

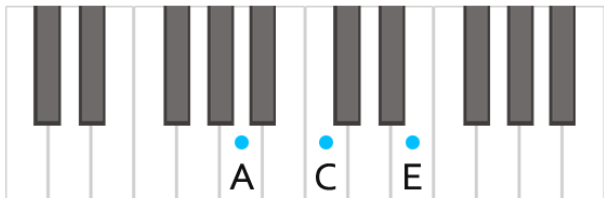
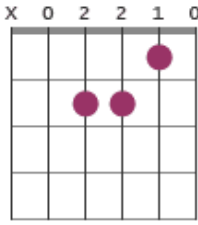
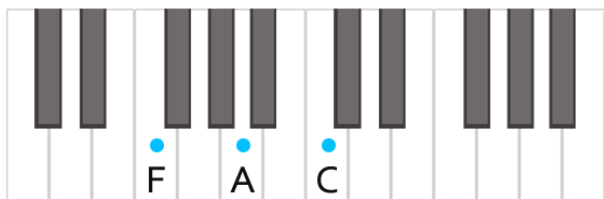
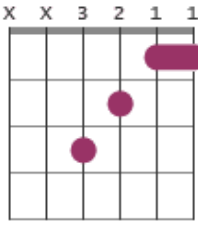

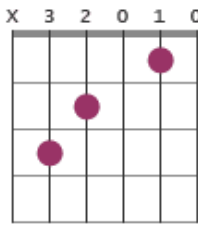
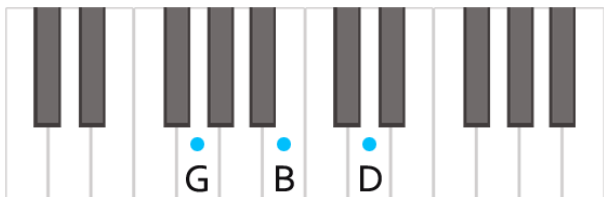
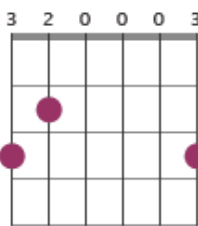
MUSICAL CONNECTIONS GROUP SESSION ACTIVITY 2 (21st April 2020)

The one thing that I miss the most at this time is being able to physically be in the room with other musicians and have a jam. Today's task is a suggestion for how we might be able to work around that.

If you are receiving this activity via email, I have included a video (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1iCLz3cK30>) and an audio track (https://soundcloud.com/quench_arts/musical-connections-april-group-session-backing-track) of myself playing a four chord sequence on the guitar. If you are receiving this task via post then the audio from the video explanation will be the 1st track on the CD and then the backing music will be track 2 on your CD. Please take a listen to the backing track and think about what you'd like to play over the top. It could be anything - an instrument, your voice or even some percussion from around the house!

The chords are Am, F, C and G.

They are nice and simple to give you lots of space to play over the top! It also means if you want to improvise a melody, all of the white notes on a piano will sound good in any order! If you need some help with the chords, here's a reminder:

	Am	<p>X 0 2 2 1 0</p> 
	F	<p>X X 3 2 1 1</p> 
	C	<p>X 3 2 0 1 0</p> 
	G	<p>3 2 0 0 0 3</p> 



Then comes the exciting part!

You will probably have something to record with around the house. Almost all mobile phones will have a voice recorder built in. Put on some headphones, hit record and jam along to my piece of music! Then, when you've finished, send the recording back to Quench Arts and I can put all of the sounds together and send you all a version of what it would have sounded like if we were all in the same room together!

If you are on email then send your recordings to: info@quench-arts.co.uk. If you don't have an email then you can post a CD or USB stick with your recording on it to FREEPOST QUENCH ARTS (this is all you need for the address and you don't need a stamp).

I can't wait to hear what you come up with.

All the best.

James



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