BOW STROKES – ON THE STRING WITH ATTACK – COLLÉ				
What is it	What to do	Where on bow	Feels like	
COLLÉ	It is THE MOST IMPORTAN INGREDIENT of any stroke on the string requiring a BOW ATTACK.  Don't involve the arm or the hand in the movement – this is FINGERS ONLY movement.  1. BENDING (closing) fingers, LANDING slowly and PRESSING bow down on string – bow GLUED on string.  2. LIFTING BOW OFF with a rapid motion opening fingers	ANYWHERE ON BOW	ARTICULATED BOW ATTACK −  FINGERS ONLY MOVEMENT  → BENDING (CATCHING) FINGERS  / PRESSING /  → RAPID LIFT / OPEN FINGERS /  THUMB RELAXED  → HEARING THE 'CLICK' SOUND	
	(fingers <b>STAY</b> in opened position after that).  3. <b>HEARING THE 'CLICK'</b> sound of when bow lifts off from string.			

HAVE YOU LEARNED IT	Action Words / Task	PRACTICING LINK – GO TO:
COLLÉ	1a. BEND (CATCH) FINGERS	→ SCALES – BOW STROKES – BASIC
	1b. LAND SLOWLY	→ POINT 2
	1c. PRESS ON STRING	
	2a. RAPID LIFT	→ EXERCISES – ŠEVČÍK – BOW
	2b. OPEN (RELEASE) FINGERS	TECHNIQUE
	2c. THUMB RELAXED	→ POINT 1
	3. HEAR THE 'CLICK' SOUND	

