



CALLIGRAPHY GREETING CARDS

To learn this easy version of calligraphy, you just need to learn one basic rule: light upstroke, **heavy** downstroke.

To get started, use the next few pages of practice sheets to build confidence. Then, choose a word or sentiment to write on the front of your greeting cards using your calligraphy pens. Enhance the cards with watercolor drawings or curlicues as a border. Use your skills on the envelope too! Now you've got unique, personalized homemade cards to send!

As you're starting out, write your chosen letters normally, and then go back in and add in the heavier line to stylize it. Use the guidelines to help.

add
a line,
fill it
in Aa Bb Cc Dd Ee

Ff Gg Hh Ii Jj

Kk Ll Mm Nn Oo

Pp Rr Ss Tt Uu

Vv Ww Xx Yy Zz

Now that you've had time to practice, you can change the pressure on your pen as you go, and complete the letters in one motion! Try it now without the guidelines:

Aa Bb Cc Dd Ee

Ff Gg Hh Ii Jj

Kk Ll Mm Nn Oo

Pp Rr Ss Tt Uu

Vv Ww Xx Yy Zz

Now, put your practice skills to the test and try whole words! If you want more details and a pro video to follow, check out this CreativeBug video - simply scan the QR code with your phone's camera app, and use your library card and PIN to access a lettering class on CreativeBug!



Faux Calligraphy

love love love love

hello hello hello

dream dream

joy joy joy joy

create create create

slow slow slow