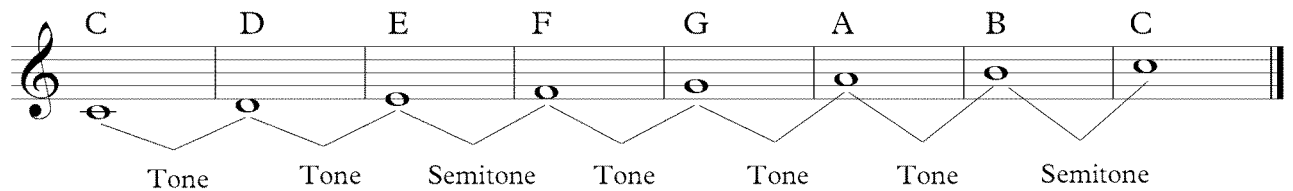


Major Scales

Pictured below is the C Major Scale:



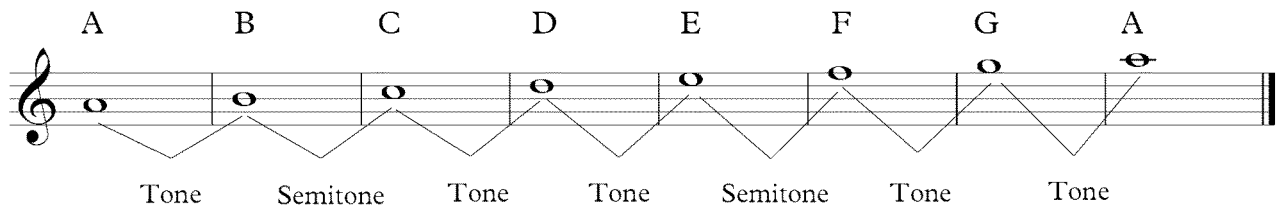
Notice that the scale's interval structure (pattern of tones and semitones) is the following:

Tone - Tone - Semitone - Tone - Tone - Tone - Semitone

IMPORTANT: All major scales follow this pattern of tones and semitones.

Minor Scales

Pictured below is the A Minor Scale:



Notice that the scale's interval structure is the following:

Tone - Semitone - Tone - Tone - Semitone - Tone - Tone

IMPORTANT: All minor scales follow this pattern of tones and semitones.

Writing Scales

When writing scales, remember the following:

1. There must be 8 notes.
2. The first note and last note must be the same.
3. Every letter name must appear at least once.
4. Follow the correct interval structure:
 - a) Major: T-T-S-T-T-T-S
 - b) Minor: T-S-T-T-S-T-T