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Summary (Outline form):

* Breath control determines tone quality, intonation, phrasing, technique and musicality.
* Depends on air capacity, rationing and releasing of notes
* Exercise to develop air capacity
* Make small aperture to ration breath because there is no resistance
* Practice saying pooh to strengthen embouchure
* Learn to reserve air and practice stage whispers
* Practice approach and release of notes make sure notes following breaths are the same dynamic levels
* Mark and take every breath planned!