

Accidental Blues

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A sharp sign (#) in front of a note makes it one semitone higher; a flat sign (b) makes it one semitone lower.

A natural sign (n) cancels out a sharp or flat sign.

In music the word 'accidental' has a special meaning. Every sharp, flat or natural sign that occurs that isn't in the key signature is known as an accidental (even though it's not there by accident!).

Important chords in the key of E major:-

Pentatonic scale (useful for improvising):-