



## LANGUAGE TIPS FOR HANDWRITING!

Here are some **AUDITORY** tricks to help children master common writing strokes.

Cut these out, laminate if you'd like, and tape them to a child's desk.

Feel welcome to copy these and share them with your friends and fellow staff.

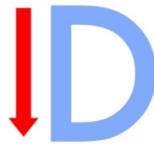
Remember, consistency is key, so try to use the same language for similar strokes as you teach new letters or review old ones.

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When you draw **DOWN** strokes, say:



say "DRAW DOWN"

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When you move **BACK UP** to the top of the page, say:



say "HOP to the TOP"

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For a **ROUNDED** line, say:



say "DRAW a SMALL BUMP"  
"DRAW a BIG BUMP"

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For a **HORIZONTAL** line, say:



say "WALK along the FLOOR"

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For a **DIAGONAL** line, say:



say "SLIDE DOWN"

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