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First Notes on Recorder

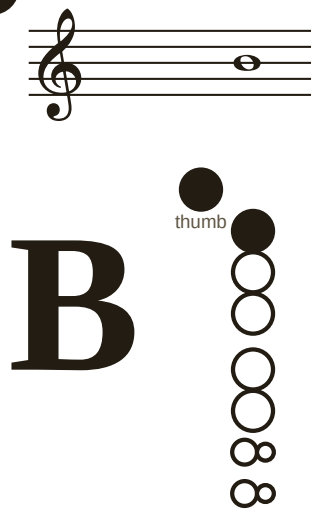
B, A, G, then C and D. Each note on the staff (stave), its letter, and the holes to cover.
Filled circle = cover the hole. The circle set to the left at the top is the thumb hole, on the back.

Scan to hear every note

Start here: B, then A, then G

One note at a time, in this order.

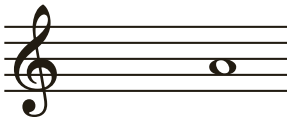
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B

Cover: thumb, 1

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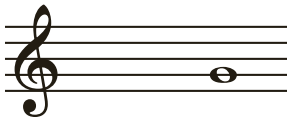


A



Cover: thumb, 1, 2

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G

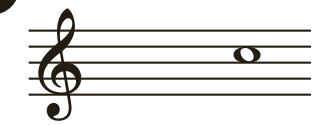


Cover: thumb, 1, 2, 3

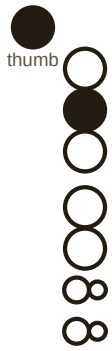
Next: C and D

Two more notes, and then many first tunes are yours.

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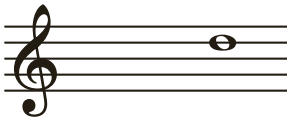


C



Cover: thumb, 2

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D



Cover: 2 (thumb hole open)

Practice

- Say the letter, then play it: B A G, then G A B.
- Blow gently, like breathing on glasses.
- Cover each hole with the pad of your finger, so no air leaks.
- First tune with B, A and G: Hot Cross Buns.

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