



C. Milton Wright High School

Guitar Ensemble

Name: _____

Chords in a Major Key

Chords within the C Major Scale:

C	Dm	Em	F	G	Am	B dim
I	ii	iii	IV	V	vi	vii ^o

Roman Numerals:

Chords are often referred to with Roman numerals. This is because the relationships of the chords to each other between any given key are identical. The Roman numerals are shown above. Notice that the major chords are given an upper case Roman numeral and the minor chords are given a lower case Roman numeral. The diminished chord is also lower case and adds a small circle.

Table of Chords in Guitar Friendly Keys:

Fill in the chord table below. It may help to use the blank staves below to write out the scale first. Remember to apply your major scale formula!

	I	ii	iii	IV	V	vi	♭ VII
C Major	C	Dm	Em	F	G	Am	B ♭
G Major	G	Am	Bm	C	D	Em	F
D Major	D	Em	F#m	G	A	Bm	C
A Major	A	Bm	Cm	D	E	F#m	G
E Major	E	F#m	G#m	A	B	C#m	D

Blank Workspace
