

Handwriting mnemonics for Paulton Infant School

Sound	Rhyme
a	Round the apple and down the leaf (apple)
b	Down the laces to the heel, bounce up, and round the toe (Boot)
c	Curl around the caterpillar (caterpillar)
d	Round his bottom, up his tall neck and down to his feet (dinosaur)
e	Lift off the top and scoop out the egg (egg)
f	Down the stem and draw the leaves (flower)
g	Round her face, down her hair and give her a curl (girl)
h	Down the head to the hooves and over his back (horse)
i	Down his body, and a dot for his head (insect)
j	Down his body, curl and dot for his head (Jack in the box)
k	Down the kangaroo's body, around his back and down his tail.
l	Down the long leg, and give it a foot (leg)
m	Down Maisie, over the mountain, over the mountain (Maisie and mountains)
n	Down Nobby, up and over his net (football net)
o	All around the orange (orange)
p	Down his plait, up and around his head (pirate)
q	Round her head, up past her earrings and down her hair (queen)
r	Down his back, then curl over his arm (robot)
s	Slither down the snake (snake)
t	Down the tower, across the tower (castle tower)
u	Down and under, up to the top and draw the puddle (umbrella)
v	Down a wing, up a wing (vulture)
w	Down up, down up (worm)
x	Down the arm and leg and repeat the other side (exercise)
y	Down a horn, up a horn and under his head (yak)
z	Zig - zag- zig (zip)

