Parade Cursive Letters

Trace every letter, then write about a parade.

ELA.3.C.1.1 "Write in cursive all upper- and lowercase letters."

NAME _____ DATE _____

BEFORE YOU WRITE

- Sit tall as you write.
- Rest your letters on the baseline.
- Leave a finger space between words.

1 TRACE THE LETTERS

Trace

Trace each capital and lowercase letter in cursive.

Cc Aa Dd Gg Oo Qq

Ii Uu Ww Tt Jj Yy

Bb Hh Kk Ll Ff Ee

Mm Nn Vv Rr Pp

Ss Xx Zz Ss Xx Zz

2 TRACE PARADE WORDS

Trace

Trace each word in cursive.

color color

vivid vivid

bells bells

2 TRACE PARADE WORDS (CONTINUED)

Trace

confetti confetti

3 COPY PARADE SENTENCES

Copy

Copy each sentence in cursive on the blank guide line.

The band plays at the parade.

We wave flags as floats pass.

4 YOUR OWN WRITING

In cursive

Write two of your own sentences about a parade in cursive.

CHECK YOUR WRITING

- [ ] My capital and lowercase letters are clear.
- [ ] My letters rest on the baseline.
- [ ] I left spaces between words.
- [ ] I wrote my two sentences in cursive.

ANSWER KEY

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WHAT TO LOOK FOR

- The student traces all 26 uppercase and all 26 lowercase letters in cursive.
- Letter forms are recognizable and rest on the baseline.
- The copied sentences use cursive letters with readable word spacing.
- The student's two original sentences are written in cursive.

The models are printed in one traditional cursive. If your handwriting program forms a letter differently, students follow your program.

MODELS ON THE PAGE

- **Part 1 · Trace the Letters** (trace): Cc Aa Dd Gg Oo Qq · Ii Uu Ww Tt Jj Yy · Bb Hh Kk Ll Ff Ee · Mm Nn Vv Rr Pp · Ss Xx Zz
- **Part 2 · Trace Parade Words** (trace): color · vivid · bells · confetti
- **Part 3 · Copy Parade Sentences** (copy): The band plays at the parade. · We wave flags as floats pass.

YOUR OWN WRITING (SAMPLE)

Task: Write two of your own sentences about a parade in cursive.

I see bright kites. My friends clap.

Check letter formation against the printed cursive models. Original sentences will vary; assess the cursive writing rather than the parade details.