

Week	Day	Workbook	Key Concept	Guided Practice	Minutes
1 pages 1-11	1	Overview	Discuss workbook layout		25
		3 P's	Demonstrate correct posture and paper position Identify guidelines, demonstrate pencil hold	pp. 1-4 Follow in workbook Practice exercises	
	2	Print Check!	Handwriting pre-assessment	p. 5 Print name and alphabet	20
		Running Hand	Explain and discuss connected writing	p. 6 Follow in workbook	
		Find the Shapes	Introduce strokes and Basic Shapes	p. 7 Find and color OVAL letters	
2 pages 12-20	3	Orange Oval Letters	Introduce and describe OVAL letters	p. 8 Follow in workbook	20
		Form the First Stroke	Demonstrate the OVAL OVER first stroke	p. 9 Finger trace the OVAL OVER first stroke	
		Oval Stroke Practice		p. 10 Write the OVAL OVER first stroke	
		Trace the Letter String	Demonstrate the OVAL letter string using catch phrase and letter descriptions	p. 11 Finger trace the OVAL letter string	
	1	Trace Baseline Connections		p. 12 Finger trace OVAL 2-letter combinations	20
		Trace the Letter String		p. 13 Trace OVAL letter strings	
	2	Write the Letter String	Review the OVAL letter string with catch phrase	p. 14 Trace and write OVAL letter strings	20
		Practice Baseline Connections		p. 15 Trace and write OVAL 2-letter combinations	
	3	Midline Connections	Demonstrate the midline “dip” connection of ‘o’ to OVAL letters	p. 16 Finger trace midline ‘o’ connections	20
		Practice Midline Connections		p. 17 Connect ‘o’ to other OVAL letters	
		Mind Your g’s and q’s	Compare and distinguish ‘g’ and ‘q’ with correct loop below the baseline	p. 18 Finger trace ‘g’ and ‘q’ p. 19 Write connected ‘g’ and ‘q’	
	4	Read and Write Oval Letter Words	Evaluate OVAL letters words	p. 20 Read and write cursive words	20