



# Soprano/Descant Recorder



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Dear Nuvo Customer,

Thanks for purchasing your **Nuvo Recorder**. We hope it will inspire a life filled with the joy of music.

### Special Features

You will notice the modern look and feel of the Nuvo recorder. The rubber rings on the "bell" are a decorative feature but can also be removed and used as a fun reward system for children as they reach learning milestones. The Nuvo recorder is made from high grade engineering plastics which means it is extremely durable and 100% waterproof.



### Early Music Foundation

A child can start the recorder as young as 3 years old. With the recorder you can learn the basics of note production, fingering, breath control and rhythm, as well as reading music. The recorder provides the musical foundation for a child who wants to take up more advanced wind instruments, like the **Nuvo Clarinéo** or **Nuvo Flute**.

### The Nuvo Clarinéo – age 5 to 10 years

The **Clarinéo** is a perfect "next" instrument for a child who is ready for a greater challenge. The **Clarinéo** is a sophisticated reed instrument based on the clarinet but designed to suit children and school music programs. It is lightweight, durable, comfortable for small hands and has a beautiful mellow tone which complements a school recorder ensemble. It is also pitched in the key of C which is the same key as instruments used in elementary and junior high school general music programs. Any woodwind teacher can teach the **Clarinéo** and there is also a simple self-starting DVD and booklet available seperately. Check with your local music store.



### The Nuvo jFlute and Student Flute – age 6 - 12 years

The **Nuvo Flute** range has also been designed to help children advance easily from recorder. The **jFlute** is lightweight, easy to handle and its curved head joint means less stress on the child during those important early years. For the first few weeks, the transition from recorder is made even easier by using the recorder-style **Firstnote** lip plate provided with each

flute. An upgrade kit may be purchased which transforms the **jFlute** into a fully functioning **Nuvo Student Flute**.

### Care and Maintenance

Nuvo instruments are all very durable and require little maintenance. They can safely be kept out of the case to encourage more frequent practice. The instruments can be washed regularly in warm soapy water to keep them clean and hygienic. You can also play outside in the rain or even in the swimming pool or shower!

For more information about Nuvo instruments, please visit our website.



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NOT SUITABLE FOR  
CHILDREN UNDER 36 MONTHS.

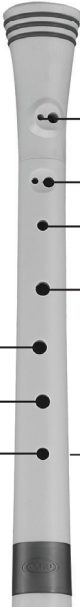


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# Recorder Finger Chart

German = G

Baroque = B



RH4

RH3

RH2

RH1

LH3

LH2

LH1

LHT  
(Back)

Note	Left Hand				Right Hand				Note	Left Hand				Right Hand			
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