

# LESSON PLAN: Songs Using Two Minor Chords

## Objective:

*Students will be able to play several songs using two minor chords*

### Resources:

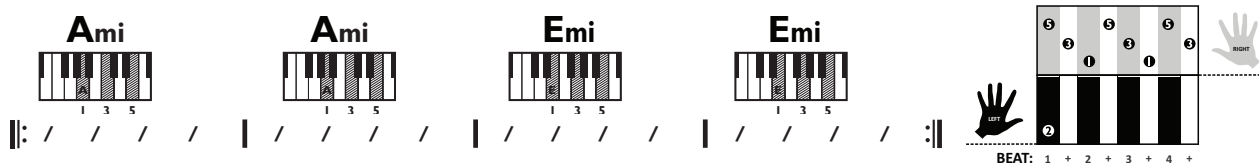
**JAM CARD** 1b (Minor Chord), Recordings and song charts to any of the following songs: “Pom Poms” by The Jonas Brothers, “Grenade” by Bruno Mars, “Fallin’” by Alicia Keys

### Procedures:

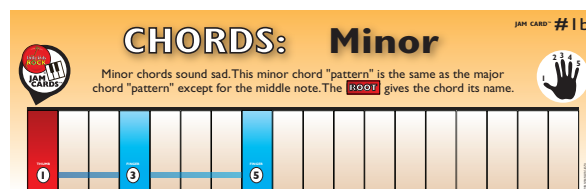
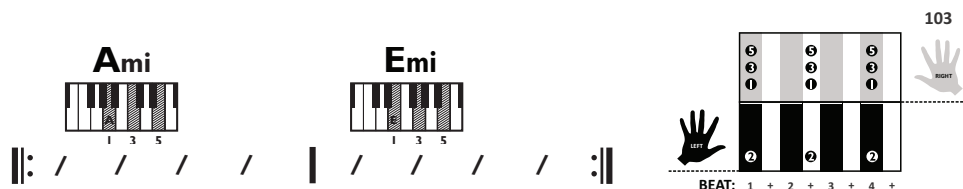
- 1 Place Jam Card #1b on the note A and play the A minor chord.
- 2 Move the Jam Card to the note E and play the E minor chord.
- 3 Practice slowly moving between these two chords without the Jam Card.
- 4 Use this comping pattern to play “Pom Poms”



- 5 Use this comping pattern to play “Grenade”



- 6 Use this comping pattern to play “Fallin’”



### National Core Arts Standards (Music):

Anchor Standard 1: Generate and conceptualize artistic ideas and work. Example: General Music MU:Cr1.1.2 b. Generate musical patterns and ideas within the context of a given tonality (such as major and minor) and meter (such as duple and triple). Anchor Standard 4: Select, analyze, and interpret artistic work for presentation. Example: General Music MU:Pr4.2.4 b. When analyzing selected music, read and perform using iconic and/or standard notation. Common Core Correlation: CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.2 Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

