

DRUMMER'S TOOLBOX

USEFUL TOOLS & RESOURCES FOR BEGINNER DRUMMERS

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DRUM SETS

If you are looking for a new beginner drum set, there are a few things to keep in mind before making the purchase:

One of the most important things to consider is the bass drum size and why it can matter depending on who is going to play on the drum set. 20" kick drums are the ideal size for almost any age group.

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information on how to find the best drum sets for beginners.

BRAND	MODEL	PRICE	SHOPS
PEARL	ROADSHOW JR.	\$389,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
PEARL	ROADSHOW	\$659,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
PEARL	EXPORT	\$929,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
SONOR	AQX	\$1089,-	SWEETWATER THOMANN
LUDWIG	ACCENT	\$599,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
MAPEX	VENUS	\$659,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
TAMA	IMPERIALSTAR	\$799.99,-	SWEETWATER THOMANN
YAMAHA	STAGE CUSTOM	\$749.99,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
TAMA	SUPERSTAR CLASSIC	\$849.99,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
MAPEX	ARMORY	\$959,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND

DRUMSTICKS

When you buy your first pair of drumsticks, you shouldn't expect to find the ideal pair for your entire life right off the bat.

Thus, it's quite useful to buy at least 1 pair of drumsticks to get a better impression of which products really fit your playing style and the size of your hands.

A great addition to any pair of drumsticks, are „Pad Sticks“ as mentioned below.

Here are some recommendable drumsticks, beginners to pro drummers will love. For more information on drumsticks for beginners, please [CLICK HERE](#).

BRAND	MODEL	PRICE	SHOPS
VIC FIRTH	AMERICAN CLASSIC 5A	\$10.99,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
VIC FIRTH	KIDSTICKS	\$6.99,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
VIC FIRTH	AMERICAN CLASSIC 5B	\$10.99,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
VATER	SHEDDER DRUMSTICKS	\$11.99,-	MUSICIANSFRIEND

PRACTICE PADS

Besides drumsticks, a drum practice pad is the ideal accessory which every drummer needs.

A practice pad is a portable snare drum alternative, which allows practicing drum rudiments and other (hand-) techniques at a very low volume.

It is ideal for warm-ups before playing drums, for vacations where you don't have access to your drum set and many other occasions.

Here's a list of great drum practice pads in different sizes.

BRAND	MODEL	PRICE	SHOPS
DRUMEO	P4 PRACTICE PAD	\$59,-	MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
EVANS	REAL FEEL 12"	\$39.99,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
VATER	ZERO PAD 11"/12"	\$39.95,- \$29.99,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND

EAR PROTECTION

Without using proper ear protection, playing drums can become a huge risk for your hearing capacity.

The best way to protect your ears from too much loudness and noise while playing drums are ear plugs, earmuffs and in-ear headphones.

Most of these products don't cost a fortune and are available in many stores.

Here are a few products I can recommend. For more information on this topic, please [**CLICK HERE**](#).

BRAND	MODEL	PRICE	SHOPS
VIC FIRTH	HIGH FIDELITY PROTECTION	\$18.95,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
ALPINE	HEARING PROTECTION	\$19.99,-	MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
ALPINE	EARMUFFS	\$24.99,-	MUSICIANSFRIEND

DRUM BOOKS

There are thousands of drum books out there.

Some of them are recommendable for beginners while others are created for intermediate and professional drummers.

Here's a list of drum books for beginners and all-time classics any drummer must have!

To learn more about interesting drum books, please [CLICK HERE](#).

TITLE	PRICE	SHOPS
STICK CONTROL	\$10.79,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
THE NEW BREED	\$17.95,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
SYNCOPIATION	\$7.15,-	SWEETWATER MUSICIANSFRIEND THOMANN
FREE E-BOOK	\$00.00,-	EASY DRUM BEATS FOR BEGINNERS