Ready Steady Handwrite

Progression

EYFS Yearly Overview

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EYFS	**Introduce:** Air writing; following the dot to make shapes **Introduce:** Ready to Write routine	**Reinforce:** Ready to Write routine **Reinforce:** air writing; following the dot to make shapes **Introduce:** tracing patterns into drawing patterns	**Introduce:** Simple straight strokes **Motor patterns:** Vertical lines Short horizontal strokes Controlled stopping and starting **Letters (easy shapes)** • l • i • t **Introduce:** Combining straight lines with shallow curves **Motor patterns:** Straight + slight curve Anti-clockwise movement begins **Letters** • u • w • e **Reinforce:** Simple straight strokes **Motor patterns:** Vertical lines Short horizontal strokes Controlled stopping and starting **Letters (easy shapes)** • l • i • t **Reinforce:** Combining straight lines with shallow curves	**Introduce:** Full curves and controlled closure **Motor patterns:** Anti-clockwise circles Closing shapes accurately **Letters** • c • o • a • d • s **Embed:** Simple straight strokes **Motor patterns:** Vertical lines Short horizontal strokes Controlled stopping and starting **Letters (easy shapes)** • l • i • t **Reinforce:** Full curves and controlled closure **Motor patterns:** Anti-clockwise circles Closing shapes accurately **Letters** • o • d • s	**Introduce:** Arches, humps, ascenders and descenders **Motor patterns:** Repeated arches Taller letters **Letters** • r • n • m • h • b • k **Embed:** Combining straight lines with shallow curves **Motor patterns:** Straight + slight curve Anti-clockwise movement begins **Letters** • u • w • e **Reinforce**: Arches, humps, ascenders and descenders **Motor patterns:** Repeated arches Taller letters **Letters** • r • n • m • h • b • k	**Introduce:** Arches, humps, ascenders and descenders **Motor patterns:** Descenders below the line **Letters** • p • j • y • g • q **Introduce:** Harder shapes **Letters** • f • v • x • z **Reinforce:** Arches, humps, ascenders and descenders **Motor patterns:** Descenders below the line **Letters** • g • q **Reinforce:** Harder shapes **Letters** • f • z

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