Follow the Print

Students track print across rows and down the page.

K.RF.1 "Demonstrate understanding that print moves from left to right across the page and from top to bottom."

NAME _____ DATE _____

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

1 FOLLOW ROWS

a | map | dog | sun

b | pen | cup | hat

2 GO DOWN

red	3
bug	1
top	2

ANSWER KEY # Follow the Print

HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Read the directions aloud and watch each student point across the printed words before circling. In Part 2, watch students move from the top row to the bottom row as they match each word to its row number.

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 ROWS

SAY "Start with the top row, then move to the row below it. Slide your finger under the words from left to right before you circle."

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	Which word did your finger reach first? Circle it.	**map**
b	Which word did your finger reach last? Circle it.	**hat**

PART 2 · GO DOWN

SAY "Look at the words on the left. Start at the top and move down, counting the rows. Which number goes with each word? Draw a line to match them."

- **red** matches **1**
- **bug** matches **2**
- **top** matches **3**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Part 1: map and hat. Part 2: red to 1, bug to 2, top to 3. Record whether the student tracked across and down independently or needed support.