

## **Lesson Plan: Snare Drum Lesson Plan Grade: 5-6**

### **Objectives:**

- Identify the basic parts of a snare drum.
- Demonstrate proper playing technique, including grip and stroke.

Materials Needed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Snare drum with stand</li><li>- Drum sticks</li><li>- Practice pad (for teacher)</li><li>- Powerpoint</li></ul>	Classroom Setup: One on one
 <a href="#">Intro to Snare Drum Diagrams</a>	

### **Step-by-Step Plan:**

- Introduce the Parts of the snare drum
- Demonstrate matched grip and have student replicate
- Fix their hands
- Show the playing area
- Demonstrate stroke types
- Have student replicate, fix any mistakes
- Demonstrate a paradiddle and have student replicate

**Assessment:** Ask questions and let questions be asked

### **Modifications:**

If a student has sensory issues, play very quietly or have the student wear noise canceling headphones during that portion. Also turning off the snare may help.

**Vocabulary:**

Matched Grip, Snare drum, paradiddle, stroke, drumhead, shell, snare wires, tension rods, lugs, throw-off, batter head, and resonant head

**Extensions:**

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