



DRUM KIT SET-UP

Beginner Rock and Pop Drum Kit: Knowing Your Instrument

LESSON NOTES

This lesson will focus on getting your kit set up and ready for you to play. We'll look at how to set everything to a comfortable height and at the right angles to get the optimum sound from your instrument.

Note that this lesson is designed for those of you who have bought drum kits that have arrived already assembled in their boxes ready for you to put them together. If you have bought a drum kit that needs to be assembled refer to lesson 1.3 "Drum Tuning" first.

Components check-list

- Here is a list of equipment that you should have with you before watching this lesson.
 - Bass drum.
 - Snare drum
 - Tom toms (hi, low and possibly mid depending on your kit configuration.
 - Hi hats.
 - Crash cymbal.
 - Ride cymbal.
 - Cymbal stands x2.
 - Hi hat stand. (Clutch, stand, holder and rod).
 - Snare drum stand.
 - Bass drum pedal.
 - Drum throne (stool).
 - Tom holders.
 - Floor Tom legs (for floor toms only).