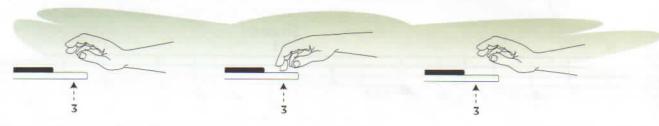
Technique Tool 2

Crisp Staccato

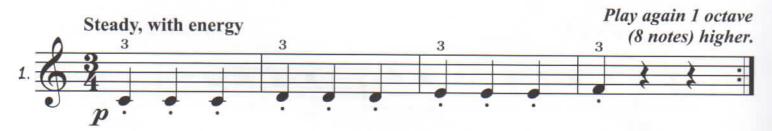
- Make a loose fist with your RH. Lightly tap the closed keyboard cover with the lower joint of your fingers, using a relaxed wrist to raise and lower your fist.
- Then uncurl your fingers into a rounded hand position. Using finger 3, tap 10 times on the keyboard cover with the same tapping motion.

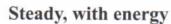
Repeat 3 times each day with RH, then LH.

 Using the same technique, play "Dripping Faucet." Finger 3 moves quickly off the keys for a short and detached staccato sound.



Dripping Faucet



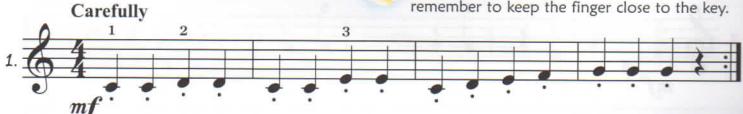




Play again 1 octave (8 notes) lower.



Technique Tip: When playing repeated notes, remember to keep the finger close to the key.



Play again, beginning on D with finger 1.





Play again, beginning on A with finger