## **Bass Guitar Practice Instructions**

## Memorize the notes of the chords.

For each chord you learn, make sure you remember what notes are in it, where to put your fingers, and the name of the chord. (M = Major, m = minor)

## Use the Practice Steps.

Without playing, say the note names out loud.

<u>Play</u> and say the <u>finger numbers</u> out loud.

Play and say the note names out loud.

Play and count out loud.

## Play each line in the lesson 2 to 4 times.

If you play a line twice and you are comfortable with the notes, then you can stop, but if not, then play the line 1 to 2 more times.

You don't have to practice for a certain amount of time. Practice for however long it takes you to play each line in the lesson 2 to 4 times.

You should practice every day, but that's not always possible. You might not have time to practice on the day of your lesson, but you should try to practice all of the other days of the week. Practicing should be a part of your daily routine. There might be some other days when you are too busy to practice, but you should make sure to practice a minimum of 4 days every week.

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