

Read Write Inc.

Handwriting Rhymes

A copy of the handwriting rhymes used in Read Write Inc programme at school to help you support your child in their handwriting and writing at home.

a - Round the apple and down the leaf.

b - down the laces, over the toe and touch the heel.

c - curl around the caterpillar.

d - round his back, up his neck and down to his feet. (dinosaur)

e - slice into the egg, go over the top, then under the egg.

f - down the stem and draw the leaves.

g - round the girl's face, down her hair and give her a curl.

h - down the horse's head to the hooves and over his back.

i - down the body, dot for the head.

j - down the body, curl and dot.

k - down the kangaroo's body, tail and leg.

l - down the long leg.



m - Maisie, mountain as you go down Maisie and then over the two mountains.

n - Down Nobby and over his net.

o - all around the orange.

p - down the plait, up and over the pirate's face.

q - round the queen's head, up her crown, down her hair then curl.

r - down the robot's back, then up and curl.

s - slide around the snake.

t - down the tower, across the tower.

u - down the umbrella, up to the top and down to the puddle.

v - down a wing, up a wing.

w - down, up, down, up the worm.

x - cross down the arm and leg and cross the other way.

y - down the horn and under the yak's head.

z - Zig-zag-zig down the zip.

