

# Sandpaper Numeral Writing in Sand Tray

Base Sheet

Activity Sheet

Practicing numeral formation by writing in a sand tray. The child traces sandpaper numerals and then writes them in sand.

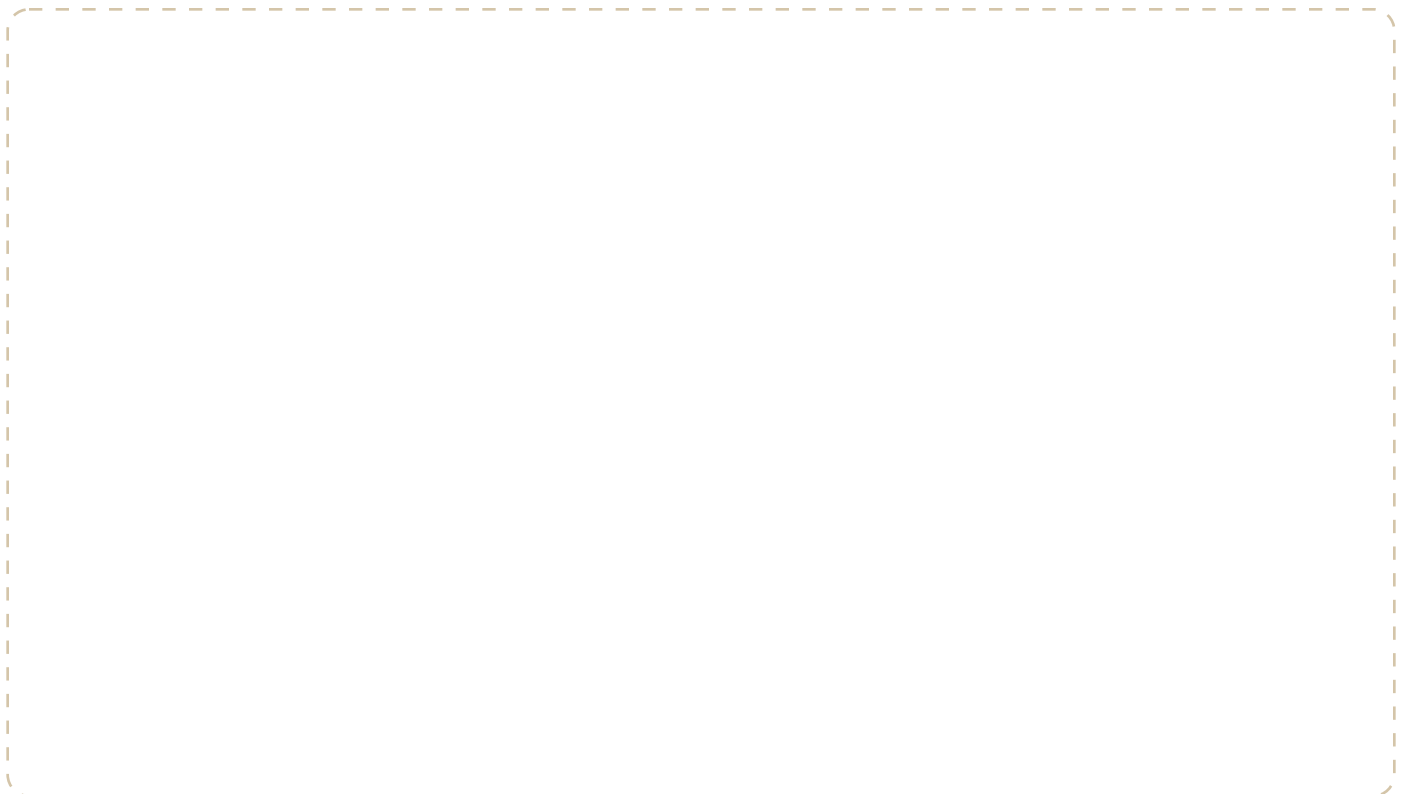
## What You Need:

- Sand tray
- Sandpaper numerals 1-10
- Fine sand or salt

## Steps:

1. Set up a shallow tray of fine sand.
2. Show sandpaper numeral 1. Trace it. Then write it in the sand.
3. Shake the tray to erase. Try again.
4. Continue with numerals 2-5.
5. Child chooses a numeral, traces it, then writes in sand.
6. Extension: write numerals to dictation ('write 4').

## Work Space:

A large dashed rectangular box, intended for the child to practice writing the numerals in sand or salt.

