

The Drummer's Mind Set

Welcome to your drum lessons. As we establish your drumming goals and work towards them, I would like to encourage you to think about your progress in the long term. The reason is because you may not feel improvement from week to week.

That's normal. Some things just take longer than others to master. As long as you put in consistent effort to practice and play what we work on, you will make steady progress with your drumming. I will provide you with tools to measure and track your progress.

As your teacher, my job is to guide you through your drumming goals efficiently and effectively. Legend has it that Mozart's father (his teacher) would not let young Amadeus practice the piano unless he was there to supervise. This assured that Mozart would always get the guidance and training he needed to master his instrument as fast as possible.

The key is consistent guidance. I may not be there every time you practice or play the drums, but even if your practicing week did not go as planned, our lesson that week will keep you moving forward. It's important to zoom out and focus on your progress over time.

Here's to your drumming success.