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Modern Drummer presents: **FUNdamentals of Drumming for Kids** by Rich Redmond and Michael Aubrecht

FUNdamentals of Drumming for Kids is a new step-by-step program geared toward introducing drumming to young children (5-10+).

Written by Rich Redmond and Michael Aubrecht, *FUNdamentals of Drumming for Kids* uses a variety of unique teaching techniques that mimic the curriculum used in the elementary school classroom. These exercises present drum theory in a fun and familiar way by using flash cards, counting exercises, clapping, and more. Each step in the program is designed to build upon itself to provide children with practical and applicable skills for drumming.

Best known for his work with country superstar Jason Aldean, Rich Redmond is a top session and touring drummer who also holds a master's degree in music education. Michael Aubrecht is a best-selling author and drummer who originally contacted his co-author to share his frustration with the lack of instructional drum material for children under the age of ten. Seeing a highly neglected audience, they decided to combine their talents to develop the *FUNdamentals* system.

Students begin by learning the history of drums, types of drums, proper technique, warm-ups, and basic note recognition. Next they execute counting and hand drumming patterns that later progress into sticking exercises. This evolution culminates in a specially designed music tablature that presents traditional music notation and corresponding sticking tables for three- and four-way independence exercises on the drumset.

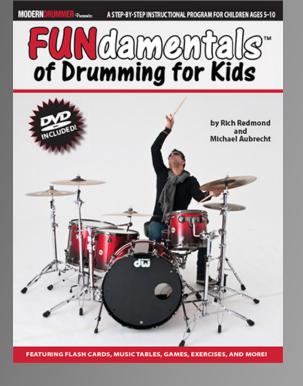
The specially designed ninety-six-page activity book is filled with photos, coloring pages, and cutouts that keep the lessons fun. The complementary hour-plus DVD provides an intimate one-on-one lesson with Rich Redmond.

The award-winning *FUNdamentals* is an attention-grabbing multimedia package that is a suitable curriculum for the individual student as well as the classroom. It can also serve as a lesson plan for private drum teachers who instruct younger students.



FUNdamentals won Best in Show at 2014 Summer NAMM and has been an Amazon Best-Seller in four different countries including the United States, the U.K., Canada, and Spain.

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For more information visit Modern Drummer.com's <u>FUNdamentals page</u>, our <u>Facebook page</u> and order your copy on <u>Amazon.com</u> today!

FUNdamentals[™] of Drumming for Kids Franchise Opportunity

Drum teachers and school music programs alike now have the unique opportunity to be part of the FUNdamental's family! By using the FUNdamental's curriculum you and your students will receive extra benefits beyond the book/DVD!

What is the FUNdamentals Curriculum?

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What are the benefits of becoming a FUNdamentals Franchise?

In addition to the benefits of using our curriculum you will also get special incentives for you and your students. **Minimum 25 copies.**

Incentive #1: Autographed drumheads from Rich Redmond Incentive #2: Skype lessons with co-author Michael Aubrecht Incentive #3. Appearances on the FUNdamentals Facebook page



What are the requirements?

A bulk (discount) purchase of books (DVD is included free) and the application of it in your classroom. We also ask that you provide photos/videos of students using the materials for promo purposes.

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