

# **Premier Piano Course Theory, Bk 2A**

***Alfred's premier piano  
course Alfred Music  
Publishing***

***This easy step-by-step  
method emphasizes correct  
playing habits and note  
reading through interval  
recognition. Lesson Book 5  
concepts include the  
ornaments: long  
appoggiatura, short  
appoggiatura, trill and  
mordent; plus arpeggios;  
the A Major scale; and the  
keys of B minor and C***

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***minor. Also introduces the playing of minuets, sonatinas, preludes and arias. For reinforcement of each principle as it is introduced, supplementary material is carefully coordinated, page for page, at each level of instruction. Coordinating supplemental books for Level 5 include: Classic Themes \* Ear Training \* Merry Christmas \* Recital \* Repertoire \* Theory and Top Hits! Solo. Songs include: An American Hymn (Lowry) \* Aria from "The Marriage of Figaro" (Mozart) \* Bagatelle (Diabelli) \* Ballade***

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**(Burgmuller) \* Brazilian  
Holiday \* Loch Lomond \*  
Magic Carpet Ride \* A  
Miniature Overture \*  
Minuet (Bohm) \* Prelude in  
C Major (Bach) \* Prelude in  
C Minor (Morovsky) \*  
Rondeau (Mouret) \* Scene  
from "Swan Lake"  
(Tchaikovsky) \* Sonata in  
the Style of Scarlatti \*  
Sonatina on Three French  
Folk Tunes \* Sonatina, Op.  
36, No. 1, 1st Mvmt.  
(Clementi) \* Spanish Dance  
\* The Tailor's Song \* Theme  
(Corelli) \* Variations on a  
Sea Chanty \* A Very Special  
Day (Palmer)  
(Faber Piano Adventures ).**

***Outstanding popular repertoire skillfully arranged and correlated with the concepts in Accelerated Lesson Book 1. Contents include: In Dreams \* Video \* Star Wars \* Hedwig's Theme \* Fiddler on the Roof \* What a Wonderful World \* Soak up the Sun \* Over the Rainbow \* The Lion Sleeps Tonight. The Universal Edition is designed for all English-speaking countries outside of the United States, including Canada, the U. K. and Australia. The edition uses the British system of terminology for rhythmic***

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**values such as "crotchet"  
for quarter note. This book  
correlates with the Lesson  
Book 1A (Universal Edition)  
Alfred Item #23860.**

**Premier Piano Course  
Theory, Bk 1b  
Alfred's Basic All-in-One  
Course, Book 1  
Alfred's Premier Piano  
Course Lesson Book 2B**

**Premier Piano Course  
Theory 2B**

*The appealing repertoire  
with charming lyrics further  
reinforces and enhances the  
learning of new musical  
concepts introduced in the  
Lesson Book. Includes  
attractive music created by*

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*internationally acclaimed composers in a variety of styles, plus tips on how to perform more musically. Each piece was recorded at a performance tempo and a slower practice tempo. The audio for this book is also available for download here*

*The music from this book is available in the Piano Maestro app that's downloadable here. Learn more About JoyTunes, the maker of Piano Maestro here.*

*Piano Adventures Theory Book, Primer Level is divided into 10 units, correlating with the 10 units of the Lesson Book. Each unit reinforces basic theory concepts through*

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*writing, sightreading, and ear-training activities - all within a youthful context.*

*The Level 2B Lesson Book of Alfred's Premier Piano Course continues the expansion of note-reading skills begun in Levels 1A, 1B, and 2A and includes melodic and harmonic 7ths and octaves to aid the student with moving freely around the keyboard. New items include the introduction of C and G major scales as well as three-note V7 chords in C and G. Dotted quarter and eighth-note rhythm patterns are added to other rhythms of gradually increasing*

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*complexity.*

*In Alfred's Premier Piano Course Level 3, students will be playing syncopated, dotted and swing rhythms with ease. Up-tempo, original pieces with clever twists smoothly incorporate new concepts including: pass-under and cross-over scale fingerings; the chromatic scale; IV chords in C, G, F, D; 1st and 2nd endings; and ledger lines above and below the staff.*

*Alfred's Premier Piano Course Lesson 5*

*Piano Lesson Book Level 5*

*Premier Piano Course: Theory Book 4*

*Premier Piano Course: Theory Book 2A*



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*Premier Piano Course Theory,  
Bk 1a: Universal Edition*

**(Faber Piano Adventures ).  
This inventive sightreading  
course uses sets of  
exercises based on melodic  
and rhythmic patterns from  
the 2nd Edition Primer  
Lesson Book. Students play  
one exercise a day,  
completing one set per  
week. Entertaining musical  
art helps guide the  
sightreading process and  
each page presents a new  
learning vignette in a spirit  
of fun.**

**The "All-in-One Course for  
Children" takes all of the  
pages from "Alfred's Basic**

***Piano Library," Lesson Books 1A, 1B, and 2, plus selected pages from Theory, Recital and Fun Solo Books and combines them into part of a sequential five-book series. At the completion of Book 5, the student will be ready to continue into Level 3 of "Alfred's Basic Piano Library" or "Alfred's Premier Piano Course." This easy step-by-step method emphasizes correct playing habits and note reading through interval recognition. Lesson Book 1B begins by reviewing the concepts taught in Lesson***

***Book 1A, then introduces new concepts such as incomplete measures, tempo markings, eighth notes and rests, using the damper pedal, half steps and whole steps. It also introduces the major scale through the concept of tetrachords. Songs Include: Brother John \* Carol in G Major \* The Carousel \* The Clown \* Concert Time \* A Cowboy's Song \* The Cuckoo \* French Lullaby \* Good King Wenceslas \* Good Morning to You! \* Good Sounds \* Grandpa's Clock \* The Greatest Show on Earth! \* G's in the "BAG"***

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***\* Hail to Thee, America! \*  
Harp Song \* Happy  
Birthday to You! \* Indians \*  
Join the Fun \* The Magic  
Man \* Money Can't Buy  
Everything \* Music Box  
Rock \* Oom-Pa-Pa! \* Ping  
Pong \* The Planets \* The  
Rainbow \* Sonatina \* Step  
Right Up! \* Waltz Time \*  
When Our Band Goes  
Marching By! \* When the  
Saints Go Marching In \*  
The Whirlwind \* The  
Windmill \* Yankee Doodle  
The appealing repertoire  
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***introduced in the Lesson Book. Includes attractive music created by internationally acclaimed composers in a variety of styles, plus tips on how to perform more musically. Each piece on the CD was recorded at a performance tempo and a slower practice tempo. The audio for this book is also available for download here The music from this book is available in the Piano Maestro app that's downloadable here. Learn more About JoyTunes, the maker of Piano Maestro here. Alfred's Basic All-In-One***

**Course, Bk 3: Lesson \*  
Theory \* Solo**

**Premier Piano Course:  
Theory Book 1B**

**Premier Piano Course:  
Lesson Book 1A**

**Level 1b**

**Lesson \* Theory \* Solo**

*More than 3-million adult students have learned to play the piano using this well-sequenced course. Perfect for beginners who prefer a chord approach, students learn how to play chords in either hand in order to move beyond simply playing single note melodies. The course contains outstanding songs such as "The Entertainer," "Scarborough Fair," "Greensleeves" and "Amazing*

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*Grace."*

*The Universal Edition is designed for all English-speaking countries outside of the United States, including Canada, the U. K. and Australia. The edition uses the British system of terminology for rhythmic values such as "crotchet" for quarter note. This book correlates with the Lesson Book 1B (Universal Edition) Alfred Item #23863.*

*The Recital Books congratulate students for a job well done by providing correlated repertoire to their Lesson Books that are based on concepts they've already learned. As a result, the pieces are quickly mastered. Included in Recital 1A are familiar favorites such as "Lost My Partner" and "Tumbalalaika,"*

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*and fun originals like "Charlie the Chimp!" and "My Secret Place."*

*Alfred's Premier Piano Course: Jazz, Rags & Blues Book 3 includes original pieces that reinforce concepts introduced in Lesson Book 3. Popular composer Martha Mier has composed all new music in a variety of styles, including ragtime, boogie, and jazz. The pieces in the book correlate page by page with the materials in Lesson Book 3.*

*Premier Piano Course: Lesson Book 2A*

*Premier Piano Course: Universal Edition Theory Book 1A*

*Premier Piano Course: Lesson Book 6*

*Alfred's Basic Adult Piano Course - Lesson Book 3*

*Alfred's Basic Piano Library*



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A colorful, imaginative, and highly absorbing introduction to music theory for the younger student. Packed with exciting exercises and entertaining characters, this is the ideal introduction to theory for a young instrumentalist.

Beautifully presented and intelligently paced,

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the Lesson Book combines unusually attractive music and lyrics. The book features note reading, rhythm reading, sight-reading and technical workouts. While most teachers find audio recordings very useful at the lesson and for home practice, others prefer not to use the audio. To accommodate all teachers, this version of Alfred's Premier Piano Course Lesson Book 1A does not have audio included.

Students are finding the Theory Books in Alfred's Premier Piano Course not only fun to do but very helpful in reinforcing new materials introduced in the Lesson Book. The Learning Links included in the Theory Book relate to learning more about important subjects found in the music and lyrics in the Lesson Book making for a more rounded education. Continued from previous Theory Books are Fun Zones, Now Hear This (ear training), and Now Play This (sight reading exercises), which add

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additional reinforcement to written theory. Students can explore composition and creative activities with the Imagination Stations.

My First Music Theory Book

Premier Piano Course: Theory Book 3

Alfred's Basic Adult Piano Course

Premier Piano Course: Theory Book 2B

Alfred's Basic Adult Piano Course: Theory  
Book 1

**The "All-in-One Course for Children" takes all of the pages from "Alfred's Basic Piano Library," Lesson Books 1A and 1B, plus selected pages from Theory, Recital and Fun Solo Books and combines them into part of a sequential five-book series. At the completion of Book 5, the student will be ready to continue into Level 3 of "Alfred's Basic Piano Library" or "Alfred's**

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**Premier Piano Course." This course is most effective when used under the direction of a piano teacher or experienced musician.**

**Alfred's Premier Piano Course Level 5 lets students develop their rhythm skills using sixteenth notes in 3/8 and 6/8 time. A special focus is a stylistic introduction to the Baroque and Classical masterworks. Additional pieces range from lyrical ballads and jazz styles to arrangements of familiar classic and folk themes. New concepts introduced include augmented triads, grace notes and additional scales and keys. Each piece on the CD was recorded at a performance tempo and a slower practice tempo. This method begins with a review**

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**of the concepts presented in Level 2, then introduces new pieces and lessons in new keys to prepare the student for more advanced studies. Includes a "Just for Fun" section and an "Ambitious" section for the student who will devote a little extra effort toward learning some of the great masterworks that require additional practice. Beautifully presented and intelligently paced, the Lesson Book combines unusually attractive music and lyrics. The book features note reading, rhythm reading, sight-reading and technical workouts. While most teachers find audio recordings very useful at the lesson and for home practice, others prefer not to use the**

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**All New Original Music  
Adult all-in-one course  
Lesson book**

**Premier Piano Course: Lesson  
Book 3  
1A**

*All the Level 1B components are included (except GM Disks) in a handy zipper portfolio. Contents: Lesson Book & CD \* Performance Book & CD \* Theory Book \* At-Home Book \* Flash Cards. This title has received the iParenting Media award as one of the "Best Products of 2006." The Adult All-In-One Course combines all of the pages from the Lesson Books and selected pages from Alfred's Basic Adult Piano Course Theory, Solo and*

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*Technic Books (Finger Aerobics) into each of these concise volumes.*

*Correlated page-for-page with the Lesson Book, each new musical concept is reinforced through fun-filled writing, listening and playing exercises. With games and puzzles added to compositional and creative activities, students retain concepts more easily and learn more thoroughly.*

*Perfect for organizing practice time for any student in Alfred's Premier Piano Course Level 1A--6, this book includes 36 lesson assignment sheets, a performance repertoire list and a dictionary of musical terms. The 2-page weekly layout provides a simple assignment grid that allows the teacher to write the assignment and practice suggestions efficiently, using only a minimum of lesson time. A practice chart, blank music staves and parent-teacher notepad area complete the*

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*easy-to-read format.*

***Alfred's Premier Piano Course Success  
Kit***

***Premier Piano Course Theory 1a  
Theory Book***

***Theory Book 1b: Universal Edition***

***Premier Piano Course: Assignment Book***

Continuing the expansion of note-reading skills begun in Levels 1A--2A, this book includes melodic and harmonic 7ths and octaves to aid the student with moving freely around the keyboard. New items include the introduction of C and G major scales, as well as three-note V7 chords in C and G. Dotted quarter and eighth-note rhythm patterns



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maker of Piano Maestro at [http://teachers.joytunes.com/?jt&utm\\_source=alfred&utm\\_campaign=web](http://teachers.joytunes.com/?jt&utm_source=alfred&utm_campaign=web). To access the TNT recordings, visit:

[alfred.com/ppcdownloads](http://alfred.com/ppcdownloads).

In Alfred's Premier Piano Course Level 6, students develop their rhythm skills using mixed meter. A special focus is a stylistic introduction to the Romantic and Contemporary masterworks, as well as popular music. Additional pieces range from lyrical ballads and jazz styles to arrangements of familiar

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classic and folk themes. New concepts introduced include diminished triads, the ii-V7-I chord progression, and additional scales and keys. Every concept and principal introduced in the Lesson Books of Alfred's Basic Adult Piano Course is reinforced in each of the correlated Theory Books. Important tips are included that make learning chord progressions even easier!

Piano Adventures - Primer  
Level

Alfred's Premier Piano  
Course

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Theory Book 1A

Premier Piano Course

Performance 1b

Performance

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reinforcement to written theory.

Alfred's Premier Piano Course:

Theory 3

Accelerated Piano Adventures for  
the Older Beginner

Piano Adventures - Primer Level

Sightreading Book

Premier Piano Course: Jazz, Rags &  
Blues Book 3

Alfred's premier piano course