



Preparing for Your Online Lesson

I conduct online lessons on the easy-to-use Zoom.us platform Zoom works on your computer or any device (download the app for IOS and Android).

Meeting ID is: <https://zoom.us/j/8605674889>

<h3>What You Need</h3>	<p>You probably have most or all of what you need to take piano lessons online.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Piano Keyboard: Use any kind of electronic or non-electronic piano or keyboard. ✓ Computer/Device: Use any computer (desktop, notebook, Windows or Apple). You can also connect with a tablet or smart-phone device. ✓ Webcam/Microphone: Most computers and other devices have a built-in webcam and microphone. Actually, the webcam can be optional.
<h3>Schedule</h3>	<p>After scheduling your lesson(s), you will receive an immediate confirmation message, then a reminder 24 hours before your lesson. Both will include the same link above that you will visit to join your online lesson.</p>
<h3>Join</h3>	<p>When it's time for your lesson, simply go to the link above on your computer or device and click the link in your confirmation or reminder emails.</p> <p>You'll be able to easily see and talk to me online through the camera and microphone. I will guide your learning with demonstrations and give you helpful feedback on your playing. Afterwards, you'll receive Lesson Notes of things to work on for next time.</p>
<h3>Tips</h3>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ It's best to be able to see me on your device screen so, if possible, place it on or beside your piano or keyboard. ✓ There is always some latency (time between talking/playing and hearing it). Take care to wait a bit longer for answers to your questions and comments. ✓ Don't talk or play while the instructor is talking or demonstrating. ✓ Keep a pencil handy for taking notes on your music.
<h3>Questions?</h3>	<p>Got a question? Terry Smith, tsmusician@outlook.com; 602.399.0290 (USA)</p>