

# 10 Killer Singing Tips

A Quick Start Guide to Get Better at Singing Immediately

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### Tip #1 Always Warm Up First

When you want to go swimming, running or weightlifting, you need to warm up to loosen your muscle and avoid injuries. The same goes when you are about to sing. You also need to warm up to relax the vocal cord as well as the inner muscles that control it.

A good warm up session for about **15 to 20 minutes** before singing will help expanding your range, removing mucous as well as preventing you from losing your voice.

Vocal warm up routines are actually very simple. Start with something light like lip trills or humming that gives the least amount of strain to your vocal cords. After you feel that your larynx muscles are relaxed enough, start more challenging routines like vocalizing.

# Tip #2 Find Your Range

You will sing better if you the song is within your vocal range. Everybody has different vocal range and you need to find how wide your range is to maximize your potential.

Your singing range can improve so you need to challenge yourself. As you learn how to breathe more properly and be more confident, you can find yourself singing in a wider range.

But you need to know your limits too because not everybody is blessed with wide vocal range. Vocal range is just one part of the equation. So, even though your range is not wide, you can still sing well if you choose a suitable song and accompanied it with other proper techniques.

#### Tip #3 Learn to Breathe

Breathing is one of the most difficult basic techniques every singer should master. Controlling your breathing is hard but once you know how to do it, you can sing with more power and wider range without running out of energy.

Most beginner singers fill up either their chest or belly when singing. This is wrong because not only you will get tired easily, stomach and chest breathing will let you release the air too fast so you will be out of breathe very soon.

To sing better and produce more power, you need to practice diaphragm breathing technique. When you inhale, don't constrict your neck, shoulder and stomach. Instead, try to relax when you are inhaling and don't forget to learn to pace yourself.

#### Tip #4 Improve Your Tone

Just like vocal range, vocal tone is unique in every people. The tone is what characterize and distinguish you from other singer. It is your personality.

So, there is no right or wrong when it comes to vocal tone because you are born with it. However, there are many ways you can do to make your vocal tone sounds better by fixing your techniques.

Improving your vocal tone can mean fixing your breathing, perfecting your pitch or even producing more power. It will be different for each person because even people with similar vocal tones can have various issues to fix. So, if you really want to improve your tone, it is best to see a vocal coach that can help you identify your problems.

# Tip #5 Pay Attention to Articulation and Pronunciation

Singing is not only about reaching one note to another. It is also about telling a story, delivering a message that will touch the listener's heart. So, to make sure you will be able to deliver the message perfectly, you should pay attention to your articulation and pronunciation.

Every syllable and every word of the lyric you sing must be precise and clear. Before singing the song, try to read the lyric aloud first and make sure you can pronounce every word clearly.

Lyric is an integral part of the song. No matter how good your vocal technique is, the audience will not enjoy what you present if they can't catch what you say. Furthermore, proper articulation also will help you reach the difficult notes.

# Tip #6 Master the Art of Pitch Control

It is safe to say that controlling the pitch is the most difficult thing in singing, and even professional singers still find this thing challenging. Thankfully, there are many things you can do to improve your pitch control and you will get better with proper trainings.

The best thing you can do to improve your pitch is to play a note on the piano, hear it carefully and then try to sing that note. After that, try to do it in sequence instead of just a single note. Improving your pitch is not only about singing the right note but also hearing the right note. So, you also need to train your ears and make them more sensitive to every note.

# Tip #7 Listen to Various Professional Singers

One of the best ways to learn singing is by listening to how other professional singers sing. It is a perfect way to explore new skill and find examples to learn the techniques you have yet to master.

As a singer, you must have another singer as a role model, maybe someone like Celine Dion or Mariah Carey. However, no matter how much you like them, make sure you listen to other singers as well.

Don't limit yourself only to certain singers because it could be actually dangerous. If you are not careful, you might end up copying their style. And as a singer, you definitely don't want to be recognized as the second Mariah or someone who sounds like Celine Dion.

# Tip #8 Listen to Your Singing Voice

To be a better singer, you have to learn to find your flaws and most importantly, to fix it. So, make sure you record your voice when you are practicing or performing. After that, listen to that recording carefully and find out whether there are some areas that will need improvement.

This way, you can really focus on polishing the techniques that you are good at and fixing some aspects where you are not really good at. It will save plenty of time and energy because you can go straight to the problem.

Don't forget to ask feedbacks from someone who understands. Don't do this alone especially if you are your worst critic. Be critical but also be fair to yourself.

## Tip #9 Pay Attention to Your Health

Vocal cord is such a delicate thing, but it is an essential part of you as a singer so you should take a good care of it. When it comes to singing, skill is important, but you will not able to showcase what you have if your throat is not in a good condition.

Therefore, if you are determined to be a singer, paying attention to your health is important. You really should watch what you eat and avoid food that can irritate your throats, such as greasy or spicy foods.

Before you go on stage, you also should avoid alcohol and carbonated drinks because they can dry your throat. Furthermore, no matter how delicious cold beverages can be, you should avoid them too because the coldness can constrict your throat.

## Tip #10 Be Confident

Last but not least, be confident. Nobody wants to see a singer that trembles on the stage. No matter how remarkable your vocal technique is, it will mean nothing if you cannot impress the audience on stage.

To improve your confidence, you need to actually get out there and perform. Go to an audition, join a singing competition, busk on the street, and take every chance you can get to perform because that is the only way to work with your confidence.

Performing in front of many people definitely will not be easy. This is why practicing your techniques is also important in improving your confidence. If you believe in yourself and what you are capable of, singing will be much better and easier.

# The Truth About Singing Better

I understand that these tips can be very useful, but they're so scattered and all over the place at the same time.

The truth is, you can't learn how to sing and improve your voice from reading a few tips like this.

Sure these can give you some good ideas moving forward, but what you really need is <u>video lessons</u>.

I have personally reviewed most of the online singing lessons courses, and I found Aaron's Superior Singing to be the best.

This is what I recommend to everyone who are really serious to improve their voice.

I recommend you watch some video tips from Aaron I have linked in the button below:

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