Camping Cursive Legibility

Trace words, copy sentences, and write about a camping trip.

4.FFW.1.B "Maintain legible cursive."

NAME _____ DATE _____

BEFORE YOU WRITE

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

1 CAMPING WORDS — Trace

Trace each word, then write it once on the blank line.

campfire campfire

lantern lantern

backpack backpack

trail trail

2 CAMP SENTENCES

Copy

Copy each sentence on the blank line.

We pitched our tent near the pond.

At dawn, birds sang above us.

3 YOUR OWN WRITING

In cursive

Write two cursive sentences about a camping trip. Tell what you saw and what you did.

CHECK YOUR WRITING

- [ ] My words have clear spaces.
- [ ] My lowercase letters have a steady size.
- [ ] My letters lean the same way.
- [ ] My letters rest on the baseline.

ANSWER KEY

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WHAT TO LOOK FOR

- Cursive words are readable, with recognizable letters and joins.
- Spaces between words are clear.
- Letter size and slant stay reasonably consistent.
- Letters sit on the baseline.

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 · Camping Words** (trace): campfire · lantern · backpack · trail
- **Part 2 · Camp Sentences** (copy): We pitched our tent near the pond. · At dawn, birds sang above us.

YOUR OWN WRITING (SAMPLE)

Task: Write two cursive sentences about a camping trip. Tell what you saw and what you did.

I spotted a deer. I cooked supper outside.

Copied writing should match the models, including punctuation. Accept any two sensible cursive sentences that tell what the student saw and did on a camping trip.