

# MUSIC AND THE BASSOON

## Unit 37

### 1. E Major Scale

Jensen

“Arpeggio” is an Italian word that means “harp-like”. A major arpeggio consists of the first, third, and fifth steps of the major scale played in any order.

### 2. E Major Scale & Arpeggio

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As you practice examples with sixteenth notes, be sure to take a tempo slow enough that you can use correct fingerings, and play with a beautiful tone, in tune, and with musical gestures. Practicing music sloppily will only make you better at sloppy playing.

### 3. Bb Major Etude

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As you slur the Eb octave, remember to use the slur fingering for the Eb3.

#### 4. Waltz of the Octaves

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#### 5. Stodola Pumpa

Czech Folk Song

Fine

Before playing this example, count the rhythm and clap the beat. Be sure to make a difference between dotted eighth-sixteenth and straight eighth note rhythms.

#### 6. The Golden Vanity

Anglo-American Ballad

## 7. The Battle Hymn of the Republic

William Steffe

Cantabile means “in a singing manner” in Italian.

## 8. Duet

Joseph Kuffner