

Piano **suite** Classroom

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This lesson plan was written for use with Piano Suite Premier software, and is intended as a guideline and procedure for 1 week (6 hours) of music instruction. For specific information on Piano Suite Premier and how to purchase, please visit one of the following links:

<http://www.adventus.com/purchase/premier.html>

<http://www.adventus.com/purchase/bundle.html>

Lesson Overview

- The student will review the following song and make a score of “Excellent” and 85 % (or higher): “The Baseball Game (1)”.
- The student will practice the following piano exercises that are found in the Theory Topic “Lines and Spaces Below Middle C”, page ix - “Things to Practice”: 11, 09, 01 and 08, 07, 05. A score of “Excellent” will be made using the “Wait for Note” method.
- The following will be reviewed in the Theory Thinker: “Lines and Spaces below middle C” pages ii and iv.
- The student will get a score of “Excellent” and 85 % (or higher) on exercise 11, 06, 01 which is found in the Theory Topic “Lines and Spaces Below Middle C”, page viii - “Working Out Both Hands”.
- The student will play the “Grand Staff Battle” game.
- The student will achieve a score of “Excellent” on the following piano exercises that are located in “Things to Practice” in Theory Topic “Lines and Spaces below middle C”: 08, 07, 06 and 08, 06, 07.
- The student will complete Test #5.

Review Material

Song:

- The Baseball Game (1)

Piano exercises:

- 11, 09, 01; 08, 07, 05; 11, 06, 01; 08, 07, 06 and 08, 06, 07.

Theory:

- Lines and Spaces below middle C” pages i to iv.

Procedure

Open the Piano Player and practice the song “The Baseball Game (1)” until you are able to achieve a score of “Excellent”.

Practice the following piano exercises that are found in Theory Topic “Lines and Spaces Below Middle C”, page ix - “Things to Practice”: 11, 09, 01 and 08, 07, 05. You will make score of “Excellent” on both exercises using “Wait for Note”.

Review the following in Theory Thinker: ”Lines and Spaces below middle C”, pages ii and iv. Play the “Single Staff Note Placement” game until you are able to place the notes on the staff correctly 9 out of 10 times. ;-)

Practice until you can get a score of “Excellent” on exercise 11, 06, 01 which is found in Theory Topic “Lines and Spaces Below Middle C”, page viii - “Working Out Both Hands”. After you get a score of “Excellent”, practice the exercise using the “Notes and Timing” method to get a score of 85 % (or higher).

You can now play the “Grand Staff Battle” game. See how quickly you can locate the correct notes on the piano keyboard!

Practice to achieve a score of “Excellent” on the following piano exercises that are located in “Things to Practice” in the Theory Topic “Lines and Spaces below middle C”: 08, 07, 06 and 08, 06, 07.

Open the Piano Player and practice the song “The Baseball Game (1)” until you are able to receive a score of 85 % (or higher).

You will now write Test #5. Complete all of the questions on the test. Remember to write down the scores that you make within Piano Suite for this test. These scores can also be viewed as well as printed within Piano Suite’s “Profile” section.

Indicators of Success

- You make a score of “Excellent” and 85 % (or higher) on the song: “The Baseball Game (1)”.
- You make a score of “Excellent” on the following piano exercises that are found in Theory Topic “Lines and Spaces Below Middle C”, page ix - “Things to Practice”: 11, 09, 01 and 08, 07, 05.
- You place the notes on the staff correctly 9 out of 10 times when playing the “Single Staff Note Placement” game in the Theory Thinker: ”Lines and Spaces below middle C” pages ii and iv.
- You get a score of “Excellent” and 85 % (or higher) on piano exercise 11, 06, 01.
- You recognize many of the notes that appear on the staff above the game characters and perform them on the piano keyboard while playing the “Grand Staff Battle” game.
- You achieve a score of “Excellent” on the following piano exercises: 08, 07, 06 and 08, 06, 07.