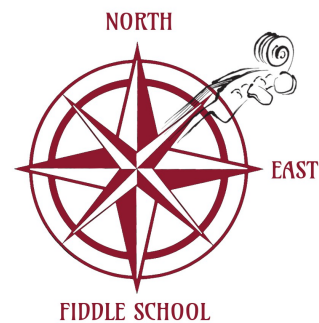


NORTH EAST FIDDLE SCHOOL

Making best use of the videos – a few tips!



1. Firstly, grab your fiddle and get set up before watching the video - you'll be inspired to have a go and play along. These are designed to be interactive videos, so don't leave it until later!
2. Use the best video and audio quality you can. Headphones are recommended if you're using a mobile device or a computer, or use an external speaker. The bigger the screen, the better! You might even be able to watch on your TV (if you have a smart TV and you can cast from your phone, or if you have an external device such as Chromecast, or something like Xbox with a YouTube App). Make use of the YouTube 'Watch Later' option to find the videos again easily without the web page link.
3. Don't forget to pause the video and go over things again in your own time if you need to. There is no rush! Keyboard shortcuts:
 - Space bar: Pause / Replay toggle
 - J (back 10 seconds) / K (pause) / L (forward 10 seconds)
 - Left arrow (back 5 seconds) / Right arrow (forward 5 seconds)
 - < and > move the video frame by frame!
4. Use the Timer Markings. Open the video in YouTube (from the website video player, click the word YouTube (circled in yellow) to view in a web browser or the YouTube App). In the full description (under the tutor's name and text, click 'Show More') the blue links will take you to specific parts of the video so you can jump back to repeat parts.
5. Make use of the playback speed options in the video for exercises and the tunes. Select the Settings (the cog - circled in red below) and change 'Playback speed' from Normal to 0.75. This will play the video at 75% of normal speed without changing the pitch.
6. Leave comments & questions. If you leave comments on the YouTube page Melissa or Stewart (and your Level colleagues) will be able to see them, and can then reply or address the point in a future video. The videos are unlisted, so only those on the course have the link to view the video (please don't share to a wider audience). If you would prefer, you can use the chat room or send questions to me and I'll forward them on (tuition@northeastfiddleschool.org.uk or use the [Contact page](#) on the website).
7. Have fun! Working on your own might not be as much fun as working together in the class, so be patient with yourselves. On the plus side, you can play the videos as many times as you like and have Melissa and Stewart with you in every practice session! Enjoy!

