



Wigan Music Service Whole Class Instrumental Lessons at Home



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Listen Up!

In this lesson we will learn notes **B**, **C** and **D** on the guitar. These are the notes we use when we play **I've Gotta Feeling** by the Black Eyed Peas.

In the Video we discuss how to play notes **B**, **C** and **D** and how to practice playing these notes so that you will be able to play the guitar part for the song. After you have watched the video answer the questions below.

1. What string do we use for these 3 notes?
2. At which fret do we find the C?
3. At which fret do we find the D?

If you have your guitar practice 4 of each note like in the video.

Parents, this is the link to the video

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ljVykDcw-U>

Make Some Music



Once you have practiced notes **B**, **C** and **D** for **I've Gotta Feeling** let's try to play it! Just remember to play steady notes on the beat, ticking like a clock.

If you have your guitar:

1. Play **DDDD CCBB**
2. Now try eight **Cs** then eight **Bs** then eight **Cs**
3. Now put the above two parts together like this
DDDD CCBB CCCC CCCC BBBB BBBB CCCC CCCC

If you do not have your Guitar:

Watch the video in the Listen up section and see if you can sing the sound of a D, C and B.

Parents, there are also some really good apps and websites which allow you to play 'virtual guitar' these can be quite fun to use and try to play the notes written here.

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Investigate



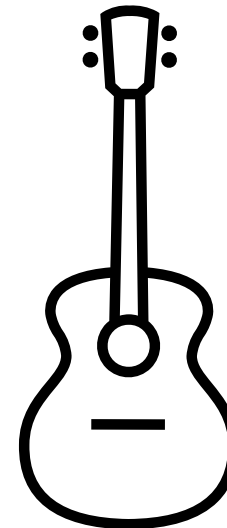
Watch the video again in the 'Listen up' section of the lesson then answer the following questions.

1. If you count from the string nearest to the floor which string is the bunny string 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6?
2. On the picture below which note is being played is it B, C or D



3. Which finger do we use to hold down the string to play a D 1st 2nd 3rd or 4th?
4. When we practice the notes should the **Pulse**?
 - a) Slow down
 - b) Stay steady
 - c) Speed up

More Fun



Here is a picture of a Bass Guitar. A Bass guitar sounds much lower in pitch than the guitar we use at school and it only has 4 strings.

Can you add some colour and design your own Bass Guitar.