

WHAT IS IT?

Teaching instrumental, vocal or DJ skills to individuals or groups.

The work can be employed or self employed (freelance). You can work in a variety of settings, for example:



in your own home or in your students' homes



in a community setting, such as a church hall



in an educational establishment, such as a school, college or training provider

In this chapter, you will learn about the skills you need, to work successfully as an **INSTRUMENTAL TEACHER**.

WHY DO I NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THIS?

Many musicians and DJs feel that they have skills which they can pass on to others.

Whether this is for money, or simply to help others improve their skills, teaching helps you focus on yourself: the skills you have, those you are working towards and those you still need to get.

'Setting up' as an **INSTRUMENTAL TEACHER** is easy. Teaching well and making a living out of it is difficult. You need to develop your skills in a number of different areas to make it work for you.