Ready, Set, Write!

BOOK 3 OF 3

Write! Words & Silly Sentences

First words and silly sentences for ages 5 to 6



Color me in!

This book belongs to

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Ages 5–6

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A note for grown-ups

How to get the most out of this book

Welcome

This book puts letters to work. Your child will trace and copy first words, then write silly sentences and finally make up sentences of their own. Rudy and Sadie appear in the pictures, ready to be colored in.

Fifteen minutes a day

A word page or a sentence page a day is enough. Read the sentence together first, laugh at it, then write. Reading and writing grow together.

Pencil grip

By now most children have a settled grip. Check that the pencil is held loosely and the hand moves along the line rather than staying still. Coloring the scenes is good practice for control too.

How the pages work

Words are shown in dots to trace, then in faint dots, then there is a blank line to copy on. Sentences come with a picture to color, a traced line and two copy lines. Every sentence uses only words that have already been taught, plus a few that are easy to sound out.

Writing tips

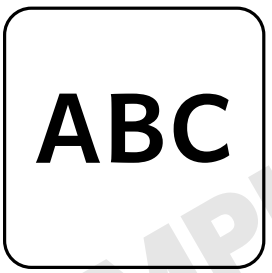
Point out the capital letter at the start and the period or exclamation point at the end every time. Leave a finger space between words. When your child writes their own sentence, accept any spelling that can be read back. Ideas first, spelling later.

Every picture in this book is yours to color in, so keep the crayons handy.
There is a flip book in the bottom corner of the right-hand pages. Hold the book at the spine and riffle the pages with your thumb.

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Trace the big letters

Then write some on the empty lines



A B C D E F G

H I J K L M N

O P Q R S T U

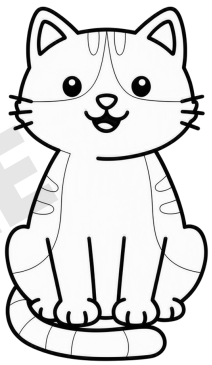
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First words

Trace the word. Then copy it on the last line.

ab



cat

sat



the

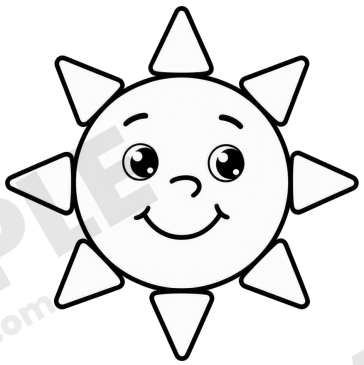
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First words

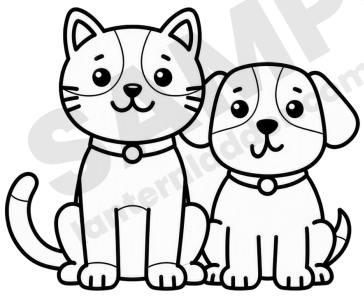
Trace the word. Then copy it on the last line.

ab



sun

sun



and

and

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Silly sentence

Read it, trace it, then copy it twice.

A!



Color me in!

A fat pig is in my tub!

A Start with a capital letter.

! End with an exclamation point.

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Silly sentence

Read it, trace it, then copy it twice.

A!



Color me in!

He has my red hat!

A Start with a capital letter.

! End with an exclamation point.

Write your own

Look at the beach picture. Write a sentence about it.

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Word bank

sun

sea

hat

crab

Start with a capital letter. End with a period.

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Free practice

Write anything you like.

Aa



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