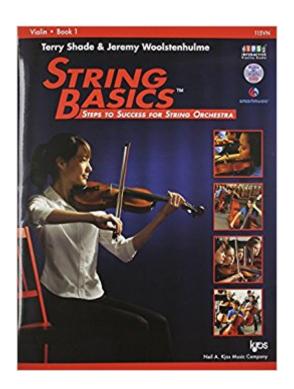
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# 115VN - String Basics: Steps To Success For String Orchestra Violin Book 1





## Synopsis

String Basics: Steps to Success for String Orchestra is a comprehensive method for beginning string classes. Utilizing technical exercises, music from around the world, classical themes by the masters, and original compositions, students will learn to play their string instruments in an orchestra. Step-by-step sequences of instruction will prove invaluable as students learn to hold their instrument and bow, finger new notes, count different rhythms, read music notation, and more. Clear, full-color photographs and fingering chart diagrams introduce playing positions, bow hold and bowing, and left hand finger patterns. Duets, rounds, trios, and orchestra arrangements develop student's ability to play in an ensemble setting right away. Duets are designed to strengthen ear training and establishing good information. Interactive Practice Studio is a unique and trendsetting downloadable resource containing a wealth of supporting biographical, historical, and cultural information; photos, maps, artwork, audio samples, video and more. It's designed with your students in mind. Fun - Inspiring - Motivating! Video Lessons offer students and teachers a comprehensive, step-by-step look at concepts taught throughout String Basics. Lessons are taught in a middle school classroom setting by authors Shade and Wolstenhulme. Lessons show special consideration for each instrument and one lesson is specially devoted to shifting for the bass. Theory & Composition offers students hands-on experiences to better understand what they see and hear by actually learning to notate music and compose simple melodic lines. The Teacher's Edition provides successful teaching strategies as they pertain to the material introduced throughout String Basics. The Strategies are divided into two categories: Performance and Musical Understanding. Through them, guidelines and guide- posts assist towards giving students a comprehensive experience in orchestra. Also available to teachers is the Interactive Teacher's studio, offering evenmore helpful tips and strategies.

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As an adult with no prior musical exposure whatsoever, this book w/ accompanying DVD has proven invaluable. It is a truly basic, step by step, straightforward & understandable guide to learning proper posture, terminology & notes, reading sheet music, and even concert etiquette. The videos also lend to the student/class experience right in my home. What a way to learn! One month of practice & I'm playing Beethoven!

My 5 year old is using this to continue learning violin. The DVD that comes with it is a really nice help, and the book is very clear. My daughter enjoys reading the music from here, and it is easy for mom to help. =)

This book is such a great book and also it is so easy to learn. Like you do not even have to have a teacher because this book teaches you everything and is super easy to understand. The authors really have a great understanding with teaching children especially like 6th graders because it is super easy to understand. I would reccamond this product to anyone because it is not a waste of money and I guarentee that you don"t even need a teacher because they have cds that are like interactive and you can learn a lot from that. Soon the authors are coming out with a book 2 and i will probaley be the first person to buy it. Please buy this product and you will never ever regretit!spyhammy'

This was the book my grand daughter needed for her 5th grade violin class. When she lost her original book, I checked, and voila! here it was! I was so grateful for the quick delivery of this replacement. She found this book to be very easy to follow. Recommended by us and her teacher!

This is one on the highest recommended training books for violin out there. The DVD program is great to get them practicing.

Great for beginner's!

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