

How To Teach Cursive Handwriting To Children

TOP TIPS

- Teach cursive first to avoid the confusion of learning print and then cursive!
- Use different mediums to trace letters in such as flour, shaving foam, sand or even in the air.
- Try laminating worksheets and using whiteboard markers so that you can re-use them for practice, or use a chalk or whiteboard.



abc

Cursive writing
is continuous,
joined-up
script.



Have your child
copy letters and
words in
cursive.



Practice makes
perfect, but cursive
will take time to
master so be
patient!



Tracing letters and
words is great practice –
try tracing the entire
alphabet daily.



Allow beginners to
scribble loops on
paper without their
pen leaving the
surface of the
page.



Teach letters in cursive
based on similarities in
formation or
movement
patterns