

Review of Staccato

1. Staccato (dots) means to play notes separated or spaced. There must be a slight rest or silence between the notes. This is accomplished by a short stoppage of air between the notes. Accented notes are also separated. It helps in learning to play with separation to start playing notes slowly with a rest between each note, then speed up using the same style of playing. Do not relax the embouchure position in any way. Only the tongue moves.

Review

The last half of this line should sound the same as the first half.

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Legato, Staccato and Accent

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Sound Diagrams

Play on other tones.

Articulation Etude

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2. We have what is called *syncopation* when the accented note comes between the main beats or counts of a measure. The longer note is usually stronger or accented.

Syncopation

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'Lil 'Liza Jane

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Minuet

MOZART

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Moderato

Lightly

Fine

D.S. al Fine