

Grade I Saxophone Scales

There are only 2 scales, both starting on G.

G major. Learn this one first. It is a row of notes, G to G. Remember to play F# just before the top note

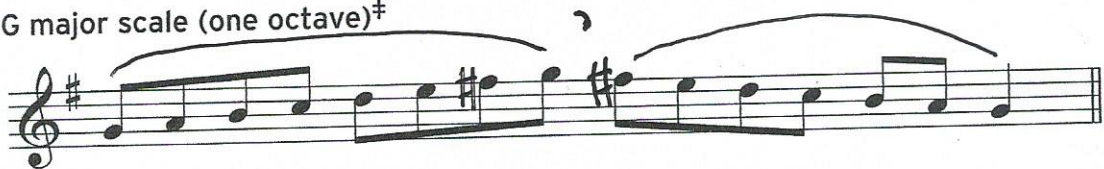
G major scale (one octave)†



Play it slowly up and down, tonguing every note.

Try it by memory, without the music. You can breathe after the top note if you need to

G major scale (one octave)†



Play it smoothly with 2 long slurs  
Try that by memory.

Play the tongued scale a little faster  
Then by memory

Play the slurred scale a little faster  
Then by memory.