



Handwriting Jingles



Curly Caterpillar Family <i>(Anticlockwise movements)</i>	
c	Round like a curly caterpillar
o	Round like a curly caterpillar and join it up
a	Round like a curly caterpillar, join it straight and down with a flick
d	Round like a curly caterpillar, up to the top and down with a flick
g	Round like a curly caterpillar, join it straight and down with a tail
q	Round like a curly caterpillar, join it straight and down to the bottom and kick!
e	Start and across in the middle, round like a curly caterpillar
s	Slither down like a snake
f	Caterpillar at the top, all the way down, caterpillar at the bottom
Bridge Family <i>(down, up and over movements)</i>	
r	Straight down like a soldier, up and over the bridge
n	Straight down like a soldier, up and over the bridge, down with a flick
m	Straight down like a soldier, up and over the bridge down and again
h	Straight down like a tall soldier, up and over the bridge, down with a flick
b	Straight down like a tall soldier, up and over the bridge, down and round
p	Straight down like a long soldier, up and over the bridge, down and round
k	Straight down like a tall soldier, up and over the bridge, small loop round and kick!
Ladder Family <i>(mainly down movements)</i>	
l	Straight down with a flick
i	Small and straight with a dot on top
t	Straight down with a flick and a cross in the middle
j	Long and straight with a caterpillar underneath and a dot on top
u	Down and up to make it smile, down and flick
y	Down and up to make it smile, down with a tail underneath
Zig Zag Family <i>(diagonal movements)</i>	
v	Diagonally down and diagonally up.
w	Diagonally down and up, down, up.
z	Straight to the right, diagonally down and right again
x	Diagonally down, take your pencil off, diagonally down