

ALFRED'S BEGINNING SNARE DRUM DUETS

15 Duets that correlate with Alfred's Drum Method, Book 1

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Foreword

Practicing can be a lonely experience, but the "work" becomes "fun" when sharing it with someone else. Duets help students learn to keep a steady rhythm and achieve continuity in their performance.

While these duets are correlated with Alfred's Drum Method, Book 1, teachers and students should be aware that the pieces are written in a manner which makes them highly adaptable to almost all other methods. They may also be used for contest purposes.

Included with this book is a recording of all 15 duets. It has been organized so the performance of the first player's part of each duet is followed by the second player's part. This will give the student the opportunity to play along with either part.

We hope that you'll find the book to be an enjoyable experience in your pursuit of musical excellence.



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DUET #1

Moderato ♩ = 120

1
2

f *ff* *f*

f *ff*

mp

p-f *f* *f*

(on rim) *p*

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DUET #4

Andante ♩ = 104

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2 *f*

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