



Handwriting at Green Lea First School



Read Write Inc. Letter Formation

The red dot indicates where to start with your pencil.

a Around the apple and down the leaf.	b Down the laces to the heel and around the toe.	c Curl around the caterpillar.	d Around the dinosaurs bottom, up his tall neck & down to his toes.	e Lift off the top and scoop out the egg.	f Down the stem and draw the leaves.
g Around the girls face, down her hair and give her a curl.	h Down the head, to his hooves and over his back.	i Down the body and dot for the head.	j Down his body, curl, dot for his head.	k Down the kangaroo's body tall and leg.	l Down the long leg.
m Down Maisie, mountain, mountain.	n Down Nobby and over his net.	o All around the orange.	p Down the pirates plait and around his face.	qu Round her head, up past her earring, down her hair and flick.	r Down the robots back and curl over his arm.
s Slither down the snake.	t Down the tower, across the tower.	u Down and under, up to the top and draw the puddle.	v Down a wing, up a wing.	w Down, up, down, up.	x Down the arm and leg, repeat the other side.
y Down a horn, up a horn and under head.	z Zig-zag-vig.				

At Green Lea First School, we explicitly teach letter formation daily through Read Write Inc in Reception.



At Green Lea First School, we explicitly teach handwriting in Key Stage One and Two through Letter Join, four times weekly. Letter-join is a whole school handwriting scheme offering a combination of traditional and digital resources. These include classroom presentations, handwriting activities, online games and hundreds of worksheets using either a printed font, or a cursive font with or without a lead-in line.