



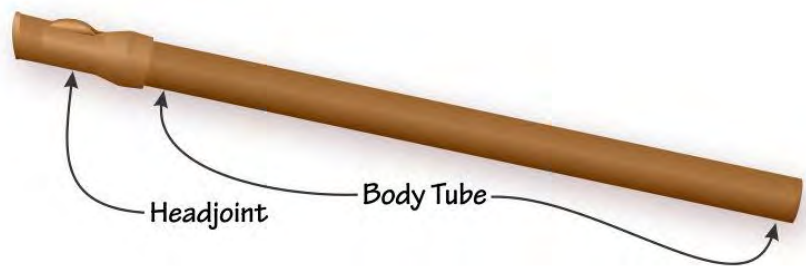
A Brief Introduction to the Breath Flute

The Breath Flute lets players with little or no musical experience create deep, resonant music using only their breath. They are ideal for community music gatherings and can be used in music therapy, therapeutic music-making, and a wide range of

personal breath practices such as yoga and meditation. They have no finger holes, so they are accessible to players with physical limitations. Most players with no musical experience can create music in the first few minutes and experience the physiological benefits associated with resonant breathing the first time they play the instrument.

The Instrument

Breath Flutes have a 5" headjoint section combined with a 4' long body tube. The headjoint can be 3D-printed using free, open-source software. The body tube can be as simple as a length of standard pipe and press-fits into the body tube.



Seven headjoints fabricated from several types of PLA and Copolyester filaments

The Breath Flute design is available in a free, open-source software package that has all the files you need to 3D-print Breath Flute headjoints. You can use them for yourself, for your music gatherings, and even offer them for sale without paying royalties. If you wish to customize the design, the distribution package has all the code as well as extensive documentation.

You may download, use, modify, and distribute the Breath Flute Project software under a permissive license designed to keep the software free and open. The license encourages anyone to improve the design and share their improvements with the community.

For More Information

You can access everything related to the Breath Flute and download the distribution package at www.BreathFlute.com. You can also access PDF versions of the [Breath Flute Developer's Guide](#) and the [Breath Flute History and Evolution](#).



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