

BOOMPIPE

RECIPE

Buy enough 4-inch PVC drainpipe to make the desired pitches. The pipe comes in 10' lengths. You'll need a 4-inch" end cap for each pipe. My coach cut the pipes for me with a big, table-mounted saw. If the pipe is slightly flat in pitch, only cut $\frac{1}{4}$ " at a time. We had to fine-tune many of them, some by cutting off more pipe, some by sanding them down a little. I believe that I got this recipe (*many years ago!*) from a music teacher named Carol Greene.

Students hold the pipe in both hands and gently bounce the capped end on a carpeted floor or a carpet square.

Enjoy!
Artie

High C = 24 & $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

B = 26 & $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

A = 29 & $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

G = 33 & $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

F# = 35 & $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

F = 37 & $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

E = 40 & $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

D = 45 inches

C = 50 & $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

LOW B = 55 inches

LOW A = 61 inches

LOW G = 68 & $\frac{1}{4}$ inches



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