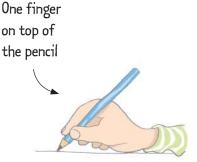
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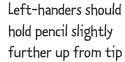


## Pencil control

Show your child how to hold the pencil like this, between the thumb and first two fingers. This is the best grip for writing neatly and comfortably.



The tripod grip for right-handers





The tripod grip for left-handers

## Writing letters

Use the chart below to practise the letter shapes. On each letter, the white dot shows where to start.

