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Summary (Outline form):

* Soaking reeds
  + - * Need to soak in water, not in mouth-closed container
      * Submerge reed before assembling bassoon
      * Keep water outside bassoon case in case of spilling
    - Reed storage
      * Keep reeds in container that protects them
      * Reed case with resting foam and holes drilled in
      * Should not return reed to vial it came in
    - Keeping reeds clean
      * Keep well ventilated
      * Don’t play with stuff on lips
      * Soak reed in clean fresh water
      * Clean mouth/teeth before playing
      * Can clean reed in warm water or by running pipe cleaner through it
    - Rotating Reeds
      * Try rotating two reeds, both will last much longer