Finger Trail

Students track each row of print and return to the start of the next line.

K.LF.8.c "Track print, moving left to right and top to bottom on the printed page, returning to the beginning of the next line."

NAME _____ DATE _____

Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

1 FOLLOW ALONG

a	M	R	T
b	P	L	S

2 KEEP GOING

a	K	N	B
b	F	J	H

ANSWER KEY

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HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Read the directions aloud and watch each student's finger as it moves across a row, then down to the start of the next row. A correct circle does not replace observing the finger movement. Record any support you give separately.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

PART 1 · FOLLOW ALONG

SAY "Start at the top row. Touch each letter as your finger moves from left to right. When you finish a row, move down to the first letter of the next row."

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	Which letter did you touch first? Circle it.	**M**
b	Which letter did you touch last? Circle it.	**S**

PART 2 · KEEP GOING

SAY "Start at the top row in this part. Touch every letter from left to right. At the end of the row, move down to the first letter of the next row."

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	Which letter did you touch in the middle? Circle it.	**N**
b	Which letter did you touch last? Circle it.	**H**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Accept M, S, N, and H, in order. Observe left-to-right finger movement on each row and a return to the first letter of the next row; note any support separately.