

Handwriting

Year 2



- Sit with your feet on the floor

- Turn your book slightly



When we write a letter we need to think...

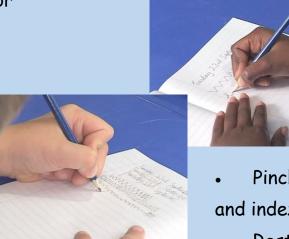
The size of the letter (is it the same as other letters?)

Where we start the letter and where it ends

Is it the right way up?

Does it have a clear ascender? (bit that goes up)

Does it have a clear descender? (bit that goes down)



Pinch your pencil with your thumb and index finger

Rest your pencil on your middle finger

Joining letters

Diagonal Joins

ch, ay, ar, air, ir, ou, oy, oi, ai,

Horizontal Joins

oo, ow, or, ou, oy, oi, oa,