



Tips for Getting Started

MusicLearningCommunity.com is an animated, multimedia, interactive music theory and ear training tool that is self-correcting, fosters independent learning and is available anytime, anywhere. When you look beyond the "games" you will see some serious learning going on!

Click Member Log-in and type your "teacher" user name and password.

Your "teacher" user name and password takes you to the Teacher Resource Center.

Click "Games and Learning Goals." Here you can view the skill or concept that each game addresses and you can click a link to play any game. Play some games and become acquainted with the comprehensive curriculum of music theory and ear training skills currently available. More games are added regularly.

This guide contains a picture of each game screen, the concepts and skills addressed in the game and the suggested level. When viewed online, a simple click on the words Learn, Play or Quiz takes you to the game.

Click File>Print to print this as a handy reference. This reference is about 20 pages long, so you may want to print it in "draft" mode to save ink.

Make weekly assignments of games that reinforce the skills you are teaching.

If students have regular computer lab time in your studio, you may wish to assign the Learn and Play levels of the games for them to play at home and then have them do the quizzes during lab time.

Encourage students to experiment with games you haven't assigned.

From the Learning Center, students can click on their level from Primary/1A through Level 5 and just the games for their level will be displayed.

If they wish to experiment with games in other levels, they can click another level or they can click "All Levels" which allows them to play any level of every game on MusicLearningCommunity.com-- over 350 in all.

Show students how to view their own online score report

Students can track their own progress by clicking "Score Report" on the Learning Center screen.

A note about Learning Goals

In order for students to become Lifetime Musicians, they must develop some very complex thought processes. The primary goal of MusicLearningCommunity.com is to help teachers accelerate their students' mastery of each musical concept as they reach higher levels of music literacy and confident performance.

Our games are designed to help students learn and demonstrate music skills by **hearing, reading, playing, and writing.**