

# Beginning Handwriting

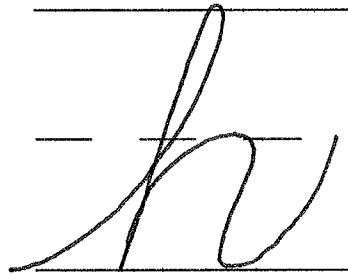
**Reproducible Practice Sheets  
For Grades 2 and 3**

Lesson 10 – To the teacher

Swing, over, slant, up the hill, over the hill, slant and swing.

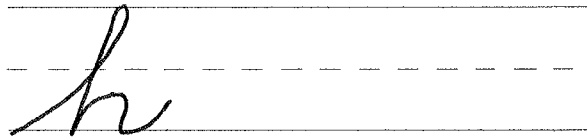
To make 'h' you make a tall swing line, then go over the top to the left, slant and stop. Go back up the slant line, over a hill with the top of the hill touching the mid-line, slant down and swing to end.

This is a favourite letter and the children will love it!



Be careful that the children touch the mid-line with the hill curve.

Not:



Words to write:

hit - hill - hi

the - he

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# Lesson 10 – h

h

h

h

h

h

h

h

Now, try the h !

h

h

Can you write these words?

he

hi

hill

## Lesson // - To the teacher

The children have learned 5 letters. Before going on, practice writing the words on individual chalkboards and paper. Have each child choose the word they think is written most perfectly.

The teacher can write examples of poorly written letters on the chalkboard and make fun of them. Discuss the problems and what should be done.

Words to write:

*it - lit - till*

*tilt - lie - tie - lit*

*let - tell - tile*

*hit - hi - he*

*hill - the*

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# Lesson 11 – Review

Write these letters.

i

t

v

b

h

Write these words.

he hi tie

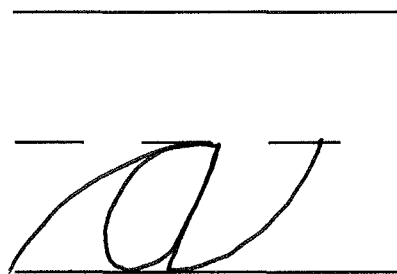
the it lit

till hill tell

hit tile lie

## Lesson 28 - To the teacher

The letter 'a' is formed using the overswing stroke. Print an 'a' but with the slant stroke as the back. The children can think of printing a 'c' and this will ensure they are going to the left to make the rounded part. This rounded part is oval and tipped so the slant will be tipped correctly. Finish with the underswing. Make sure the circle is closed.



Some words you can write:

at	ate	are	art	ask	all
cat	cap	call	face	car	cart
as	after	water	hall	half	sat
rat	pat	bat	ball	wash	late
bath	back	able	jab	fast	

# Lesson 28 - a

a

a

a

a

a

Write some words.

at

are

ask

car

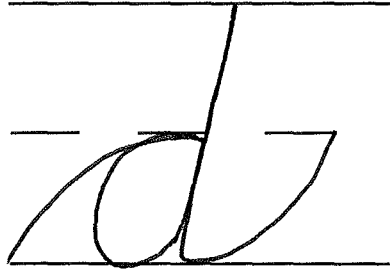
wash

ball

face

## Lesson 29 - To the teacher

The letter 'd' is formed using the overswing stroke, over the top and down slightly. Make the circle for the 'a' but go up to the top line. Make the tall slant line and an underswing to finish.



The tall back of the 'd' should not have a loop and the circle should be closed.

Some words you can write:

add	sad	dad	pad	dash	called	
had	did	fed	bed	led	hid	rid
bud	hide	ride	side	fade	said	
red	pad	kid	had	dip	duck	
deer	dark	paddle	fiddle	puddle		



# Lesson 29 – d

d

d

d

d

d

Write some words.

did

dad

add

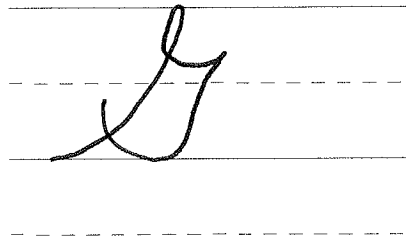
hid

dish

duck

pad

# Lesson 51 – G



G

G

Gus

Gail