B major 5

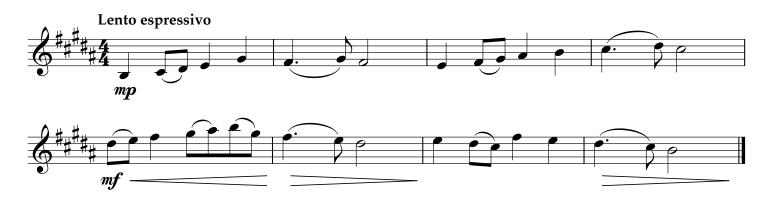
**Badinerie** Scale study



2 Brighton Beach Arpeggio study



- Sight-reading
  - 1 Can you spot any repeated patterns?
  - **2** Tap the pulse with one hand and the rhythm with the other.
  - **3** Play the first note, then hear the piece in your head.



Now: say, hear, think and play the scale and arpeggio with confidence!

## **Chromatics**

Chromatic scales go up in **semitone steps**, meaning you play all the notes, and your fingers are always next to each other. You will need to slide your fingers up between some notes or you will run out of fingers!

TOP TIP Keep your arm and hand in first position all the time, and slide your fingers lightly on the string where necessary between notes.

## **Finger fitness**

**Antelope** Chromatic study on A



2 **Exciting event** Chromatic study on E



## **Practice chart**

Practise your scales and arpeggios in different ways – with different rhythms and dynamics and perhaps thinking of different colours and flavours!

Scale/Arpeggio	Comments	Tick a box each time you practise	
A♭ major scale			
A♭ major arpeggio			
B major scale			
B major arpeggio			
C major scale			
C major arpeggio			
E major scale			
E major arpeggio			
G minor scale	Harmonic or melodic		
G minor arpeggio			
B minor scale	Harmonic or melodic		
B minor arpeggio			
C minor scale	Harmonic or melodic		
C minor arpeggio			
Chromatic on A			
Chromatic on E			
Dominant seventh in C			
Dominant seventh in D			

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