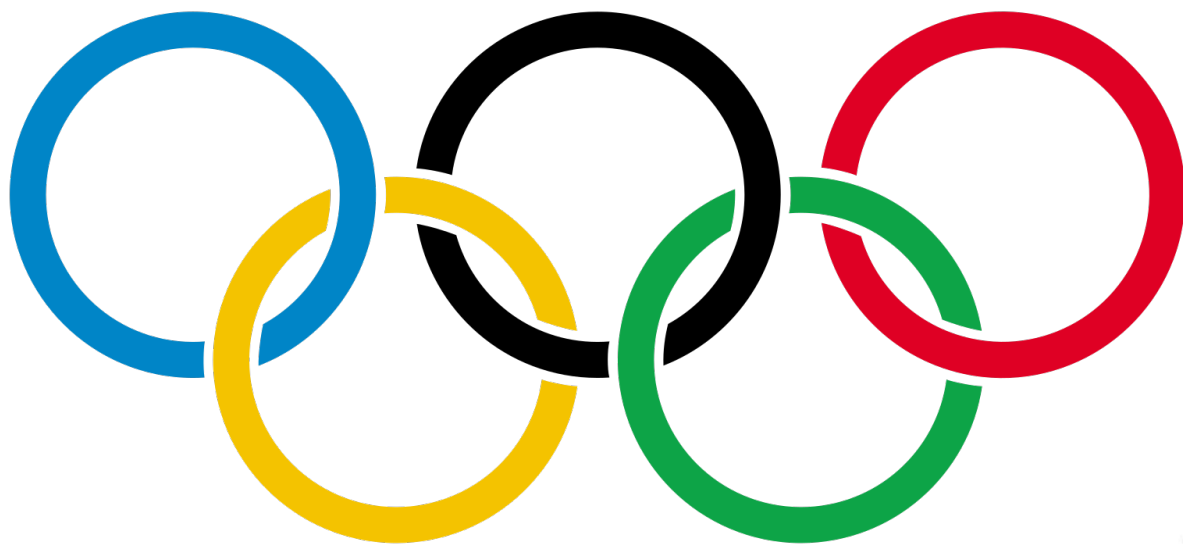


Martorano's Low Brass Studio presents:

SCALE OLYMPICS 2026



PROGRESSIVE SCALE STUDIES

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Program Overview:

The game is simple: **Pass off the most scales and win!**

Each grade level has three scale tiers: Bronze, Silver, and Gold.

- ◇ Bronze – Basic scales at a slow tempo → helps students learn basic musical patterns
- ◇ Silver – Same scales as Bronze, but faster → helps students master these patterns
- ◇ Gold – Next-level scales → Scales used in the next grade's bronze level
i.e., 6th grade's gold tier is 7th grade's bronze tier.

The competition will **begin September 1st and end on December 31st**. Students can pass off scales during their lesson or online by sending recordings to guy.martorano@gmail.com.

Rules:

To pass off a scale, students need to do three things:

1. Metronome – Play in time with a metronome at the required tempo.
2. Accuracy – Play all the notes with the correct fingerings.
3. Tone – Play with great tone on all notes → **Most important rule.**

The three participants from each grade who earn their medals the fastest win a cool prize:

Real Musical Instruments!!!

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Participants will compete with students in their grade from all schools where Dr. Martorano teaches, including Round Rock ISD, Lake Travis ISD, Liberty Hill ISD, and Legacy Ranch ISD.

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6 th Grade Pass-Off Sheet					
Bronze	Level 1, Tetrachords	<i>Stage 1</i>	B flat Tetrachord	60 bpm - metronome	
			C Tetrachord		
		<i>Stage 2</i>	A flat Tetrachord		
			D flat Tetrachord		
		<i>Stage 3</i>	G Tetrachord		
			D Tetrachord		
Silver	Level 1, Tetrachords	<i>Stage 1</i>	B flat Tetrachord	80 bpm - metronome	
			C Tetrachord		
		<i>Stage 2</i>	A flat Tetrachord		
			D flat Tetrachord		
		<i>Stage 3</i>	G Tetrachord		
			D Tetrachord		
		<i>Stage 4</i>	G flat Tetrachord		
			E flat Tetrachord		
		<i>Stage 5</i>	F (low) Tetrachord		
			F (high) Tetrachord		
Gold	Level 2, Major Scales in one Octave	<i>Stage 1</i>	B flat Major Scale	80 bpm - metronome	
			E flat Major Scale		
		<i>Stage 2</i>	A flat Major Scale		
			D flat Major Scale		
		<i>Stage 4</i>	F Major Scale		
			C Major Scale		
		<i>Stage 5</i>	G Major Scale		
			D Major Scale		