



Handwriting

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Victorian Modern Cursive

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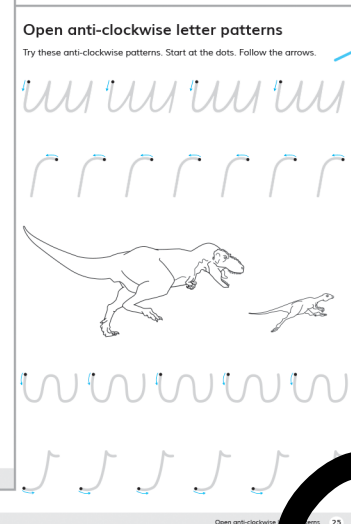
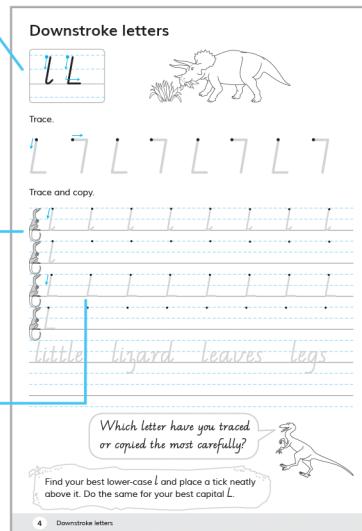
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PM Handwriting 2 learning features

Large models of the lower-case and capital letter, with starting dots and directional arrows (numbered where necessary)

Shaded head, body and tail character to assist with placement of letters on the lines

Tracing and copying the lower-case and capital letter in 6mm blue and black lines

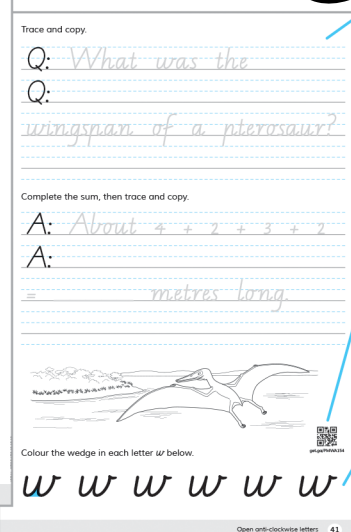


Full-page patterning exercises, grouped by movement, to practise directional flow in letter formation and develop fine motor skills

Large capital letter models for left-handers where required

Tracing pattern clusters to reinforce correct letter formation and directional flow

PM high-frequency and common interest words (where possible) to trace and copy



Tracing and copying high-frequency words in complete sentences

QR code linked to online extension exercise on selected pages

Activities to help students understand the properties of letters

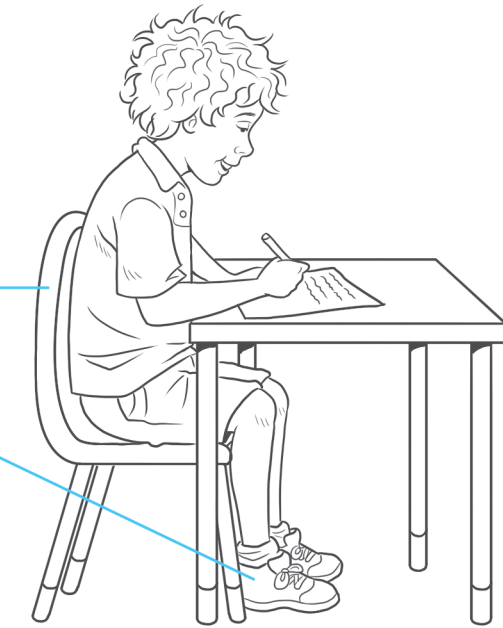
Frequent self-assessments, spelling tips and punctuation practice activities to reinforce skills

Are you ready to write?

Posture

Is your back resting against the chair?

Are your feet flat on the floor?



Paper position



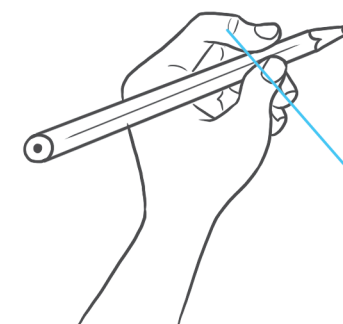
left-handed



right-handed

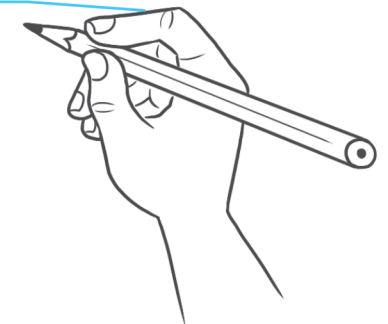
Are you holding the paper steady with your non-writing hand?

Pencil grip



Is one finger on top of the pencil?

Left-handers, hold your pencil a little further up so you can see your handwriting!

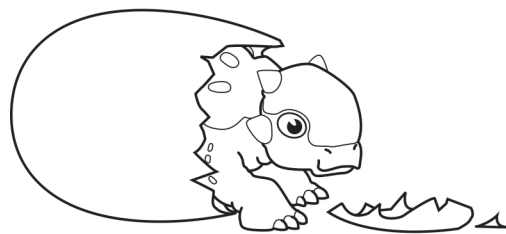
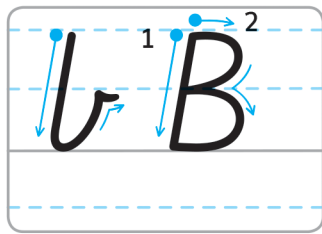


1, 2, 3, 4! Are my feet flat on the floor?

5, 6, 7, 8! Is my back up nice and straight?

9, 10, 11, 12! Show me how your pencil's held!

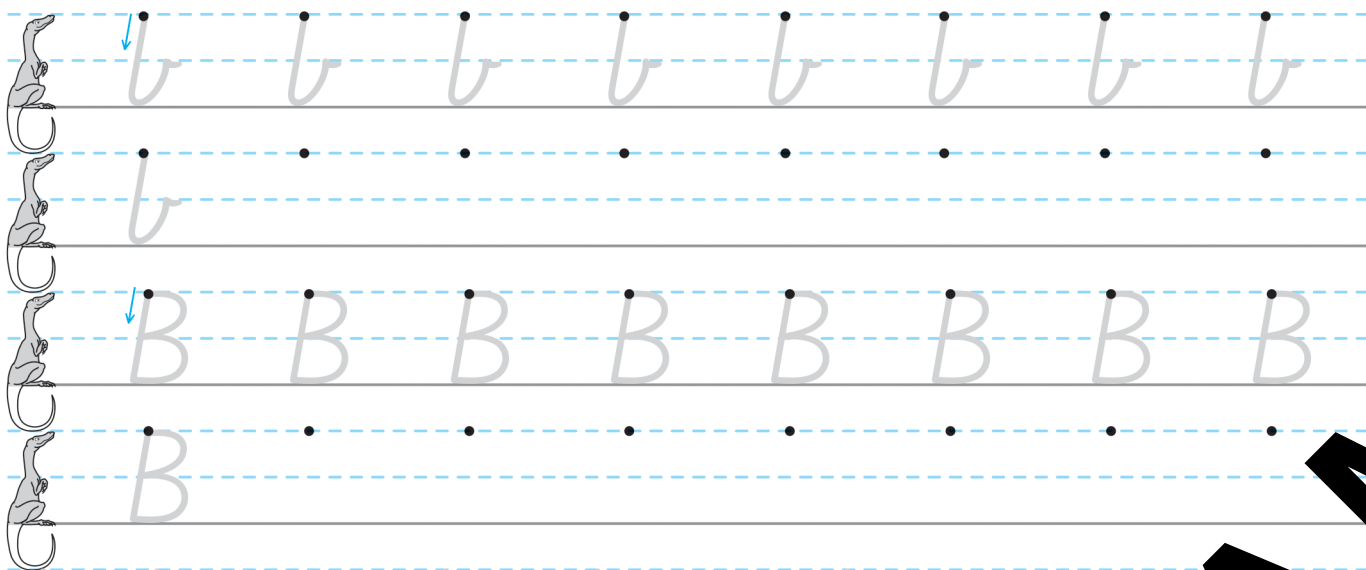
Thumb and pointer side-by-side, lucky tall one takes a ride!



Trace.

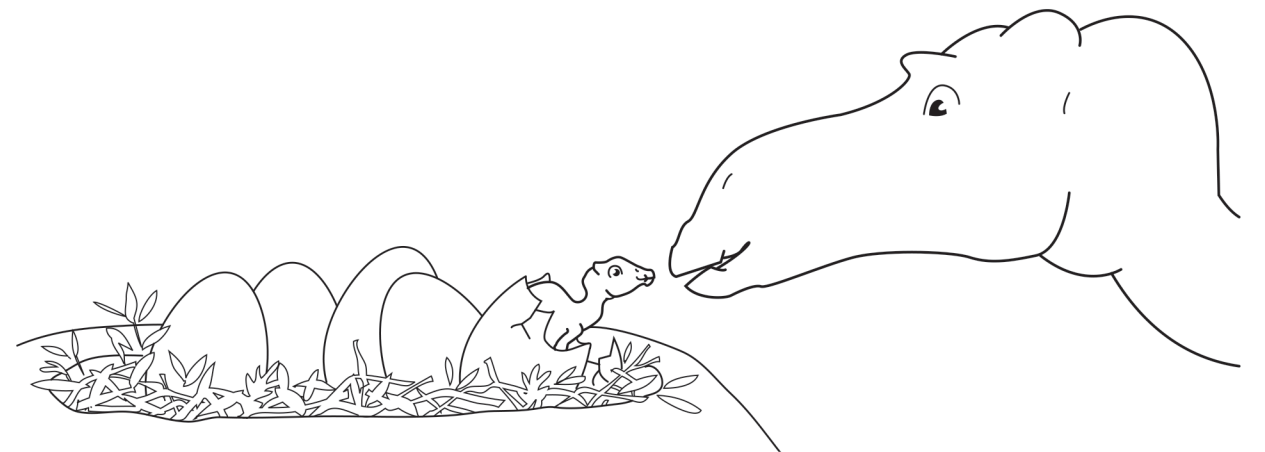


Trace and copy.

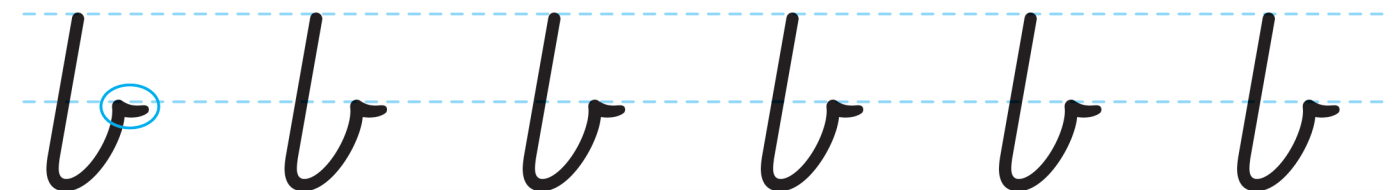


Find your best lower-case *l* and place a tick neatly above it. Do the same for your best capital *B*.

Trace and copy.



The letter *l* has a horizontal exit. Circle the horizontal exits.



Self-assessment: Clockwise letters

Trace and copy.

n N m M p P r R

h H k K x X z Z


Circle the clockwise letters with rounded entries in the word below.


Tyrannosaurus





Self-assessment

Rate your clockwise letters.


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I need to work on these.

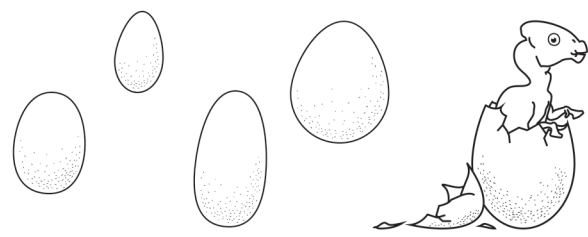

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Good.


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Great!


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Numerals

Trace and copy.



1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

10 ten 20 twenty

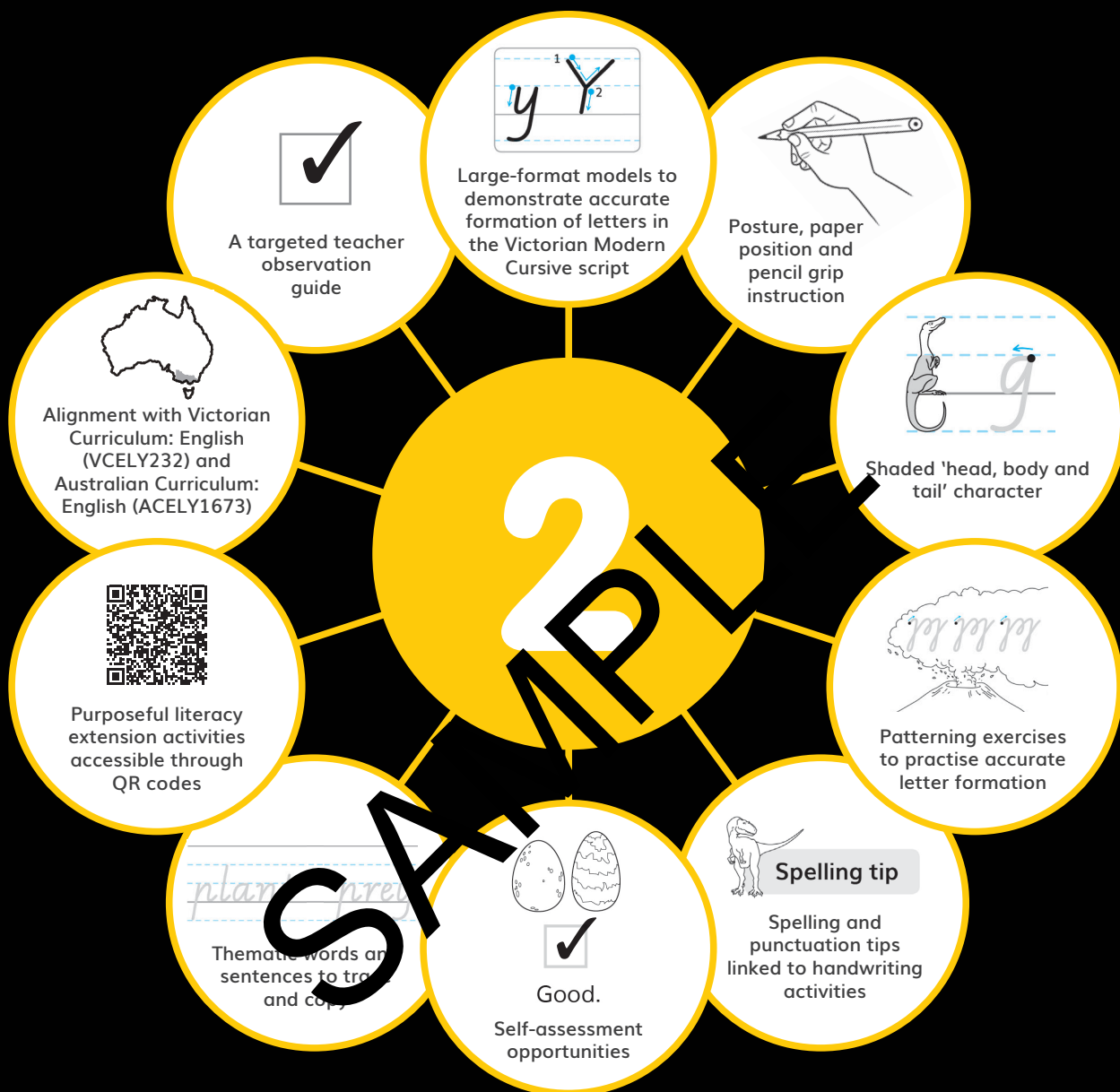
30 thirty 40 forty

50 fifty 60 sixty

70 seventy 80 eighty

90 ninety 100 one hundred

PM Handwriting is a carefully sequenced program of handwriting instruction for Foundation to Year 6. It is designed to support students in developing a fluent, legible and automatic handwriting style.



A comprehensive handwriting program for Victoria:

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