MTB Grade 3 Cello



Scales from Memory

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(See MTB Cello Scale Bowing Patterns)

Metronome marks can be found on the next page. All tempi given are minimum speeds.

<u>Scales</u>

Eb major One octave

F major Two octaves

G major Two octaves

D minor Two octaves (harmonic <u>or</u> melodic)

<u>Arpeggios</u>

Eb major One octave

F major Two octaves

G major Two octaves

D minor Two octaves

Bowing

Scales: Play each scale with long tonics. Separate and slurred in pairs.

Arpeggios: separate and slurred in threes.

(See MTB Cello Scale bowing patterns)

Chromatic Scale

On G One Octave

Bowing: separate

Dominant 7th

In F major One Octave

Bowing: separate

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