

Grossmont College, Music 133, Section #3622
MW, 2:30 - 3:45PM, Rm. 224
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Text: Bastien, **Piano for Adults, Book 2**; Neil A. Kjos
Company, Publisher
Ken Ard, **Wow, I Have Ten Fingers, Volume 2**

A STANDARD SET OF HEADPHONES WITH ¼” adapter IS REQUIRED

Welcome to piano class II. Each class will be devoted to building a basic musical foundation at the piano. Coming to class each session is very important, but **outside practice is essential**; therefore, a large part of each lesson will be devoted to the development of a most expedient practice routine. **Practice rooms in the music building are available to all students.**

We will spend much time this semester reading new music, as well as learning to improvise and to play “by ear”, using the music theory concepts that we will explore throughout the semester. Please feel free to talk to me before or after class with any problems you may be experiencing.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOME:

Upon completion of this course, the student will demonstrate the following skills at the piano:

Perform assigned technical exercises - – performance exams
Sight-read assigned material - performance observation
Perform assigned repertoire - performance exams

Tests, Performance Evaluations, and Grading

1. Regular practice evaluation.

Each student is observed during the first class of each week to determine if the assigned practice and exercises have been completed. (2 points per week)

2. Performance evaluations: There will be two major performance and written evaluations during the semester as well as the Final Exam. (See assignment sheet for dates.)

Performance evaluations will be based on the following factors:

- a. Accuracy of notes
- b. Rhythmic accuracy

- c. Fingering
- d. Expression
- e. Exercises

3. Written exams.

There will be three written tests on the same days as the performance evaluations.

The final grade will be based on the following formula:

Performance evaluations -	50% of total grade
Written exams -	25% of total grade
Weekly class performance	25% of total grade (2% per week)

ABSENCES:

You will be allowed four unexcused absences over the period of the semester. Any more than four absences could result in your being dropped from class. If, for some reason, there is a need for a prolonged absence, notify me and we will try to work out a solution. Please do not come to class late or leave early. Your presence at each class is expected in order for the class to progress at a uniform rate. Please see me before or after class if you are having difficulty keeping up. Although I have no set office hours, I will help you in any way that I can.

CELL PHONE USE, INCLUDING TEXT MESSAGING, IS NOT ALLOWED IN CLASS. REPEATED DISTURBANCES MAY RESULT IN YOUR BEING DROPPED FROM CLASS.

FINAL EXAM TIME: Wednesday, Dec 13, 1:45-3:45

Academic Calendar:

<http://www.grossmont.edu/academics/academic-calendars.aspx>

Weekly assignments:

Each class begins with exercise routine - scales, arpeggios, chords
- see lesson 12, p. 59, in *Wow, I Have Ten Fingers*.

Scales will be learned in the order the Circle of 5ths –
C, G, D, A, E, B, F#(Gb), Db, Ab, Eb, Bb, F

1. Aug 21,23- Review all scales; establish practice routine – scales, arpeggios, and chords; Bastien: p. 144-150/ Reference – p. 1-10; WIHTF: Lessons 1-5

2. Aug 28,30 Bastien: p. 1-13; WIHTF- Lessons 6-8

3. Sept 4 **Holiday**,, Sept 6 – Bastien: p. 15,18,20,22,29; WIHTF – Lesson 9

4. Sept 11,13 – Bastien: p. 30,32,33,36,37 – WIHTF – Lesson10
Review test material

5. Sept 18,20 –Bastien: p. p. 39,41,**44**, (Performance piece), 47;
WIHTF – Lesson11

6. Sept. 25,27 -, Bastien: p. 50,51,52,53,56,57; WIHTF – Lessons 13-14

Sept 27- Test, performance evaluation: Scale routine in E; The Merry Widow Waltz: p. 44

7. Oct 2,4 –Bastien: p. 58,61,66,67,**70 (Performance piece)**;
WIHTF – p.70,73,74

8. Oct 9,11 – Bastien: p. 68,70,72,76,77; WIHTF – p. 75

9. Oct 16,18 – Bastien: p. 78,83,84; WIHTF, p. 76

10. Oct 23,25 – Bastien: p. 85,86,87,89,92,93

11. Oct 30, Nov 1 – Bastien: p. 94,97,99

Wed, Nov 1: TEST; PERFORMANCE EVALUATION – Scale Routine – Black key roots / Tango Time – p. 70

12. Nov 6,8–;Bastien: p. 102,103,106,107

13. Nov 13,15 – Bastien: p. 108,109,117

14. Nov 20,22– Bastien: p. 123,125,126

15. Nov 27,29-Review all material – lead sheet work

16. Dec 5,7 – review; improvisation

FINAL EXAM Wed, Dec. 13 – 1:45-3:45

**All scales, arpeggios -two octaves / chords I - vii in all keys
All major, minor, diminished, augmented, and 7th chords
Rhythm notations to sixteenth notes; Transposition
Repertoire piece: p. 126: Arabesque**

Accommodations for Students with Disabilities:

Students with disabilities who may need accommodations in this class are encouraged to notify the instructor and contact Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSP&S) early in the semester so that reasonable accommodations may be implemented as soon as possible. Students may contact DSP&S in person at Room 110 or by phone at 619-644-7112 or 619-644-7119 (TTY for deaf).

STUDENT SERVICES:

ADMISSIONS & RECORDS

Bldg. 16, Room 150
 Mon-Tues 8am-6pm
 Wed-Thurs 8am-5pm
 Fri 8am-1pm
 Phone: (619)644-7186

- Admissions & Registration
- Transcripts
- Student ID Card
- Veterans Services
- International Student Admissions
- Graduation Evaluation

ASSESSMENT CENTER

Building 19
 Mon-Tues 8am-6pm
 Wed-Thurs 8am-5pm
 Fri 8am-1pm
 Phone: (619)644-7209

- Assessments/Placement/Testing

FINANCIAL AID

Bldg. 10, Room 109
 Mon-Tues 8am-6pm
 Wed-Thurs 8am-5pm
 Fri 8am-1pm
 Phone: (619)644-7129

- Grants
- Work Study
- Loans, Fee Waivers, etc.
- Scholarships

CASHIER'S OFFICE

Bldg. 10, Room 110
 Mon-Thurs 9am-5pm
 Fri 9am-1pm
 Phone: (619)644-7660

- Payment of fees
- Payment of Parking Tickets

Note: Parking permits must be purchased via tbl.chdavis.com and will be mailed within 3 business days.

GRIFFIN DINING SERVICES

Griffin Foodcourt
 Griffin Student Center

Mon-Thurs 7:30am-7:30pm, Fri 8am-2pm
 Food: Grill/Salad/Pizza/Sandwiches

Java Market

Griffin Student Center
 Mon-Thurs 7:30am-7:30pm, Fri 8am-2pm
 Peet's Espresso Bar/Market

Outdoor Kiosk
 Mon-Thurs 8am-2pm; Fri closed
 Starbucks Espresso Bar

Cafe 200 Smart Market
 Mon-Thurs 7:30am-2pm, Fri closed
 Snacks/Food; Peet's Brewed Coffee

BOOKSTORE

Bldg. 62, Room 6008
 Mon-Thurs 7:30am-7pm
 Fri 7:30am-2pm
 Phone: (619)644-7674

- Purchase textbooks, supplies, snacks
- Book rental program

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WELCOME TO GROSSMONT COLLEGE!

QUICK TIPS FOR GETTING AROUND:

- Application and registration start online at www.grossmont.edu.
- Once registered, get your college photo ID at Admissions & Records. Bring a form of photo ID such as California license, passport, etc.
- Call offices ahead of your arrival to determine if an appointment is needed, what paperwork to bring, information on waiting times, etc.



An orientation video and self-guided tour is available at www.grossmont.edu keywords: "video orientation" or use the QR code reader on your smartphone.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Parking Structure, Lot 5
 Open 24 hours

Law Enforcement

Emergency Phone: 911

- Life-threatening situations, medical emergency, fire, crime/disturbance in progress, chemical spill

Non-Emergency Phone: (619)644-7899

- Crime report (not in progress), suspected drug activity, request for presence to preserve peace

Campus & Parking Services

Phone: (619)644-7654

- Automobile assistance, lost & found, parking citations/enforcement, safety escorts

ASGC, INC. STUDENT ACTIVITIES WINDOW

Griffin Student Center, Bldg. 60, Room 116
 Mon-Thurs 10am-3pm
 Fri 10am-2pm
 Phone: (619)644-7693

- Campus club accounting
- Semester/monthly transit passes
- Benefit cards (purchase for a variety of discounts on and off campus including movie tickets, bookstore discounts, food, etc.)
- Outgoing fax service
- Postage stamps
- Campus Vendors

Note: All remissions are cash only.

STUDENT AFFAIRS

Bldg. 60, Room 204
 Mon-Thurs 9am-7pm
 Fri 9am-1pm
 Phone: (619)644-7660

- Associated Students of Grossmont College, Inc. Inter-Club Council
- Student clubs and organizations
- Leadership programming
- Activity programming
- Student discipline
- Student grievance process
- Campus Posting
- Free Speech

COUNSELING CENTER

Bldg. 10, Room 162
 Mon-Tues 8am-6pm
 Wed-Thurs 8am-5pm
 Fri 8am-1pm
 Phone: (619)644-7208

- Academic/Transfer Counseling
- Career Counseling
- Personal Counseling
- College Success Strategies
- International Student Counseling
- Orientation/Advising
- Counseling Classes
- Veterans Counseling

**ADULT RE-ENTRY,
STUDENT EMPLOYMENT
& CAREER CENTER**

Blgd. 60, Room 146
Mon-Tues 9am-6pm
Wed-Thurs 9am-5pm
Fri 9am-1pm
Adult Reentry: (619)644-7697
Student Employment: (619)644-7611
Career Center: (619)644-7614

- Adult re-entry orientations and seminars
- Career assessments
- Career development counseling
- Job search instruction: resume, interview, and application preparation
- Student online employment services
- Career library

**DISABLED STUDENTS
PROGRAMS &
SERVICES (DSPAS)**

Blgd. 60, Room 120
Mon-Tues 8am-6pm
Wed-Thurs 8am-5pm
Fri 8am-1pm
Phone: (619)644-7112
VP: (619)567-7712

- Academic and support services for students with disabilities

**VETERANS RESOURCE
CENTER**

Blgd. 21, Room 233
Mon-Tues. 8am-6pm
Wed-Thurs 8am-5pm
Fri 8am-1pm
Phone: (619)644-7165/7166

- Computer assistance
- Peer support, mentoring
- Financial aid information and application assistance
- Referral to on/off campus resources

TRANSFER CENTER

Blgd. 19, Room 173
Mon-Tues 8am-6pm
Wed-Thurs 8am-5pm
Fri 8am-1pm
Phone: (619)644-7150

- Assistance with transfer to any four-year college or university
- One-on-one counseling for University Link students and Pre-professional majors
- Transfer workshops

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Foster Youth Services*

SPECIALIZED SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

MARIA DE LA CRUZ

**LEARNING
TECHNOLOGY &
RESOURCE CENTER**

Blgd. 70
Mon-Thurs 8am-8pm
Fri 8am-5pm
Phone: (619)644-7748

- Assistive Technology Center
- ESL/Independent Studies
- English Writing Center
- Library
- Math Study Center
- Tutoring Center

CAIWORKS/NEW HORIZON

Blgd. 60, Room 125
Mon-Tues 8am-6pm
Wed-Thurs 8am-5pm
Fri 8am-1pm
Phone: (619)644-7552

- Services including child care funding, textbook assistance, work study and tutoring for students receiving public assistance and/or students enrolled in vocational programs

EOPS/CARE

Blgd. 60, Room 125
Mon-Tues 8am-6pm
Wed-Thurs 8am-5pm
Fri 8am-1pm
Phone: (619)644-7617

- State funded program for economically and educationally disadvantaged students, offering:
 - Priority registration
 - Personal/academic counseling
 - EOPS grants/book vouchers
 - Summer Institute

**STUDENT HEALTH
SERVICES**

Blgd. 60, Room 130
Mon-Tues 9am-6pm
Wed-Thurs 9am-5pm
Fri 9am-1pm
Phone: (619)644-7192

- Health education & wellness table events
- Health education outreach
- Health screening immunizations & TB testing
- First aid
- Injury/illness assessment
- Personal counseling referrals
- Low cost medical/dental care referrals
- Affordable Care Act information and referrals

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