Lower Register Chromatic Scales and Exercises for the Clarinet

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Exercise 1 - Pinky Flexibility

This exercise helps you develop greater flexibility and coordination in your fourth fingers. For each of the E’s in this exercise, press your right fourth finger on the F key, and your left fourth finger on the E key. Always press both fingers down for the E’s in this exercise. Make sure to use the fingerings that are marked.

If you need help with fingerings, go to www.ClarinetChart.com

Exercise 2 - Pinky Flexibility

This exercise has the exact same notes as the exercise above, but uses different fingerings for each note. For each of the E’s in this exercise, press your left fourth finger on the F key, and your right fourth finger on the E key. Always press both fingers down for the E’s in this exercise. Make sure to use the fingerings that are marked.

Low Register Chromatic Scale 1

When playing chromatic scales, always use your chromatic fingerings: Fork B and Side F sharp.

Low Register Chromatic Scale 2