


TIMELINE OF PIANO METHOD BOOKS

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- 1700**
- 1716: The Art of Playing the Harpsichord (François Couperin)
 - 1753, 1762: Essay on the True Art of Playing Keyboard Instruments, H. 868 & 870 (C.P.E. Bach)
 - ~1789: Klavierschule (Daniel Gottlob Turk)
 - 1785c: Guida di Musica, Op. 37 (James Hook)
- 1800**
- 1796: New Assistant for the Piano Forte or Harpsichord (Frances Linley)
 - 1801: Introduction to the Art of Playing the Pianoforte, Op. 42 (Muzio Clementi)
 - 1831: Shaw's Instructions for the Piano Forte (Oliver Shaw)
 - 1839: Complete Theoretical and Practical Piano Forte School, Op. 500 (Carl Czerny)
 - 1840s: Vorschule im Klavierspiel, Op. 101 (Ferdinand Beyer)
 - 1845: A Progressive and Complete Method for the Piano Forte (Henri Bertini)
 - 1854: Method for the Pianoforte (A.E. Muller, Julius Knorr)
 - 1854: Pianoforte Primer (John Feckleton Burrowes)
 - 1865: Standard Music Reader (Benjamin Jepson)
 - 1875: Progressive Music Lessons (George B. Loomis)
 - 1886: The Child Pianist (Annie Jessy Curwen)
 - 1892: Standard Graded Course of Studies For the Pianoforte in Ten Grades (William Smythe Babcock Mathews)
- 1900**
- 1906: The Synthetic Method (Albert Ross Parsons)
 - 1912: School for the Pianoforte (Theo. Presser)
 - 1918: Diller-Quaile "Off We Go" (Angela Diller, Elizabeth Quaile)
 - 1924: Year by Year (John M. Williams)
 - 1928: Oxford Piano Course (Ernest Schelling, Gail Martin Haake, Charles J. Haake, Osbourne McConathy)
 - 1934: Keyboard Town (Louise Robyn)
 - 1936/2005: Teaching Little Fingers to Play; Modern Course for the Piano (John Thompson)
 - 1937: Grade-by-Grade (John M. Williams)
 - 1937/1964: Beginning at the Piano (Bernice Frost)
 - 1938: Bernard Wagness Piano Course (Bernard Wagness)
 - 1941: The Young Explorer at the Piano (Raymond Burrows, Ella Mason Ahearn)
 - 1941: Little Players (Robert Nolan Kerr)
 - 1941/1983: The ABC of Piano Playing (Boris Berlin)
 - 1945: Young America at the Piano (Raymond Burrows, Ella Mason Ahearn)
 - 1945/1999: John W. Schaum Piano Course (John W. Schaum)
 - 1945/1994: Michael Aaron Piano Course
 - 1949: Jibbidy-F and A-C-E (Lela Hoover Ward)
 - 1950/2003: Leila Fletcher Piano Course
 - 1951: Eckstein Piano Course (Maxwell Eckstein)
 - 1955/2005: John Thompson's Easiest Piano Course (John Thompson)
 - 1955/1973/1993/2000: "Time To Begin" from The Music Tree (Frances Clark, Louise Goss)
 - 1958/1986: New Pageants for Piano (Donald Waxman)
 - 1959/2005: Step by Step (Edna Mae Burnam)
 - 1960-69: Music for Piano (Robert Pace)

- 1962?: Making Music at the Piano (John W. Schaum)
- 1963: Bastien Music Through the Piano (Jane Smisor Bastien)
- 1963: Keyboard Explorer (Guy Duckworth)
- 1967: David Carr Glover Piano Library (David Carr Glover, Louise Garrow)
- 1969: Making Music at the Keyboard (Robert Welsh)
- 1971: Creating Music at the Piano (Willard A. Palmer, Amanda Vick Lethco)
- 1971: The Piano Fun Book (Vince Guaraldi)
- 1973: Noona Mainstreams Piano Method (Walter Noona)
- 1974/1983: Music Pathways (Lynn Freeman Olson, Lousie Bianchi, Marvin Blickenstaff)
- 1976: Bastien Piano Library (Jane Smisor Bastien)
- 1978: Russian School of Piano Playing (V. Natanson, A. Nicolaer, N. Sretenskaya, E. Kisell)
- 1978/2008: Suzuki Piano School (Shinichi Suzuki)
- 1978/2005: Piano All the Way! (William Gillock)
- 1980/2000: Artistry at the Piano (Jon & Mary Gae George)
- 1981: Alfred's Basic Piano Library (Willard Palmer, Morton Manus, Amanda Vick Lethco)
- 1981: Noona Young Pianist Series (Walter Noona)
- 1985: Bastien Piano Basics (James & Jane Bastien)
- 1986: Noona – The Gifted Pianist (Walter Noona)
- 1988: David Carr Glover Method for Piano Lessons (David Carr Glover, Jay Stewart)
- 1988: Noona Basic Piano Course (Walter & Carol Noona)
- 1988/2008: Me and My Piano (Fanny Waterman, Marion Harewood)
- 1991: Music For Little Mozarts (Christine Barden, et al.)
- 1994: Piano Town (Keith Snell, Diane Hidy)
- 1994: Music for Keyboard (Robert Pace)
- 1996: Hal Leonard Student Piano Library (Barbara Kreader, Fred Kern, Philip Keveren, Mona Rejino)
- 1996/2011: Piano Adventures (Randall & Nancy Faber)
- 1998: European Piano Method (Fritz Emonts)
- 1990: Noona Clavier (Walter Noona)
- 1990: The Creative Pianist (Gilbert DeBenedetti)
- 1995: Keys for the Kingdom (Joseph Martin, David Angerman, Mark Hayes)
- 1997: Noona Comprehensive Piano Library (Walter Noona)
- 2001: Piano Discoveries (Janet Vogt, Leon Bates)
- 2003: Celebrate Piano! (Cathy Albergo, J. Mitzi Kolar, Mark Mrozinski)
- 2004: Music Moves for Piano (Marilyn Lowe)
- 2005: Alfred's Premier Piano Course (Dennis Alexander, Gayle Kowalchyk, E.L. Lancaster, Victoria McArthur, Martha Mier)
- 2006/2013: Piano Pronto (Jennifer Eklund)
- 2008: American Popular Piano (Christopher Norton, Scott McBride Smith)
- 2010: Succeeding at the Piano (Helen Marlais)
- 2010/2013/2015: Tales of a Musical Journey (Irina Gorin)
- 2010: Piano Safari (Katherine Fisher, Julie Knerr)
- 2016: Bastien New Traditions: All In One Piano Course (Lisa, Lori, & Jane Bastien)
- 2016: Carol Matz's Interactive Piano Method

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