

## Reception Literacy Homework

### Assalamu'alaykum Dear Parents,

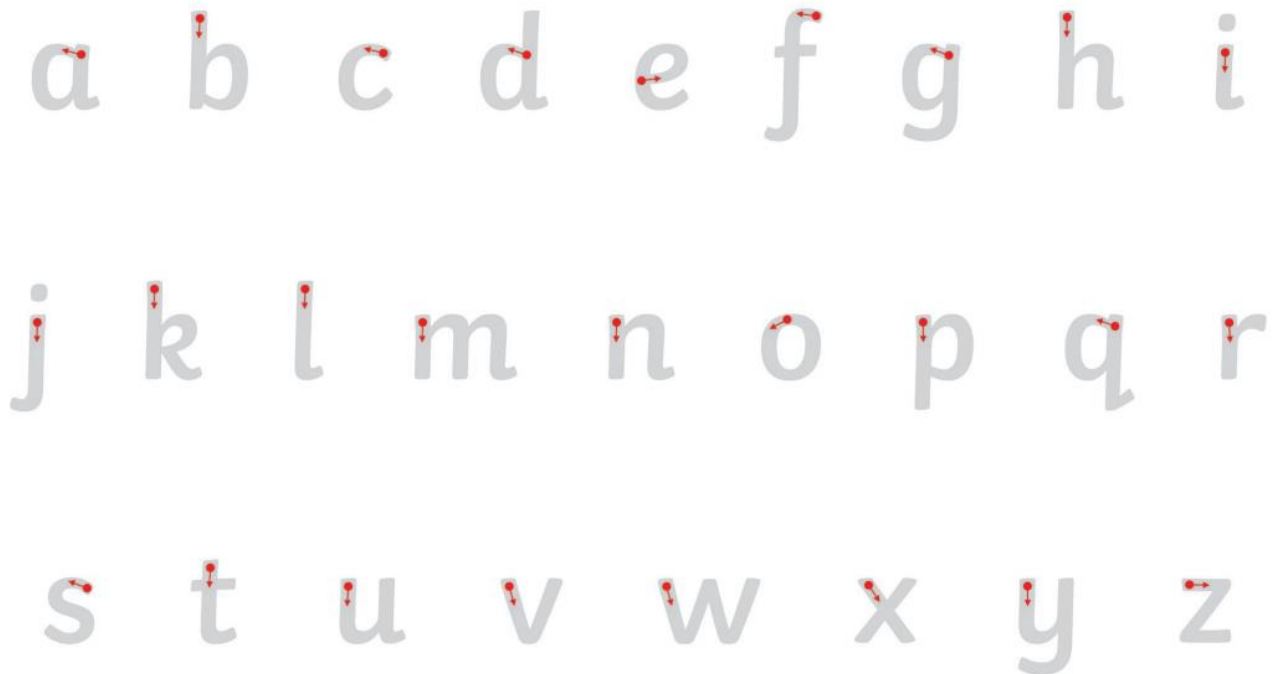
During the winter holiday, we would like you to support your child with their homework:

- Write one sentence everyday about what you did during your holiday. We will expect you to write at least one sentence per day. Remember to use capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.
  
- Practice your letter formation (See below).
  
- Are you ready for a challenge? Practice 'cursive handwriting' (**See instructions below**)
  
- It is imperative that you read with your child 15 minutes per day.
  
- Recite Surah Fatiha, Al-Ikhlās, Al-Falaq, An-Naas, Ayatul Kursi **every day**.
  
- Ensure you recite all your duaas: Before/After eating, before/after toilet, sleeping/waking up **every day**.
  
- Practice writing the 'high frequency' words in your homework book.

<b>the</b>					
<b>and</b>					
<b>a</b>					
<b>to</b>					
<b>said</b>					
<b>in</b>					

Jazakumullah Khair and have a lovely break:)

## Letter Formation Practice Sheet



Assalamu'alaykum Dear Parents,

### *Introduction to cursive handwriting*

We will be introducing cursive handwriting for children who can now form their letters. We recommend the following website to start practising with your child.

Google: **Teach handwriting**

teachhandwriting.co.uk

**Teach Handwriting: Home**

A comprehensive guide to teaching, and helping improve, children's handwriting, using practice worksheets, animations, games, activities, information and ...

**Resources**

The handwriting developmental stages, pencil grip, hand ...

**Continuous Cursive Letters**

Teaching to correctly form continuous cursive letters, using ...

**Teach Handwriting Scheme**

Handwriting Teaching Scheme. Our Scheme takes a holistic ...

**Teachers**

Teachers. Foundation Stage (4 - 5 year olds). Concentrating on ...

**Click Resources**



## Teach Handwriting Resources



### Children's handwriting progression

Information on: how a child learns to handwrite; the popular fonts and letters taught in UK schools and the teaching requirements of the UK National Curriculum.



### How to teach handwriting

Resources to teach handwriting including: pre-handwriting patterns, number and single letter formation, joining letters, sitting position, pencil grip, paper position and fit, warm up exercises and teaching tips.

Click on the image to the

left of 'How to teach handwriting'

## How to teach handwriting



### Handwriting animations and worksheets

Free animations and accompanying worksheets to support children through the 3 stages of handwriting: pre-handwriting patterns, single letter formation and joins.



### Pencil grip for handwriting

Videos to teach right and left-handed children how to hold a pencil in an efficient grip and step by step guides for educators.

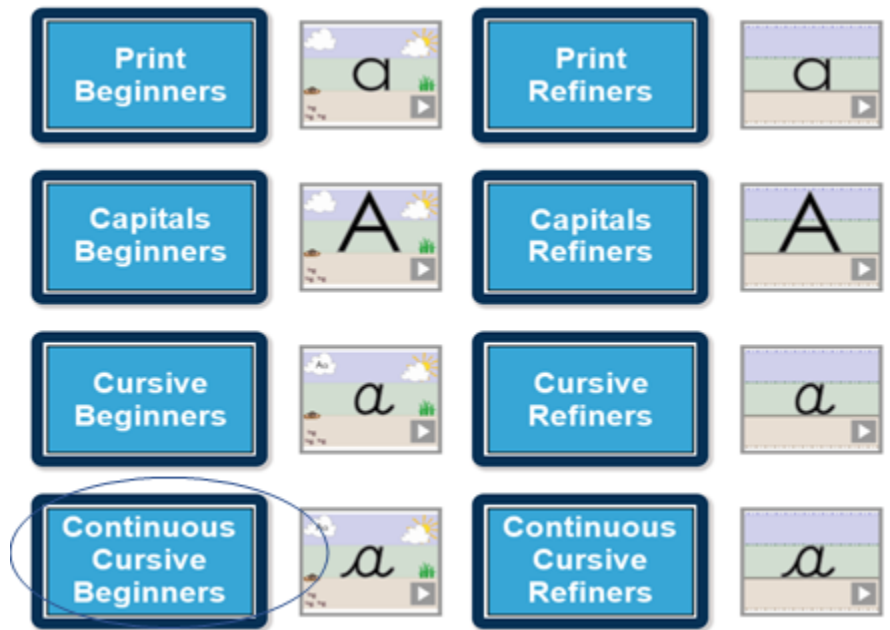


### Sitting position for handwriting

A guide to what is the best sitting position for both right and left-handed writers and simple tips on adjusting table and seat height to provide it.

Next click on the image to the left of 'Handwriting animations and worksheets'

Click on the box below Handwriting – Stage 2 'Continuous cursive beginners



**Continuous Cursive Beginners Letter Choices**

Which w x z?

At Teach Children we teach the letters in groups/families, based on how they are formed, not alphabetical order. As the letters w, x and z can be written in different ways, impacting on which letter family they are taught in, we offer you a choice of 4 letter combinations.

Choice 1	Choice 2	Choice 3	Choice 4

Click on 'choice 3'

*At Teach Children we teach the letters in groups/families, based on how they are formed, not alphabetical order. **Complete the worksheets at your own pace.***

Jazakumullah Khair and enjoy☺