

Your Safe Zones & tools

Every time you want to solo over a new piece of music, ask yourself the following:

KEY

First determine what key the song is in. Is it Major or Minor? Phrygian #3 or Blues Based?

SAFE ZONE

Then determine where you're safe notes are. Can you use the pentatonic scale or will you have to use a diminished arpeggio?

SCALE

Then figure out what scale you can use to add spice to your safe zone notes. Is it a Major / Minor scale or maybe harmonic minor?

TOOLS

You can now add extra tools if you want more options.

KEY	SAFE ZONE	SCALE	TOOLS
Major	Major Pentatonic	Major Scale	Major Arpeggio
Minor	Minor Pentatonic	Minor Scale	Minor Arpeggio
Phrygian #3	Diminished Arp. on 2 step.	Phrygian #3 scale	Chromatics
Blues Based	Blues Scale	Dorian Scale	Minor Arpeggio