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Objectives

1 **Character reading:** recognize basic Chinese characters

2 **Character reading:** recognize radicals in Chinese characters

3 **Character writing:** the basic strokes

4 **Character writing:** the seven rules of stroke order

Character reading

1 Match the characters with the possible meanings.

1		口	a sky
2		上	b mouth
3		下	c big
4		中	d up
5		人	e middle
6		大	f down
7		天	g person

2 Identify the radicals of the characters.

lín 1 林	a crowd
sēn 2 森	b burn
zhòng 3 众	c woods
cóng 4 从	d flame
fén 5 焚	e forest
yán 6 炎	f follow
míng 7 明	g friend
péng 8 朋	h bright

Now match the characters with the possible meanings.

Character writing

3 Identify the basic strokes in the characters.

1 六	4 人
2 三	5 八
3 中	6 打

4 Match the characters with the correct stroke orders.

1 十	a from outside to inside, then closing
2 人	b from left to right
3 川	c horizontal before vertical
4 丁	d middle before two sides
5 问	e downward left before downward right
6 回	f from top to bottom
7 小	g from outside to inside

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