WORK AREA BLUEPRINT

Feet on a Solid Surface

Body Position at 90-90-90
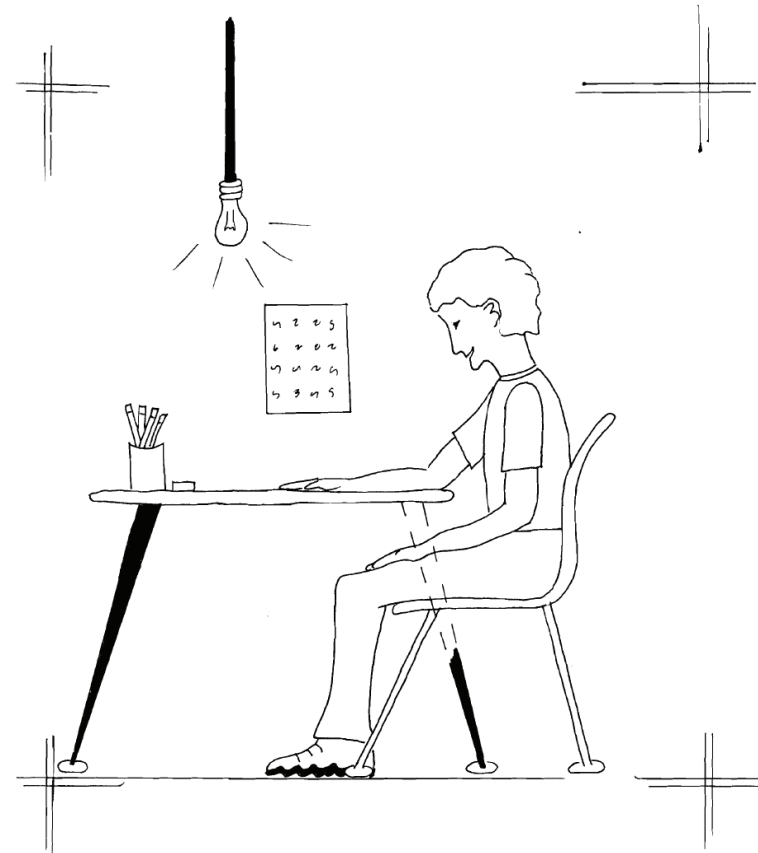
Work Surface at Correct Height

Helper Hand in Position
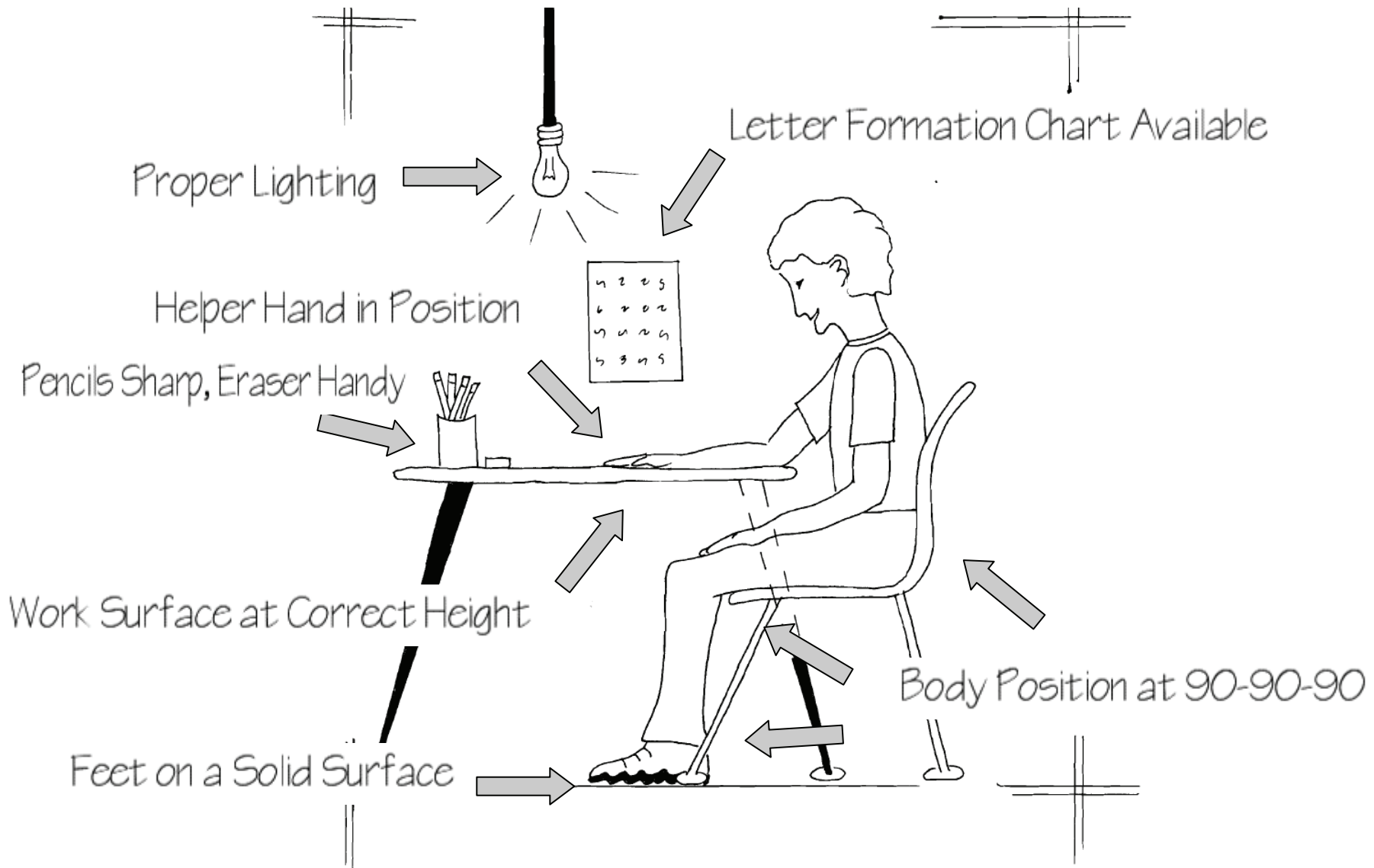
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Lowercase:

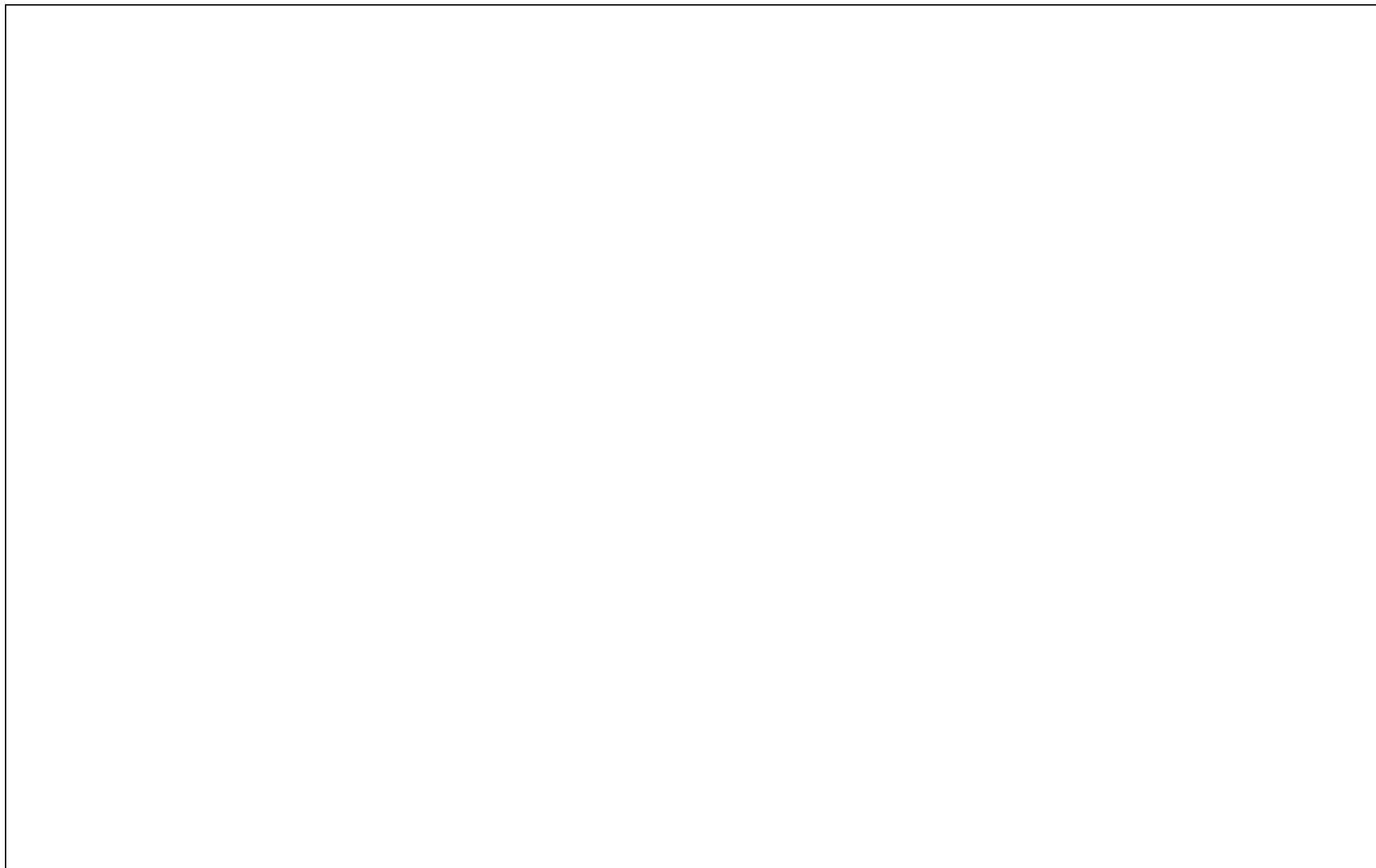a b c d e f g h i j k l m
n o p q r s t u v w x y z

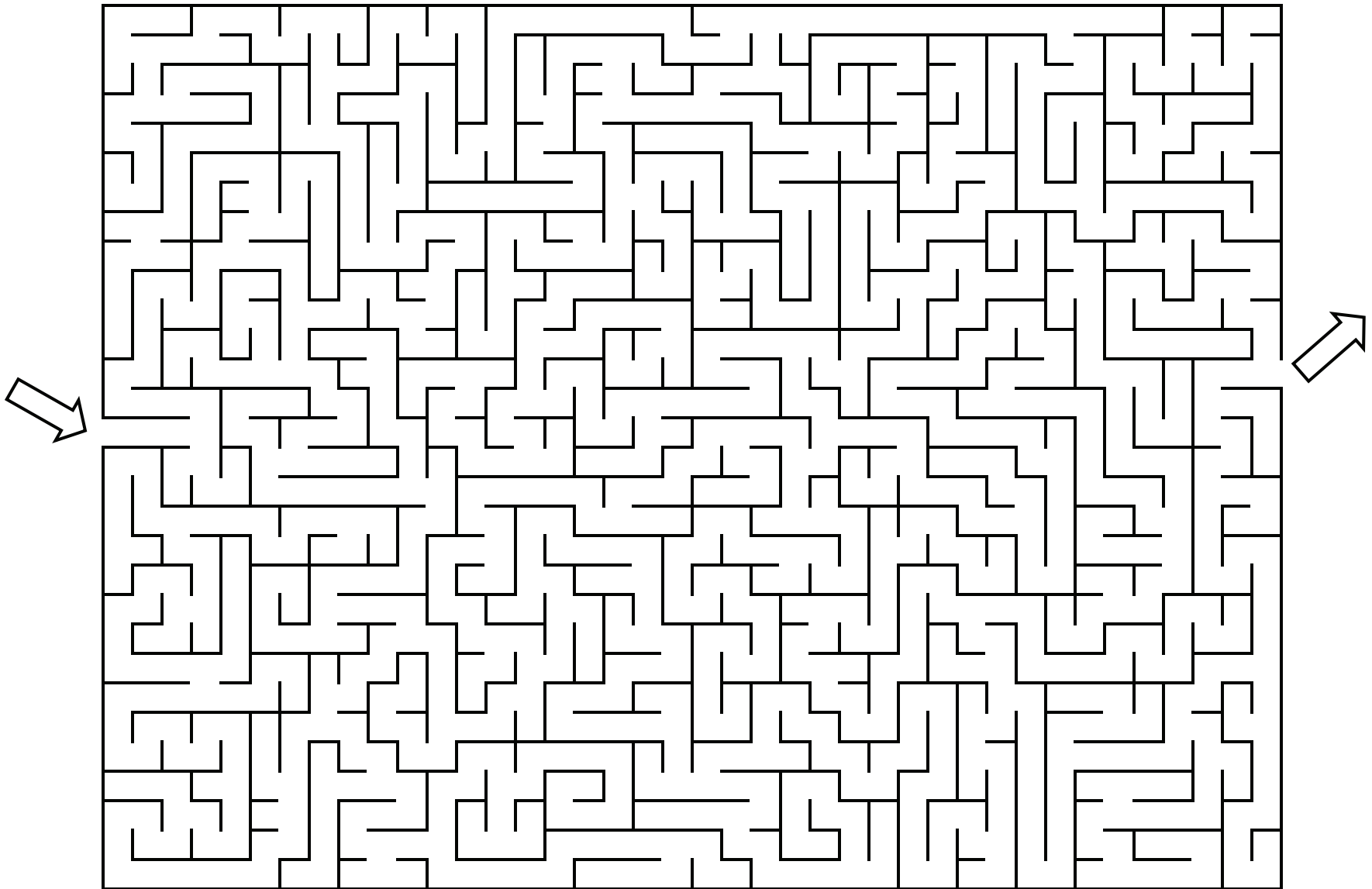Capital:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M
N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Numbers:

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Draw below following the "guided drawing" instructions given in the course

Help Genius get through the maze.

The Valley

A valley occurs when a letter is too spread out like these:
<u>Trace</u> and then copy each letter 2 times.

h   m   n   p

h   m   n   p

The Blob

The Blob occurs when the circle part of a letter is not round.
<u>Trace</u> and then copy each letters below.

a d g o q

a   d   g   o   q

The Volcano

A volcano occurs when there is a big a gap in a letter.
<u>Trace</u> and then copy letters below.

t i w l a

t   i   w   l   a

GAPS

Gaps occurs when the letters don't close all the way.
<u>Trace</u> and then copy each letter 2 times below.

a   s   d   k

a   s   d   k

OOPS

An OOPS occurs when a line goes past it's stopping point.
<u>Trace</u> and then copy each letter 2 times below.

s   k

STOP and CHECK

Look back at your benchmark pages. Do you see a pattern of letter errors in your handwriting.

Which of your letters need improvement? _____

Which letters are your best? _____

Perfect High Use Letters

e t a o i n s h

Word Scramble
How many words can you make out of the high frequency letters?

How many words did you make?_____

Circle Letters

Trace and copy. *Circle your best letter in each row.*

c   c   c   c   c

o   o   o   o   o

a   a   a   a   a

d   d   d   d   d

g   g   g   g   g

q   q   q   q   q

o   o   o   o   o

Tall Loop Letters

Trace and copy. *Circle your best letter in each row.*

b b b b b

h h h h h

k k k k k

l l l l l

f f f f f

t t t t t

p p p p p

Short Line Letters

Trace and copy. *Circle your best letter in each row.*

e   e   e   e   e

s   s   s   s   s

u   u   u   u   u

w   w   w   w   w

i   i   i   i   i

j   j   j   j   j

r   r   r   r   r

Diagonal Letters

Trace and copy. *Circle your best letter in each row.*

High Use Word List

NOUNS

afternoon	noise		
baby	nose		
baseball	ocean		
bird	office		
bottle	oxygen		
breakfast	paper		
camp	party		
captain	path		
cent	poem		
chair	power		
circle	question		
danger	road		
dust	salt		
earth	snow		
electric	space		
experiment	storm		
eye	sugar		
friend	time		
future	tube		
garden	valley		
hair	video		
ice	wire		
key			
kitchen			
king			
liquid			
machine			
map			
moon			
money			
music			
neck			
night			

ADJECTIVES

angry
beautiful
blue
clean
dark
deep
famous
gold
happy
heavy
little
lost
million
modern
narrow
red
tiny
silver
small
warm
wide
yellow
young

VERBS

blow
dance
draw
discover
fly
heard
heat
imagine
jump
move
pay
play
push
send
shake
walk
wind
write
x-ray
zip

ADVERBS

proudly
quickly
quietly
slowly
sleepily
softly
strangely
suddenly

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High Use Word Game
Place letters correctly on the baseline.

Silly Story
Fill in the blanks below.

Example: *blowing*

1 = Adjective

2 = Adjective

3 = Adjective

4 = Noun

5 = Exclamation

6 = Adjective

7 = Noun

8 = Verb (-ing)

9 = Verb (-ing)

10 = Adverb

11 = Adjective

12 = Adjective

13 = Verb

14 = Adjective

15 = Verb (-ing)

Noun = a person, place or thing
Adjective = describes a noun
Verb = an action
Adverb = describes a verb

Silly Story
Copy your words from the previous page and fill in the blanks.

It was another _____ day in Brain Ville. Genius was feeling _____. She needed to buy a
                1   2

_____ _____. On her way to the store she saw a dark funnel cloud on the horizon.
        3   4

"_____!", thought Genius. The dark funnel cloud was _____ . Genius yelled
        5   6

like a _____. She frantically tried to stop the cloud by _____ and
        7   8

_____. It didn't work. Genius paused. She had to think _____ and come up with a
        9   10

_____ plan. At last, Genius had a plan. She was going to run straight at the _____
        11   12

cloud and _____ it. It worked! Brain Ville was saved. After saving the town, the _____
        13   14

Genius decided she would rest by _____ on the coast of France.
        15

Size Matters
Word Chain
Make a word chain. Each word must begin with the last letter in the word before.
All words must have the same number of letters. Maintain your size across each line.
Example: food - door - rake - eggs

fast - toad

horse

fork,

Capital Letters
Trace and copy.

B   B   D   D

E   E   F   F

H   H   I   I

L   L   K   K

M   M   N   N

P   P   R   R

T   T   C   C

Capital Letters
Trace and copy.

G   G   O   O

Q   Q   a   a

V   V   W   W

X   X   Y   Y

Z   Z   J   J

U   U   S   S

a   a   T   T

Master Your Name

Write your first, middle and last name neatly below.

_____

....

_____

Slowly copy your name from above. Maintain the size and keep the tops of the letters even.

_____

Name Scramble

How many words can you make out of your name?

_____

_____

_____

_____

_____

_____

_____

Spacing Out with Einstein's quotes.

Rewrite <u>with proper spacing.</u>

It'snotthatI'msosmart,it'sjustthatIstaywithproblemslonger.

_____

_____

_____

Thedifferencebetweenstupidityandgeniusisthatgeniushasitslimits.

_____

_____

_____

Decode these quotes and then rewrite with proper spacing.

Ncrfbnjubarireznqrnzvfgnxrariregevrqnalguvatarj.

_____

_____

_____

_____

Tenivgngvbavfabgerfcbafvoyrsbecrbcyrsnyyvatvaybir.

_____

_____

_____

_____

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

THE LETTER ABOVE IS THE LETTER BELOW AND VICE VERSA

Make your own Genius

With your pencil make at least 20 dots on the page. Now connect them any way you want. Add eyes. Color.

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Genius Questionnaire

Practice filling in blanks by answering questions about your genius.

What is the name of your genius? _____

Where does your genius live? _____

What does your genius eat? _____

What is your genius's super power? _____

How does your genius get around? _____

Numbers

Numbers follow the same rules as Capital letters.
They sit on the line and are all the same height.

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Number Practice

1   1   1   2   2   2

3   3   3   4   4   4

5   5   5   6   6   6

7   7   7   8   8   8

9   9   9   0   0   0

Try these math problems.
Line up numbers and keep them neat.

47 x7	99 x5	72 x6
123 x17	776 x26	456 x89
578241 x 357	498821 x 750	455209 x 271

Sudoku
Complete these Sudoku puzzles. Maintain your number legibility.

1		3		4	
	6		2		3
	4	6	3		1
3		2	4	6	
2		1		5	
	5		1		2

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