



Cursive Writing

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 5

Part A: Fix the Sentence

Each sentence has an error. Rewrite it correctly on the line.

1. Fix the sentence: *In cursive writing, you should lift your pencil between every single letter.*

Rewrite: _____

2. Fix the sentence:

Good cursive spacing means putting no gaps between words so the writing flows together.

Rewrite: _____

3. Fix the sentence:

The letters b, o, v, and w connect to the next letter the same way as all other cursive letters.

Rewrite: _____

Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. Most cursive letters connect to the next letter with an exit stroke that leads to the _____ of the following letter.
2. The proper space between two cursive words is about one _____ -width.
3. The letters b, o, v, and w have _____ connections to the letters that follow them.
4. Writing without lifting the pencil between connected letters is what makes cursive _____ than print.

Part C: Short Answer

Answer each question in one or two complete sentences.

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Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. Most cursive letters connect to the next letter with an exit stroke that leads to the beginning of the following letter.
2. The proper space between two cursive words is about one finger -width.
3. The letters b, o, v, and w have different connections to the letters that follow them.
4. Writing without lifting the pencil between connected letters is what makes cursive faster than print.

Part C: Short Answer

Answer each question in one or two complete sentences.

1. Why is proper spacing between words important in cursive writing? What happens when spacing is too tight or too wide?

2. Explain why the letters b, o, v, and w need special attention when connecting to the next letter in