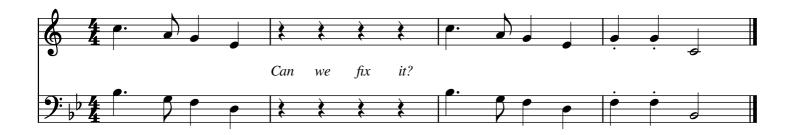
The "Bob Rhythm" Pack 2023

- 1. Sing "Bob The Builder" while marching a steady beat. Yes, actually sing the song...
- 2. Buzz the tune on your mouthpiece, focusing on tense lips and fast airflow for a high buzz.
- 3. Now play it on your instrument!



A TOUCHING TRIBUTE TO BOB THE BUILDER

I love watching Bob The Builder It's the best show I've ever seen Oh I love watching Bob The Builder Will you watch the show with me?

Lyrics by Mr Taylor

Melody by Jeremiah Clarke ('Trumpet Voluntary')





Blow The Man Down (Sea Shanty)



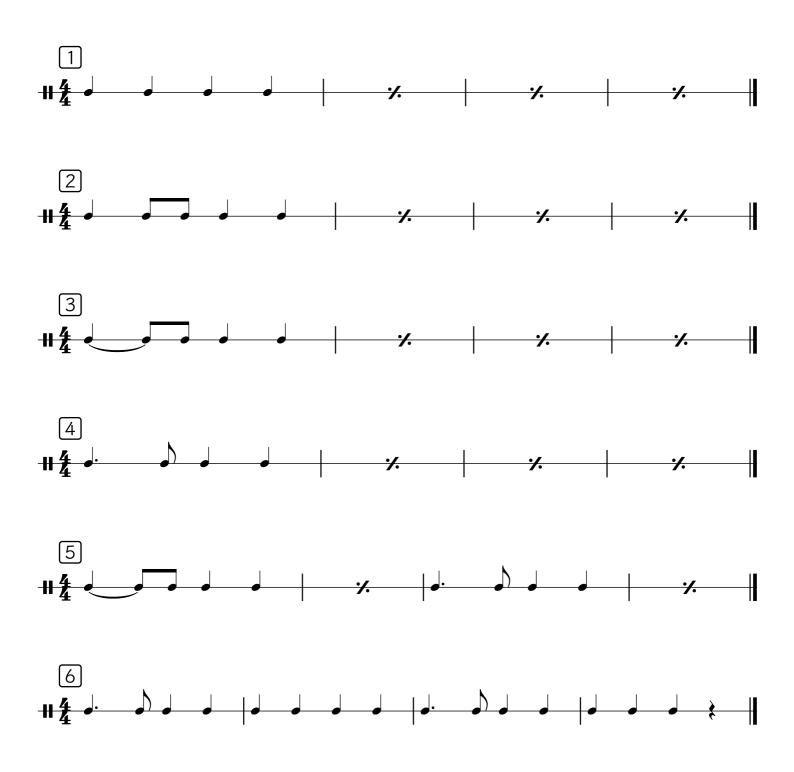
Chairs To Mend (Round)



The Bob Rhythm Warm-Ups

Let's aim for 2-bar phrases (i.e. breathe at the end of every 2nd bar) and a confident, controlled tone throughout. You can mouthpiece buzz your way through them all or choose any comfortable pitch on your instrument.

You may notice something funny about rhythms 3 - 5 when we play them...



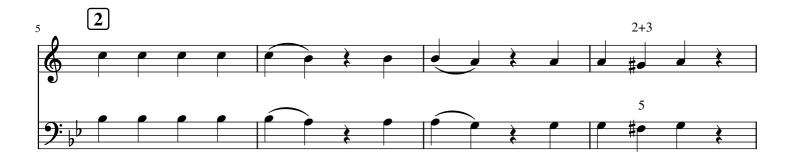
This next traditional melody can be played as a three-part round in the same way as the previous tune. Our Bob Rhythm only appears in the final phrase this time, and there's something very different in the emotional feel of the melody as a whole.

Can you work out what makes Babylon sound sadder, apart from the tempo?

TROMBONE TIP: Your first three notes should be tongued "T-D-D" to achieve the slur effect. You also need smooth airflow and fast slide movements or gaps will appear.

Babylon (Round)







Turn the page for one more round that you can play in a group or record by yourself using an app. It should sound light and playful like the cuckoo bird it is named after!

Cuckoo (Round)

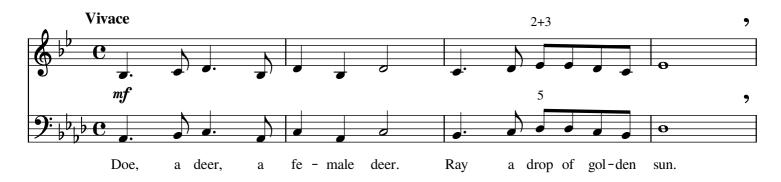


Introduction to Mozart's Eine Kleine Nachtmusik

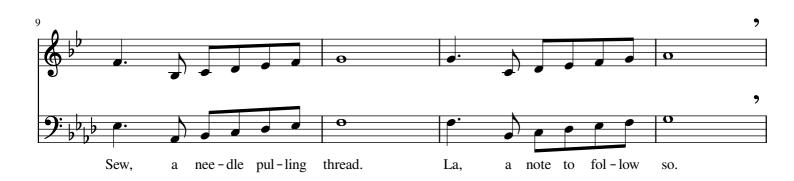


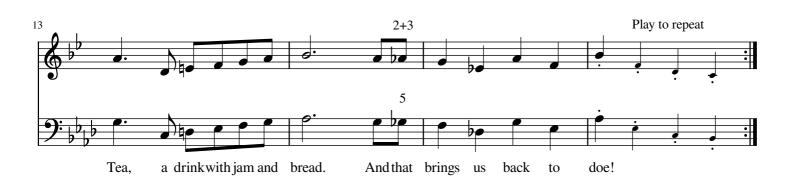
Trombonists can play all of the first 2 bars in 6th position.

Doe, A Deer from The Sound Of Music









This tune is usually heard at New Year's Eve parties and sung drunkenly in pubs at midnight. I've included the piano or guitar chords in case you have a family member to accompany you.

QUIZ: Name one time signature that would be correct if written at the start of this song.



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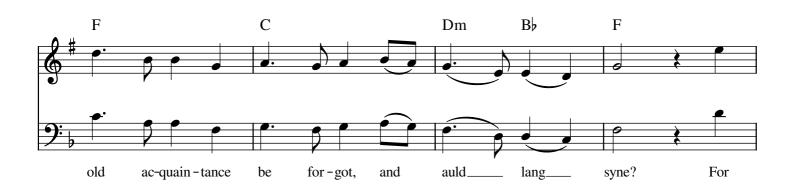
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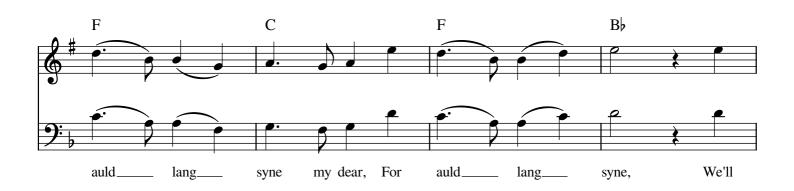
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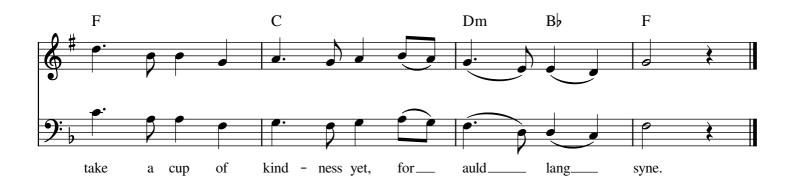
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- 1. Name one time signature that would be correct if written at the start of this song but is NOT what you chose for the previous melody.
 - 2. Guess the title of the piece just by looking at it and imagining how it would sound.
 - 3. Circle every instance of the Bob Rhythm in the sheet music below.

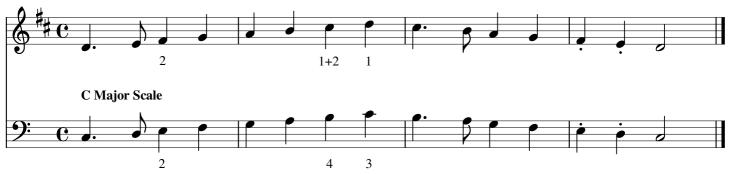


The Bob Rhythm - Technical Work

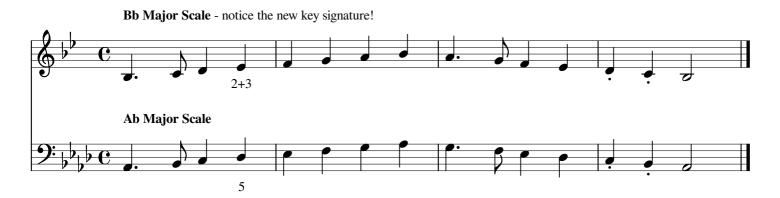
C Major Scale - played in one breath to the rhythm of Bob The Builder.



D Major Scale - in one breath as before and listen carefully to ensure you're playing with a beautiful, controlled tone.







Can you work out the final arpeggio based on this scale? Think Do-Mi-So-Do'.