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Linking Patterns 1

The idea behind linking patterns is to find very musical ways through the 5 pentatonic shapes. These will end up proving very useful as guitar 'runs' that you can build up speed with. <u>The exercise actually kicks off in the 5th shape of the pentatonic scale, then to the first, then second and finally finishing at the top of the third.</u> If you struggle to visualise this, take a look at the fretboard diagrams underneath the tab.

We've colour coded the shapes you are working through, orange is box 5, pink is box 1, green is box 2 and purple is box 3.

A Minor Pentatonic Box 5
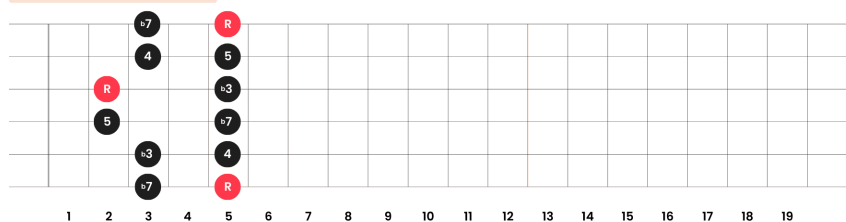
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We will be learning cool new techniques, applying them to a Zeppelin inspired rock riff and even learning linking patterns which will allow you to solo all the way across the neck!

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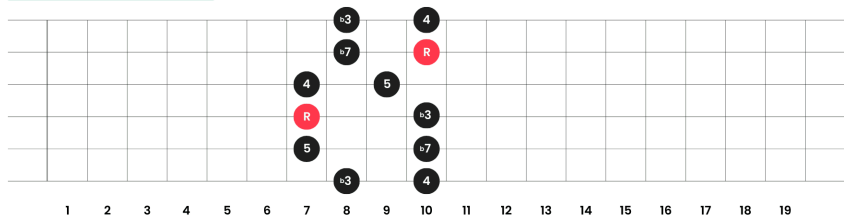▬▬▬▬▬ 0% ⌄

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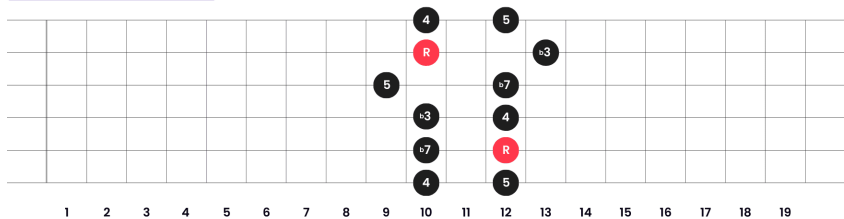## Essentials Part 4
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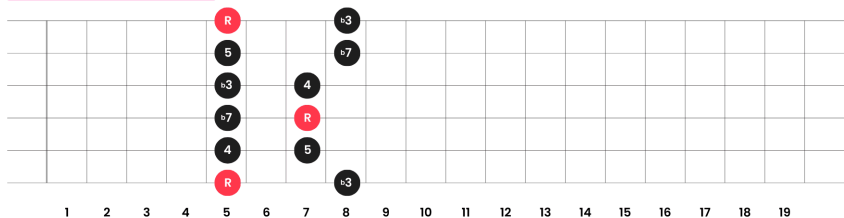
A Minor Pentatonic Box 2

A Minor Pentatonic Box 3

> ❝ Work through this linking pattern alongside the interactive tab, as knowing the rhythm is pretty crucial here. Those "grace note slides"

make a
big
difference
to the
sound.

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