SUGGESTED SAXOPHONE METHODS, ETUDE, DUET AND TRANSCRIPTION BOOKS

Highly recommended in **Bold**

* Recorded examples and play-along included

Jamey Aebersold:

Maiden Voyage Jazz Solos *

Lennie Niehaus Plays the Blues

Eric Allen:

Body and Soul: The Evolution of a Tenor Saxophone Standard

David Baker:

Jazz Style and Analysis: Cannonball Adderley, John Coltrane, Sonny Rollins

Buggs Bower:

Bop Duets

Jerry Coker:

Patterns for Jazz

The Jazz Ballad

Hear the Changes

How to Practice

Jazz Repertoire

Tony Dagradi

Sax Solos Over Jazz Standards *

Saxophone Solos Volume 2: Modal Classics *

Sigfrid Karg-Elert:

25 Capricen und Sonata, book I & II

W. Ferling:

48 Etudes (Marcel Mule edition with additional etudes)

Greg Fishman:

Jazz Phrasing for Saxophone #1, #2 and #3 *

Jazz Saxophone Etudes #1, #2, #3 and #4*

Jazz Saxophone Duets #1, #2 and #3 *

Hip Licks for Saxophone *

Jeff Gardner:

Jazz Lines

John Gross:

Multiphonics for Saxophone

Dan Higgins:

The Jazz Etude Book

Thad Jones:

Lead Alto Saxophone Book

Henri Klose:

25 Daily Exercises

Trent Kynaston:

Daily Studies for Saxophone

Guy Lacour:

Vinat-Huit Etudes

Adam Larson:

Leaps and Sounds

David Liebman:

Saxophone Basics

Developing a Personal Sound

Teaches and Plays at the Summer Jazz Workshop

Chromaticism & Non-Diatonic Scales

Robert Luckey:

Saxophone Altissimo

Oliver Nelson:

Patterns for Improvisation

Lennie Niehaus:

Jazz Conception for Saxophone

(Basic 1 & 2, Intermediate, Advanced and Duets) *

Six Jazz Duets

Duets – 10 Jazz Inventions

Basie – Nestico Lead Alto Saxophone Book

Omnibooks:

Cannonball Adderley

John Coltrane

Charlie Parker

Stanislao Parisis:

40 Technical and Melodious Studies

(transcribed/arranged by Gerardo Iasilli)

Sigurd Rascher:

158 Saxophone Exercises (Diminished and Augmented exercises)

Top Tones for Saxophone

Gustavo Rossari:

53 Melodious Etudes, books I & II

(transcribed/arranged by Gerardo Iasilli)

Jim Snidero:

Jazz Conception Series (Easy, Intermediate, Original and Sax Section) *

Joe Viola:

Technique for the Sax #1 – scales

Technique for the Sax #2 – chords

Technique for the Sax #3 – rhythm studies

Walt Weiskopf:

Around the Horn

Beyond the Horn

The Augmented Scale in Jazz

Understanding the Diminished Scale

Intervalic Improvisation

16 Moderately Challenging Jazz Solos Bb & Eb *

Other transcription books include:

Michael Brecker, Nick Brignola, Benny Carter, Kenny Garrett, Stan Getz,

Dexter Gordon, Joe Henderson, Joe Lovano, Jackie McLean, Bob

Mintzer, Jamey Moody, Gerry Mulligan, Chris Potter, Joshua Redman,

Sonny Rollins, Bud Shank, **Sonny Stitt, Phil Woods, Lester Young** and many more.