

Lower Register Chromatic Scales and Exercises for the Clarinet

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Exercise 1 - Pinky Flexibility

This exercise helps you develop greater flexibility and coordination in your fourth fingers. For each of the E's in this exercise, press your right fourth finger on the F key, and your left fourth finger on the E key. Always press both fingers down for the E's in this exercise. Make sure to use the fingerings that are marked. If you need help with fingerings, go to www.ClarinetChart.com

B R L R L R B R L R L R B R L R B

Exercise 2 - Pinky Flexibility

This exercise has the exact same notes as the exercise above, but uses different fingerings for each note. For each of the E's in this exercise, press your *left* fourth finger on the F key, and your *right* fourth finger on the E key. Always press both fingers down for the E's in this exercise. Make sure to use the fingerings that are marked.

B L R R R L B L R R R L B L R R R L B

Low Register Chromatic Scale 1

When playing chromatic scales, always use your chromatic fingerings: Fork B and Side F sharp.

Low Register Chromatic Scale 2