

Lesson 8: The C Scale

1.

Diagram 1: Ukulele fretboard showing fingerings for notes c, d, e, f, g, a, b, c. Diagram 2: Musical staff showing the C scale notes (c, d, e, f, g, a, b, c) with solfège names (Do, Re, Mi, Fa, So, La, Ti, Do) written below.

Play Exercise 1 forward and backward, then choose a rhythm from Exercise 2 and play it on each note of Exercise 1. Continue until you've learned every rhythm in Exercise 2.

2.

Diagram 1: Musical staff showing rhythmic patterns labeled i, ii, iii, iv. Diagram 2: Musical staff showing rhythmic patterns labeled v, vi, vii, viii.

Here are some **more ways to practise** the C scale. Name each note as you play it.

3.

Diagram 1: Musical staff showing a rhythmic exercise for the C scale. Diagram 2: Ukulele fretboard diagram showing the final note (d) with a circled 4 indicating the finger used.

4.

Diagram 1: Musical staff showing another rhythmic exercise for the C scale.



PLAY BY EAR: **HOT CROSSED BUNS** AND THE CHORUS OF **JINGLE BELLS**; BOTH START ON THE NOTE E.