

Cello

The Travel Song

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Begin the piece in first position with your 4th finger on the D string, on the note “G”. During measures 1 and 3, and the first half of measures 2 and 4, while playing your open D or A string, shift between 1st position and 3rd position. Following along with the provided fingerings should help with understanding which position one should be in at any given time.

Make sure that when shifting, the entire left hand shifts as a unit with virtually no movement of the individual fingers and parts of the hand. Think like a robot.

♩ = 60

4 0 1 0 4 0 1 0 4 4 0 1 2

3 4 0 1 0 4 4 2 1 0

5 4

The musical score is written in bass clef, G major (two sharps), and 4/4 time. It consists of three staves. The first staff begins with a repeat sign and contains measures 1 through 4. The second staff continues with measures 5 through 8. The third staff contains measure 9, which ends with a double bar line. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-4 above the notes. A '7' is placed above the note in the final measure, indicating the 7th fret.