right time, without gaps or hesitations
What are the notes of the keyboard?	<p>The diagram shows a section of a piano keyboard. Black keys are labeled with accidentals: D^b, E^b, G^b, A^b, B^b on the top row and C[#], D[#], F[#], G[#], A[#] on the bottom row. White keys are labeled with letter names: C, D, E, F, G, A, B, C.</p>
Which fingers do we use when playing the keyboard?	<p>The diagram shows two hands, labeled LH (Left Hand) and RH (Right Hand). Fingers are numbered 1 to 5 from thumb to pinky. A yellow banner at the bottom reads "INTRODUCING PIANO FINGERING".</p>