

# Ultimate 10-Point Intermediate Bassist CHECKLIST



**PLAY**  
ELECTRIC BASS

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## **TECHNICAL PROFICIENCY**

Master basic techniques like alternate plucking, slap/pop, and palm muting.

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## **RHYTHM AND TIMING**

Develop a strong sense of rhythm and practice playing with a metronome, band, and backing tracks.

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## **SCALES AND MODES**

Learn major scale modes and essential bass scales to expand your compositional and improvisational skills.

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## **CHORD KNOWLEDGE**

Understand common chord progressions and how they relate to bass lines.

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## **tone Exploration**

Experiment with different bass tones using techniques like EQ and effects.

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## **EQUIPMENT KNOWLEDGE**

Understand your bass, amp, and pedals to optimize your sound.

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## **GENRE DIVERSIFICATION**

Explore different music genres to broaden your playing style.

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## **NATURAL NOTES MEMORIZED**

Learn your natural notes to understand the fretboard as a whole, and communicate with other musicians.

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## **BAND COLLABORATION**

Work on playing in sync with other musicians and supporting the overall band sound.

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## **DYNAMIC CONTROL**

Learn to control your playing dynamics for expressive and impactful performances.