

Curwen Hand Signs with Solfège Syllables

Often referred to as the Kodály Hand Signs

"do" - 1st tone of the scale



"re" - 1st tone of the scale



"mi" - 3rd tone of the scale



"fa" - 4th tone of the scale



"sol" - 5th tone of the scale



"la" - 6th tone of the scale



"ti" - 7th tone of the scale



"do" - 8th tone (octave) of the scale



Put it all together "ascending"



do



re



mi



fa



sol



la



ti



do

Now "descending"



do



ti



la



fa

sol



fa



mi



re



do

Resources

The Curwen Hand Signs <http://cmed.faculty.ku.edu/acdapres/curwendiatonic.html>