

How to Become A Five Star Student!

Do you want your writing to look its very best? Here are the five basic areas you should consider when evaluating your handwriting form:



Alignment

Each letter or word should sit *on* the line, not above or below it.



Slant

Letters slant must be consistent with the edge of the paper, or with other downstroke letters.



Size

Capital letters are all one full space tall. The lowercase letters b, d, f, h, k, l, and t are also one space tall. All other lowercase letters are half a space tall. Also, letters that go below the line (g, j, p, q, and y) should extend to the bottom line.



Shape

Letters should be uniform and easy to read. When letters are written with correct strokes, they have a more consistent look.



Spacing

Letters should not run into each other, or be too far apart. Allow a letter space (○) between words and sentences.

Follow these guidelines, focusing on consistency and quality, and you'll be a **Five Star** student!

The following practice sentence contains all the letters of the alphabet:

God created zebras and foxes to walk, jump, and hide very quickly.

Practice Lessons



Practice
Lesson 6

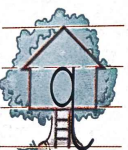


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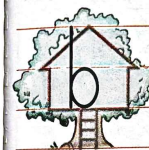
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Practice
Lesson 7

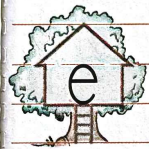


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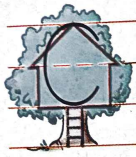
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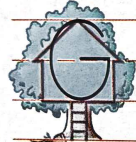
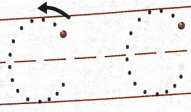
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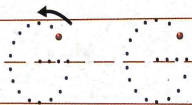
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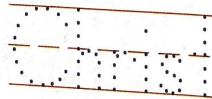
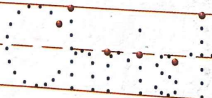
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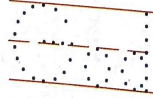
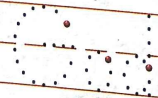
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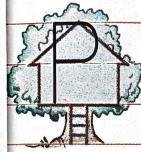


God



Practice Lesson 19

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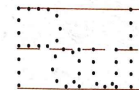
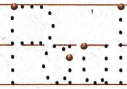
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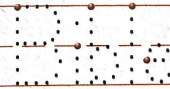
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Paul



Bible



Day Three Practice the final letters and words from this week's Scripture.

paths

paths

paths

lead

lead

lead

are

are

are

Day Four

Practice this week's entire Scripture verse by tracing over each of the letters below.

Help me to do your will,
for You are my God. Lead
me in good paths.

Psalm 143:10



Name _____

Lesson 10

TIP OF THE WEEK

Vowels are important letters. Every word has a vowel: **a, e, i, o, u** (and sometimes **y**). As you write your vowels this week, pay close attention to their shape and size.

Day One

Practice the following letters and words from this week's Scripture.

E e

E e

E e

puts

puts

puts

Day Two

Continue practicing letters and words from this week's Scripture.

blesses

blesses

blesses

trust

trust

trust

Day Three

Practice the final letters and words from this week's scripture.

obey

obey

happy

happy

man

man

Day Four

Practice this week's entire Scripture verse by tracing over each of the letters below.

God blesses those who
obey Him, happy the man
who puts his trust in the
Lord. Proverbs 16:20



Name _____

Lesson 11

TIP OF THE WEEK

Sometimes the letter I is used as a word by itself. When I is a word, it is always capitalized. What other capitalized word do you write every day? (Hint: you sign your papers with it.)

Day One

Practice the following letters and words from this week's Scripture.

I

I

will

will

Day Two

Continue practicing letters and words from this week's Scripture.

richly

richly

I

I

To The Teacher

The following pages are for use on Day 5 of the **Weekly Lesson Format** (Teacher Guidebook, page 56).

These **Scripture Border Sheets** not only provide a significant outreach component, but a strong motivational tool as well.

This section contains 31 **Scripture Border Sheets** — one per lesson, plus an extra, plus two blanks (pages 157 and 159) that allow for student-designed artwork.

For creative ways to use the **Scripture Border Sheets** see “Ways to Share” (Teacher Guidebook, page 58).

