

MINOR SCALES

Natural Minor

Begin $1\frac{1}{2}$ steps down from the root of the relative major scale. Play the relative major scale, starting on that note.

Harmonic Minor

Begin $1\frac{1}{2}$ steps down from the root of the relative major scale. Play the major scale, starting on that note. Raise the 7th note a $\frac{1}{2}$ step going up and coming down.

Melodic Minor

Begin $1\frac{1}{2}$ steps down from the root of the relative major scale. Play the major scale, starting on that note. Raise the 6th and the 7th a half step going up. Then lower the 6th and the 7th a half step coming down.
