Long Tones: Level 1

The focus of long tones is to concentrate on playing smoothly and freely, making a rich beautiful tone.

We are aiming to play them gently, with a big sound and lots of air.

Aim to play the long note for its full value, or as long as you can.



Practise these exercises at a medium tempo, not too fast, listening to each note, aiming to create a consistent sound.

Rest between each phrase for as long as you played. Remove trumpet from your lips.

