

# Virtual Band Camp

## Video 4 Skill Sheet - Clarinet Assembly Exercises

### 1. Identification, Please!

- Open your clarinet case, and take out one piece.
- See how quickly you can say the name of that piece out loud.
- If you'd like an extra challenge, have your parents pick up the pieces for you!

### 2. Assembly Line

- Put your clarinet together and take it apart 5 times each day.
- When you put together your upper and lower joints, be sure to squish the 2<sup>nd</sup> ring key to protect your bridge keys (Bridge Keys are the little keys that can crash together between the 2 joints.)
- Are your holes going straight down the front?
- Are your reed, register key (the long, skinny key), and thumb rest lined up down the back?

### 3. You're the Expert

- After you've become really good at identifying your parts and putting them together, teach someone else the skills you've learned.
- If nobody is around, try teaching an imaginary student.
- Are you able to teach without forgetting anything? Do you feel confident as you're teaching? If so, you know your clarinet stuff very well! If not, try practicing exercises 1 and 2 some more.

## Practice Chart

Each time you do one of the exercises above, check it off below. The more checks you get, the better you'll become at playing clarinet.



Exercise	Checks
Identification, Please!	
Assembly Line	
You're the Expert	