

## **Bad Habits - Ed Sheeran Piano Tutorial**

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In this tutorial, I show you how to play Bad Habits by Ed Sheeran on piano. There are so many guitar tutorials for this song that I thought it was time to show you how to nail this on piano.

Bad Habits was a huge hit for British singer-songwriter Ed Sheeran in 2021. As with most of his songs, this one is harmonically simple and uses a hook and groove to add interest and excitement.

In this tutorial, I am going to take you through my usual three step pop piano arrangement protocol.

Step #1 is to learn the chords, so you can sing and simply play the chords.

Step #2 is to figure out the "hook" and the groove.

Step #3 is to put it all together into an arrangement.

**Ready? Let's go!**

**Step #1 Learn the chords:**

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**Verse #1**

**B-** **Dma7** **F#-** **Gma7** **Gma7** **A**  
Every time you come around, you know I can't say no  
**B-** **Dma7** **F#-** **Gma7** **Gma7** **A**  
Every time the sun goes down, I let you take control  
**B-** **Dma7** **F#-** **Gma7** **Gma7** **A**  
I can feel the paradise before my world implodes  
**B-** **Dma7** **F#-** **E-7** **E-7**  
And tonight had something wonderful

**Chorus**

**B-** **Dma7**  
My bad habits lead to late nights, endin' alone  
**F#-** **Gma7** **Gma7** **A**  
Conversations with a stranger I barely know  
**B-** **Dma7**  
Swearin' this will be the last, but it probably won't  
**F#-** **E-7** **E-7**  
I got nothin' left to lose, or use, or do  
**B-** **Dma7**  
My bad habits lead to wide eyes stare into space  
**F#-** **Gma7** **Gma7** **A**  
And I know I'll lose control of the things that I say  
**B-** **Dma7**  
Yeah, I was lookin' for a way out, now I can't escape  
**F#-** **E-7** **E-7**  
Nothin' happens after two, it's true, it's true  
**B-** **Dma7** **F#-** **Gma7** **Gma7** **A**  
My bad habits lead to you - Ooh-ooh, ooh-ooh  
**B-** **Dma7** **F#-** **Gma7** **Gma7** **A**  
My bad habits lead to you - Ooh-ooh, ooh-ooh  
**B-** **Dma7** **F#-** **Gma7**  
My bad habits lead to you





## Reggae Groove



## Tricky Advanced Piano Groove Thing

Musical notation for a Tricky Advanced Piano Groove Thing exercise. It consists of two staves in treble and bass clefs with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The top staff has a steady eighth-note pattern: quarter rest, eighth note, quarter rest, eighth note, quarter rest, eighth note, quarter rest, eighth note. The notes are G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4, F#4. The bottom staff has a steady eighth-note pattern: quarter rest, eighth note, quarter rest, eighth note, quarter rest, eighth note, quarter rest, eighth note. The notes are G3, F#3, E3, D3, C3, B2, A2, G2.

## Step #4: Put it all together

Take your time and make sure that you are keeping solid time. Use the metronome!!

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