JUNIOR 5 PIECE DRUM KIT
SETUP GUIDE
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CONTENTS CHECKLIST

First, check the package and make sure you have everything you need.

**DRUMS AND CYMBALS:**
- 1x Snare Drum (10”)
- 1x Tom Tom Drum (8”)
- 1x Tom Tom Drum (10”)
- 1x Floor Tom Drum (12”)
- 1x Bass Drum (16”)
- 1x Pair of Hi-Hat Cymbals (Pair, 10” – Top and Bottom)
- 1x Crash Cymbal (12”)

**HOOPS AND TENSION RODS:**
- 8x Floor Tom Tension Rods and Washers (2x rods already attached to tom)
- 12x Bass Drum Tension Rods, Claws and Washers
- 2x Bass Drum Hoops
- 2x Tom Tom Hoops (12”, attached to drum)
- 2x Tom Tom Hoops (13”, attached to drum)
- 2x Floor Tom Hoops (12”, attached to drum)

**DRUM HEADS:**
- 2x Bass Drum Heads (16”)
- 2x Snare Drum Heads (10”, attached to drum)
- 2x Floor Tom Heads (12”)
- 2x Tom Tom Heads (8”, attached to drum)
- 2x Tom Tom Heads (10”, attached to drum)
- 2x Floor Tom Heads (12”, attached to drum)

**HARDWARE:**
- 1x Hi-Hat Stand
- 1x Crash Cymbal Stand
- 1x Snare Drum Stand
- 2x Bass Drum Legs
- 3x Floor Tom Legs
- 1x Pair of Drum Sticks
- 1x Drum Stool
- 1x Drum Stool Stand
- 2x Tom Tom Arms
- 1x Bass Drum Pedal and Beater
- 1x Drum Key
YOUR DRUM KIT

Your Junior 5 Piece Drum Kit will arrive in one box and should take around 30 minutes to fully assemble.

- 8” Tom Tom
- Hi-Hat
- Hi-Hat Stand
- Snare Drum
- Snare Drum Stand
- Bass Drum Pedal
- 10” Tom Tom
- Bass Drum
- 12” Floor Tom
- Crash Cymbal
- Crash Cymbal Arm
- Drum Stool
- Bass Drum Leg

Tension Rods, Claws and Washers

YOUR DRUM KIT
ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

BASS DRUM ASSEMBLY

ITEMS REQUIRED:

1x Bass Drum (16”)
2x Bass Drum Heads (16”)
2x Bass Drum Hoops

12x Bass Drum Tension Rods, Claws and Washers
1x Bass Drum Pedal and Beater
2x Bass Drum Legs
1x Drum Key

1. Lay the bass drum on the floor with the front of the bass drum touching the floor (the bass drum cymbal mounts should be closest to the floor).

2. Place the batter head (without the Gear4music logo) onto the drum and place 1x bass drum hoop on top.

3. Using 6x bass drum tension rods, claws and washers, line the tension rods up with the 6x screw threads (these are called drum lugs) that are already mounted to the bass drum.

4. Using the drum key, screw the 6x tension rods into the drum lugs to an even tension, so all the creases have been taken out of the skin. Do not over-tighten.

5. Place the 2x bass drum legs into the holes on each side of the bass drum and tighten the wing nuts to hold them in place.

6. Turn the bass drum over and repeat steps 2 - 4 on the opposite side. When placing the skin on the front of the drum we advise lining the logo up with the tom brackets so it will be straight when viewed by an audience.

7. Upright the bass drum so that is now resting on the bass drum legs.

8. Take the 1x bass drum pedal. There is a clamp at the bottom of the pedal which can be adjusted using the wing nut. First, unscrew the wingnut and then slide the clamp between the bottom of the bass drum hoop and the top of the rubber bass drum hoop protector. Once it’s in the place, screw the wing nut so that it’s firmly in place.
FLOOR TOM DRUM ASSEMBLY

ITEMS REQUIRED:

1x Floor Tom Drum (12”)
2x Floor Tom Heads (12”)
2x Floor Tom Hoops (12”, attached to drum)
8x Tom Tension Rods and Washers
3x Floor Tom Legs
1x Drum Key

1. Remove both floor tom hoops by loosening the tension rods, making sure you don’t lose the washers.

2. Place the floor tom on the floor, with the Gear4music logo the correct way up. Take the floor tom drum head (with Gear4music logo) and place it over the drum, refitting the hoop and all tension rods until the skin is tight and firmly in place. Turn the drum over and repeat the process with the remaining floor tom drum head.

3. Leaving the floor tom in this position, insert the floor tom legs into the mounts on the side of the drum, tighten the screws to secure. These can be adjusted to alter the height and angle of the floor tom.

TOM TOM DRUM ASSEMBLY

ITEMS REQUIRED:

1x Tom Tom Drum (8”)
1x Tom Tom Drum (10”)
2x Tom Tom Arms

1. Your tom toms will arrive set up and will just need mounting to the drum kit. Take the two tom tom arms and, one at a time, insert the longest tube into the tom mount holes on the bass drum, tightening the screws to secure them at a suitable height.

2. Unscrew the arm joints, adjust the angle of the tom arms so the left arm is pointing left and the right is pointing right. Adjust the angle to preference and retighten.

3. The next step depends on if you are right or left handed. For a right-handed set up, take the 8” tom drum and insert it over the left arm, followed by the 10” tom over the right tom arm. For a left-handed set-up do the opposite.
CYMBALS AND STAND ASSEMBLY

ITEMS REQUIRED:

1x Pair of Hi-Hat Cymbals
1x Crash Cymbal
1x Hi-Hat Stand
1x Crash Cymbal Stand

1. Open the legs of the hi-hat stand so it's sturdy. Insert the top tube into the bottom half of the stand, the thin rod should appear out of the top of the stand. Later, this will be where you adjust the height of your hi-hat cymbals. Take one of the hi-hat cymbals (bell side down) and place it over the rod, the cymbal should curve upwards.

2. Unscrew the nut on the hi-hat clutch removing a large metal washer and one of the two cymbal felts. Refit and retighten these around the second hi-hat cymbal (bell side up), with the removed felt and washer on the underside and the remaining felt and clutch on the top side, forming a sandwich of the cymbal with the felts.

3. Place the second hi-hat cymbal and clutch over the rod and lower until the top cymbal rests on the lower. Use your foot to press the hi-hat pedal down and tighten the clutch leaving a slight gap between the two cymbals. Taking your foot off the pedal should result in a gap between the two cymbals.

4. Moving onto the crash cymbal, open the legs of the crash cymbal stand so it's sturdy. Unscrew the wing nut at the top of the cymbal stand, removing one of the two felts at the same time.

5. Place the crash cymbal onto the stand, resting it on the second felt. Place the first felt on top of the cymbal and retighten the wing nut. Do not over-tighten the cymbal, it requires space to move freely when hit. Over-tightening can cause a cymbal to split. Height and angle of the cymbal can be adjusted by altering the cymbal joint and the tiers of the stand.
SNARE DRUM ASSEMBLY

ITEMS REQUIRED:

1x Snare Drum
1x Snare Drum Stand

1. The snare drum arrives set up. All you need to do is spread the snare drum stand legs out and tighten the screws so the stand is sturdy. Sit the snare in the cradle and tighten the wing nuts so the stand holds the drum in place. The height and angle of the snare drum can be altered by adjusting different parts of the stand.

DRUM STOOL ASSEMBLY

ITEMS REQUIRED:

1x Drum Stool
1x Drum Stool Stand

1. The drum stool is assembled by opening the legs as far as they will go and screwing the padded seat into position. Adjust the height to suit your preference.

NOTE – Your drum kit is now set up and will simply need tuning before playing.

Drum and cymbal positioning is a personal preference and the layout of a drum kit can vary. However, please feel free to refer to the images on our website for some suggestions.

For more information and guidance on tuning your drum kit, please visit our website at www.gear4music.com

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