

# Grade 5 scales - Double Bass

All scales are slurred 2 beats to a bow

E $\flat$  major scale - separate bows and slurred

1 - 1 4 - 2 4 2 - 4 1 - 1

G major scale - separate bows and slurred

1 - 1 4 - 1 - 1 4 - 2 4 2 - 4 1 - 1 - 4 1 - 1

F major scale - separate bows and slurred

1 1 - 1 4 1 - 1 4

B $\flat$  major scale - separate bows and slurred

1 4 - 1 4 1 - 4 1 - 4

C major scale - separate bows and slurred

1 - 2 4 - 1 4 - 1 4 1 - 4 1 - 4 2 - 1

F harmonic minor scale - separate bows and slurred

1 - 2 4 - 1 - 2 4 1 2 0 - 1 - 1 4 1 - 1 0 2 1 4 2 - 1 - 4 2 - 1

B $\flat$  harmonic minor scale - separate bows and slurred

1 - 2 4 - 1 - 2 4 1 2 - 1 2 - 1 4 1 - 2 1 - 2 1 4 2 - 1 - 4 2 - 1

C harmonic minor scale - separate bows and slurred

4 0 1 4 0 1 - 1 2 - 1 2 - 1 4 1 - 2 1 - 2 1 - 1 0 4 1 0 4

All arpeggios are slurred 3 notes to a bow

E $\flat$  major arpeggio - separate bows and slurred

III II I II III

2 1 - 4 4 4 - 1 2

G major arpeggio - separate bows and slurred

Use harmonics for the D and G if you like!

III II I II III

2 1 - 4 4 4 - 1 2

F major arpeggio - separate bows and slurred

IV III II I II III IV

1 1 - 4 1 1 4 - 1 1 0 - 1

B $\flat$  major arpeggio - separate bows and slurred

III II I II III

1 0 4 - 1 - 4 1 1 4 - 1 - 4 0 1

C major arpeggio - separate bows and slurred

III II I I II III

1 - 4 1 - 2 1 - 3 3 - 1 2 - 1 4 - 1 1

F minor arpeggio - separate bows and slurred

IV III II I II III IV

1 - 4 2 2 - 1 - 4 4 - 1 - 2 2 4 - 1 1

B $\flat$  minor arpeggio - separate bows and slurred

III II I II III

1 - 4 2 2 - 1 - 4 4 - 1 - 2 2 4 - 1 1

C minor arpeggio - separate bows and slurred

III II I I II III

4 1 - 1 1 - 1 - 3 3 - 1 - 1 1 - 1 4 4

**All Dominant 7ths are slurred 2 notes to a bow**

Dominant 7th in the key of F - separate bows and slurred

1 4 1 0 - 1

Dominant 7th in the key of A $\flat$  - separate bows and slurred

2 1 - 4 1 4 1 4 - 1 2

E Diminished 7th - separate bows

0 4 1 - 4 1 4 - 1 4 0

A Diminished 7th - separate bows

0 4 1 - 4 1 4 - 1 4 0

**All chromatic scales are slurred 3 notes to a bow**

D chromatic scale - separate bows and slurred

0 1-1 2 4-0 1-1 2 4-1 2 4 2 1-4 2 1-1 0-4 2 1-1 0

E $\flat$  chromatic scale - separate bows and slurred

1-1 2 4-0 1-1 2 4-1-1 2 4 2 1-1-4 2 1-1 0-4 2 1-1