Midisaurus MUSIC

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USER GUIDE (STUDENT)

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SIGN UP

Sign up as a **Student** on **www.midisaurus.com** (registration terms and conditions can be found online). Download **Midisaurus Music** program installer.

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

The program supports the following operating systems:
For WINDOWS:
- Windows XP / Vista operating system
- Recommend 1 GB RAM
- Hard disk with 2.5 GB of free space available

READ FIRST BEFORE YOU INSTALL

● Before you install the program, you must log-in as the 'administrator' (not as a 'guest') to the computer if you have multiple user accounts for the computer.

● If your PC does not have Apple QuickTime Player, please install this program first.

● Your PC needs to have an always-on Internet connection.

● For technical assistance, please email: **support@town4kids.com**

INSTALL PROGRAM

- Run "setup_student.exe".

- Launch the program and key in User ID and Password (issued upon online sign up).
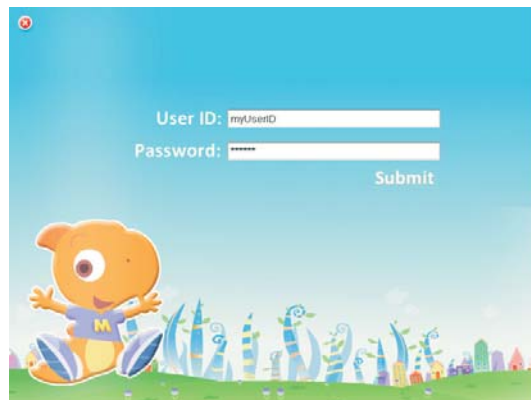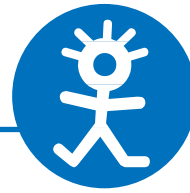
STUDENT SCREEN

The Student screen is designed to receive lesson plans that are preset or sent from the Teacher program.

Load preset lesson plan

Lesson note from Teacher

Double-click to launch activity

Start lesson with first activity

Load lesson plan sent by Teacher
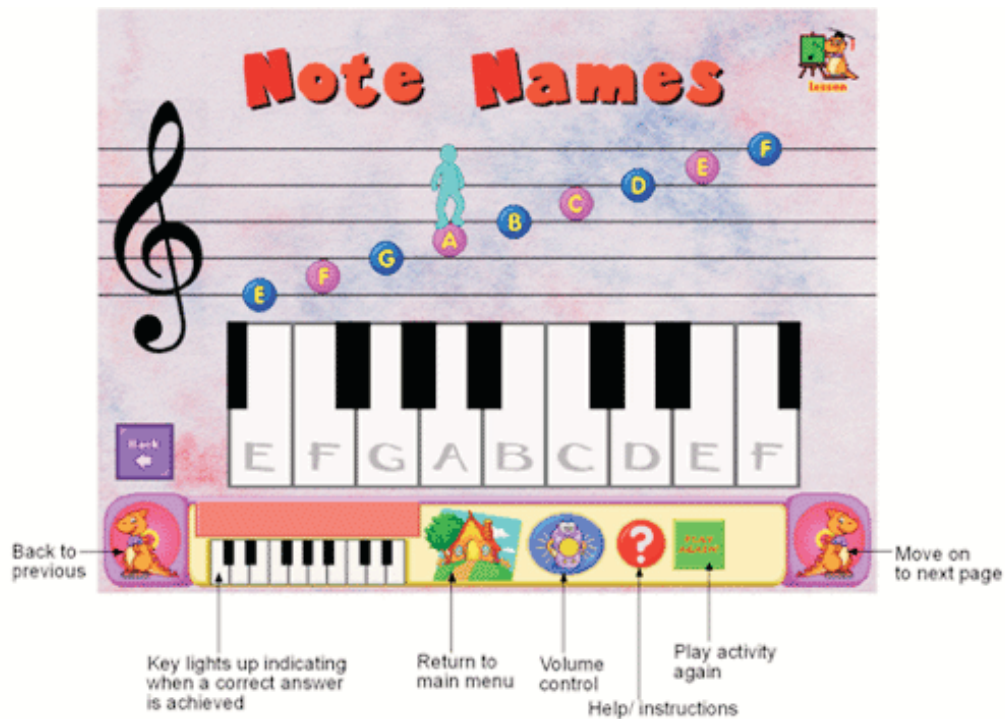
Exit program

Change user

User guide

Manage Student account on www.midisaurus.com

Take a music quiz on www.midisaurus.com
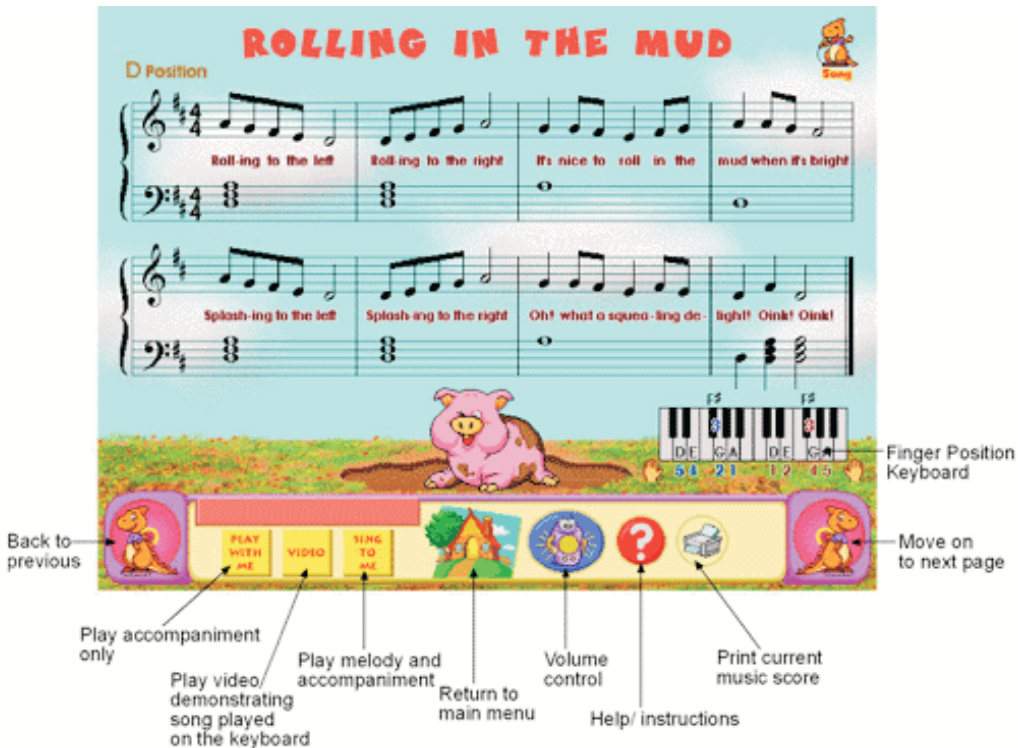
Take a music exam on www.midisaurus.com (Teacher needs to register student prior to exam)

Guide to "Lesson" and "Activity" screen

Back to previous

Key lights up indicating when a correct answer is achieved

Return to main menu

Volume control

Help/ instructions

Play activity again

Move on to next page

Guide to "Song" screen

Back to previous

Play accompaniment only

Play video/ demonstrating song played on the keyboard

Play melody and accompaniment

Return to main menu

Volume control

Help/ instructions

Print current music score

Finger Position Keyboard

Move on to next page

Guide to "Picture Composition" screen

Enter the title of the movie

Click and drag any animated clips to the film strip below

Save current movie

Save movie as new name

Clear current movie

Load movie saved

Play current movie

Go left or right of film strip

Go to previous lesson

Click and drag to sequence the clip. Double click to erase

Go back to main menu

Change volume

Click to create sound for the clip selected

Go to next lesson
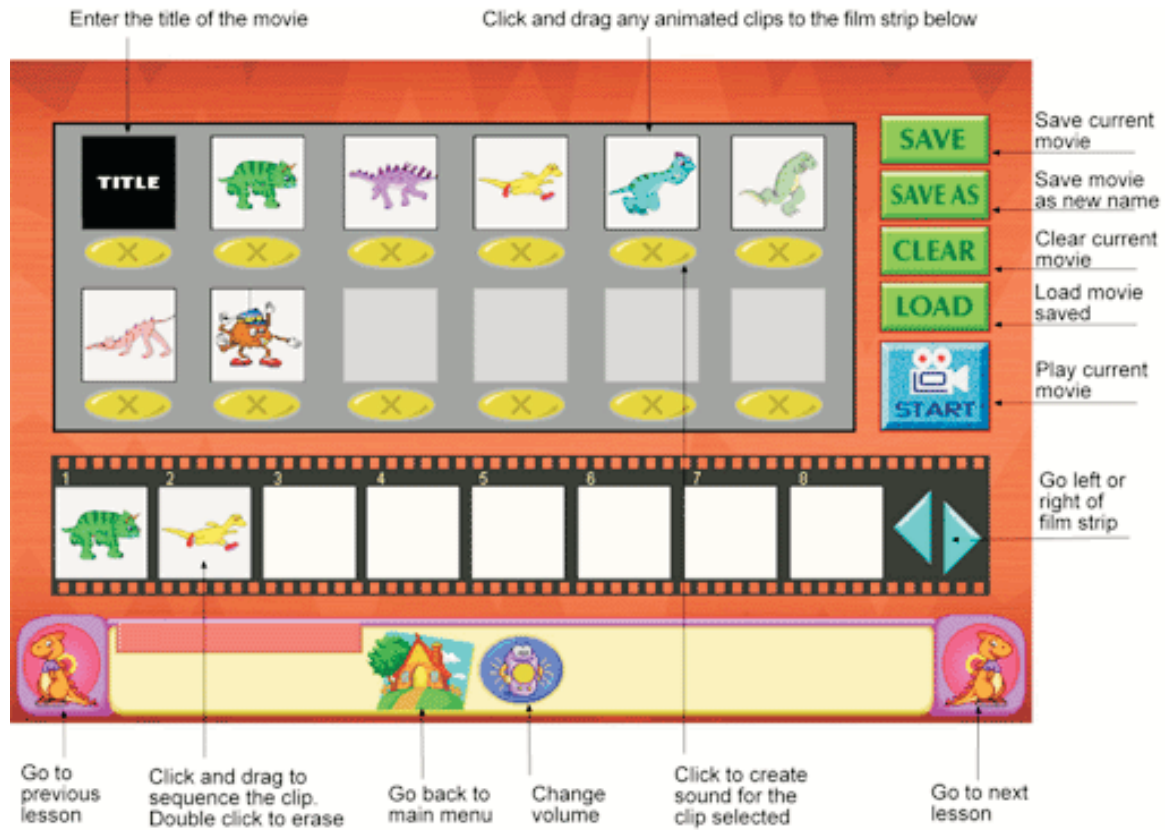
Guide to "Music Composition" screen

Export file as midi / wave / jpeg format

Save / Print composition created

Instruction to help user

Start a new composition

Exit the program

Change track volume

Change track pitch

Change track instrument

Select a note or rest. Use the instrument to enter note

new

exit

Erase track | Erase bar | Erase note

Tempo
slow — fast

Middle C

PLAY

Select note (or rest) before entering score using keyboard on right

Erase note, bar, or track

Click on any key on the keyboard to enter notation

Click to select bar

Click to play composition