

Primary Notes On The A String

In this lesson, we'll map out the primary notes on the A string of the guitar: A, B, C, D, E, F, and G.



You should have the hang of things if you followed closely along with our last lesson...

Do This...

Pick up your guitar for this next part, follow the steps below and physically find each note along with us.

If we take the A string the first A happens on fret 0 (open string) and again at the 12th fret. If use what we've learned so far we should be able to find where the rest of the primary notes fall on the string:

- We'll skip a note (to account for the sharp) and find our B note on the the 2nd fret
- There are no sharps between B and C, so we can deduce that the third fret is a C
- Skip another fret for the D on the fifth fret
- Skip another fret and find E on the 7th fret
- Dont' skip a fret to find the F- it's there on the 8th fret- remember no sharps between E and F
- Skip a note and G will be on the 10th fret
- It starts all over with the A on the 12th fret