

## Why Handwriting is Important

### Handwriting Without Tears

Get set for school program: The workbook, multisensory products and music makeup the program. Children play, build, sing color and learn while developing important skills for kindergarten:

Language Proficiency

Color and Shape Awareness

Social Skills

Letter and Number Recognition

Fine and Gross Motor Control

Counting

Children love to sing about and build Mat Man. They participate eagerly and naturally learn how to take turns, follow a sequence, and identify body parts, count and draw.

Children like to handle, sort and stack the four different Wood pieces. They learn about big and little lines, big and little curves. Soon they'll use the Wood Pieces to build letters.

Children naturally learn number concepts as they sing the Animal Legs song.

Children who Aim and Scribble in the Get Set for School workbook learn how to hold the crayon correctly and progress smoothly to coloring, drawing and writing letters and numbers.

Pre-school is a joyful time to grow and get ready for school. The Get set for School program respects the needs and nature of young children, while still preparing them for kindergarten.

# Pre-K

## Get Set for School™ An Award-Winning Pre-K Curriculum

Your multisensory Pre-K materials will help young children develop important readiness skills for kindergarten. They will recognize and build letters and numbers, grow their vocabulary, develop body awareness, socialization skills, and much more.

Essential Components:

- *Get Set For School* student workbook
- *Pre-K Teacher's Guide*
- Letter Building Kit
- Stamp and See Screen™
- Roll-A-Dough Letters™
- *Get Set For School Sing Along* CD

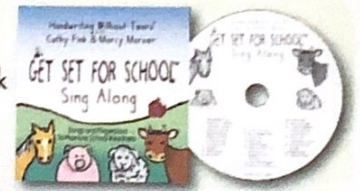


## Multisensory Learning

### Learning with Music using the *Get Set for School Sing Along* CD

Liven up your lessons with this award-winning music. Use it to teach positional concepts, body concepts, body parts, and letter formation. This engaging music was created by back-to-back Grammy® award winners for Best Children's Album, Cathy Fink & Marcy Marxer.

Preview 20-second segments of all CD songs on our website, [www.hwtears.com](http://www.hwtears.com).



### Teaching with Wood Pieces and Music

Children use the Wood Pieces Set and music from the *Get Set for School Sing Along* CD to learn positions in space, body parts, and shapes.



Up in the Air



Touch My Toes



Make a Circle

### Building Capitals on the Letter Cards and Mat

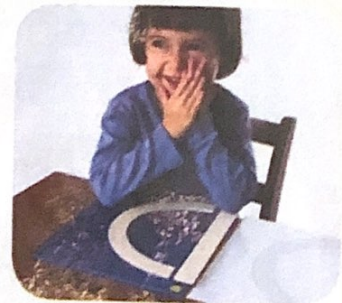
This activity helps students master top-to-bottom formation habits and capital letters.



1. Gather materials. Demonstrate for the child. Ask the child to build the letter on the Capital Letter Card.



2. Demonstrate letter formation on the Mat. Ask the child to build the letter step by step.



3. D is done!