

# HIRAGANA

## MEMORY HINT

### Worksheet Booklet



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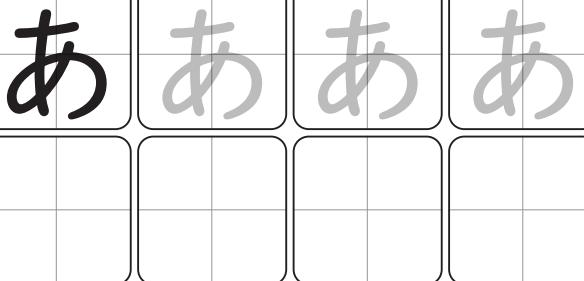


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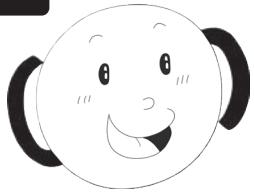


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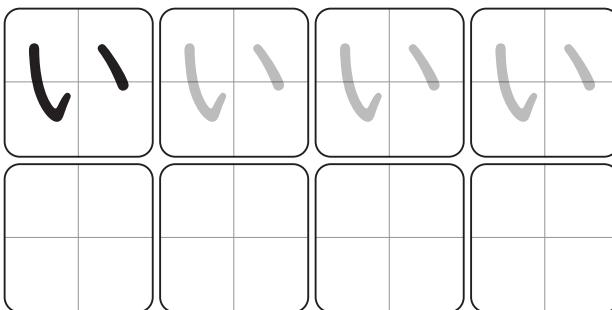


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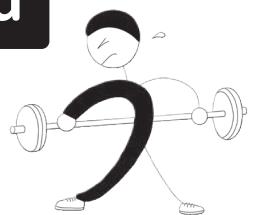


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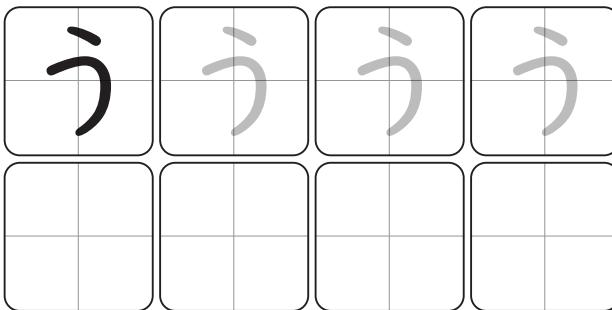


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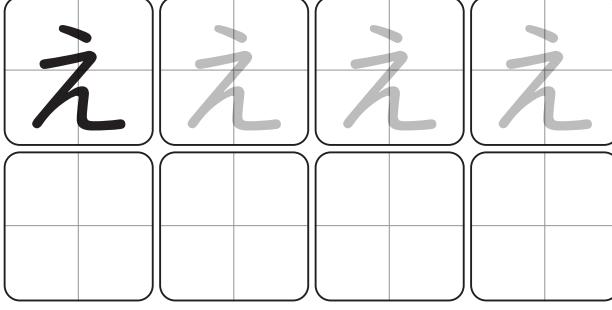


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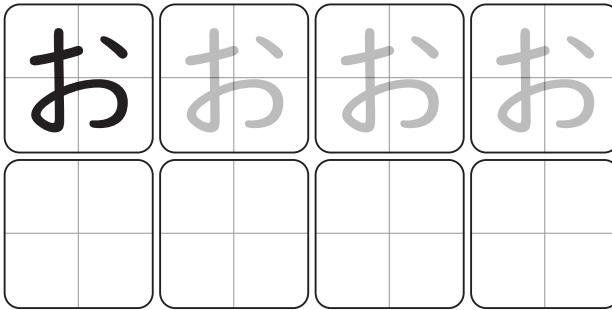


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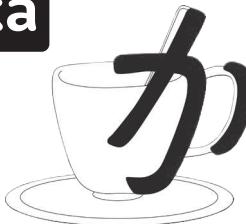
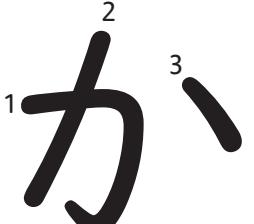
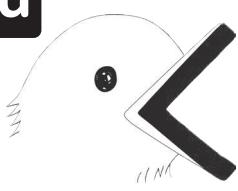
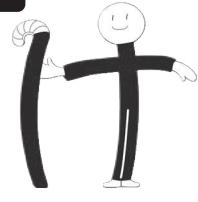
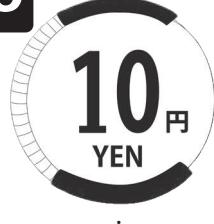
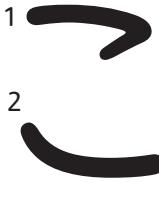


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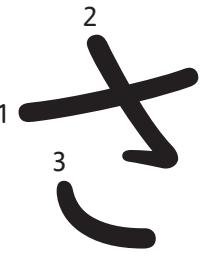
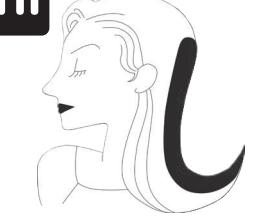
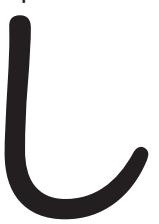
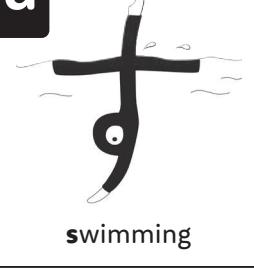
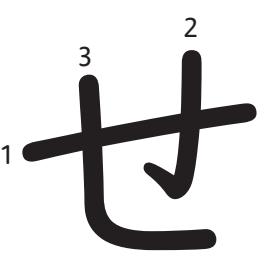
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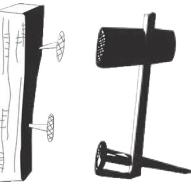
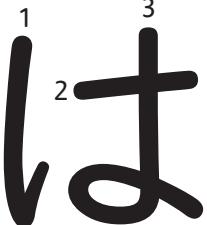
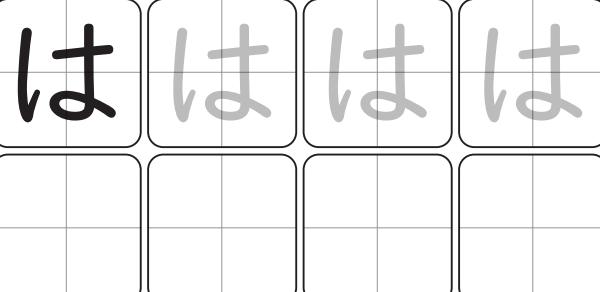
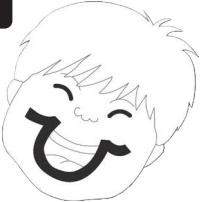
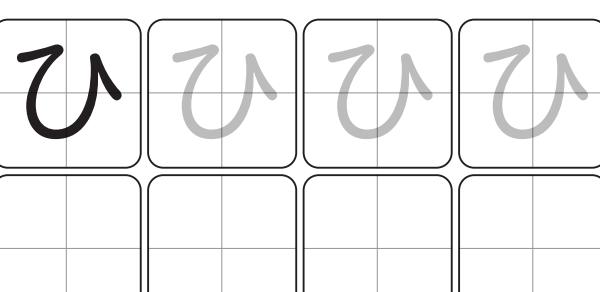
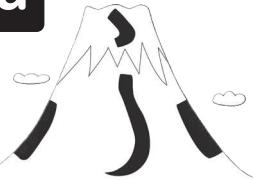
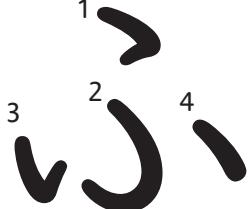
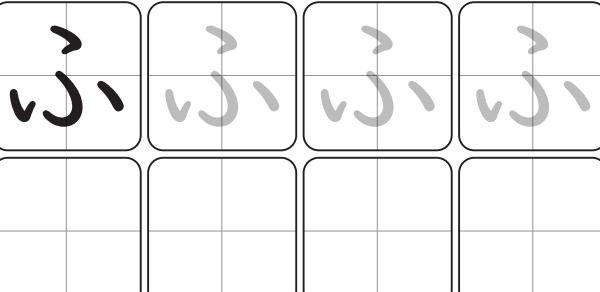
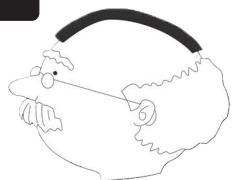
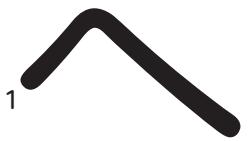
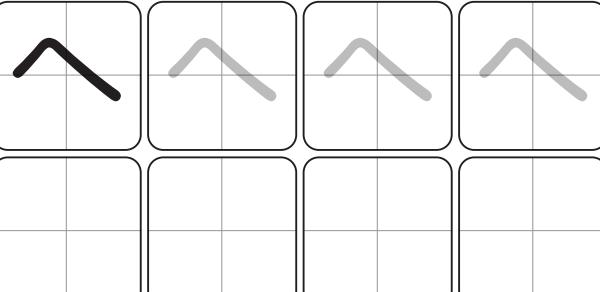
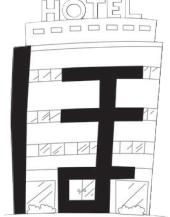
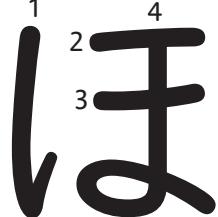
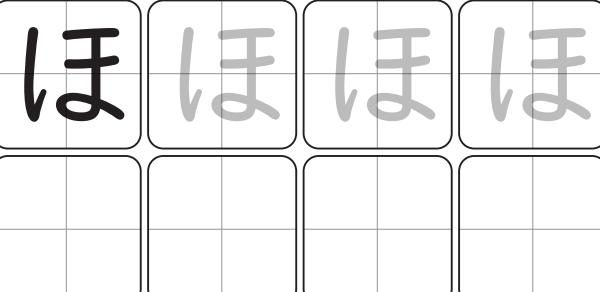
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<b>nu</b> noodle with chopsticks					
<b>ne</b> net					
<b>no</b> NO sign					

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<b>ha</b>  hammer		
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<b>fu</b>  Mt. Fuji		
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<b>ho</b>  Hotel		

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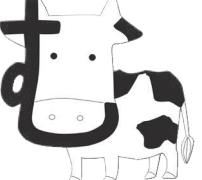
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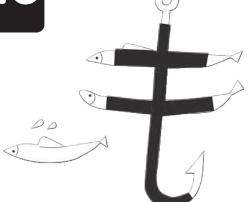
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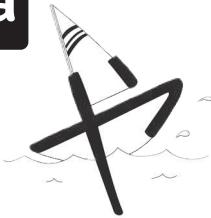
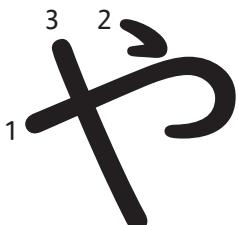
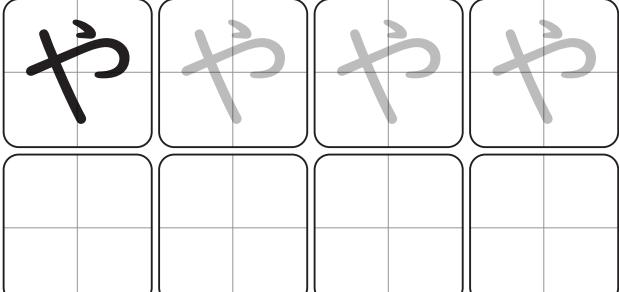
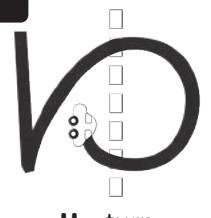
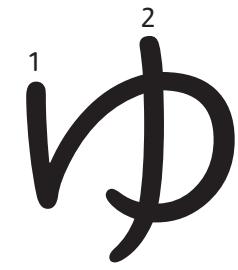
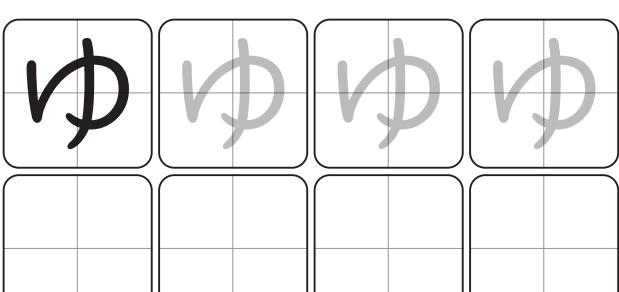
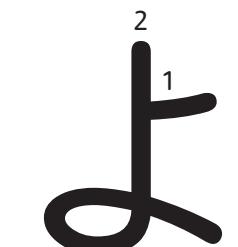
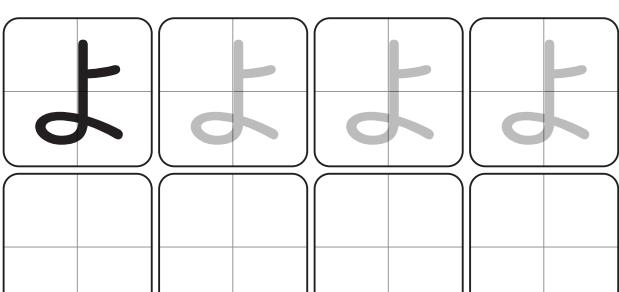
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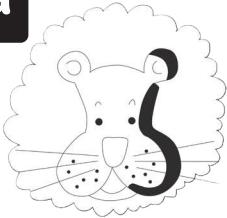
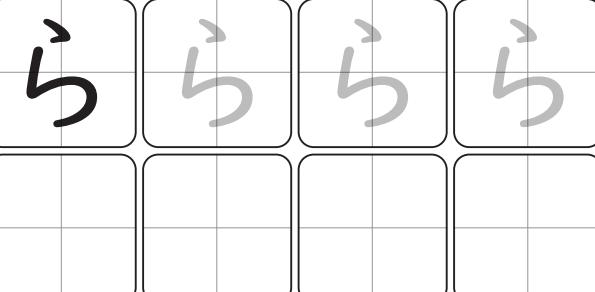
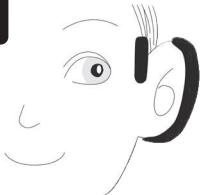
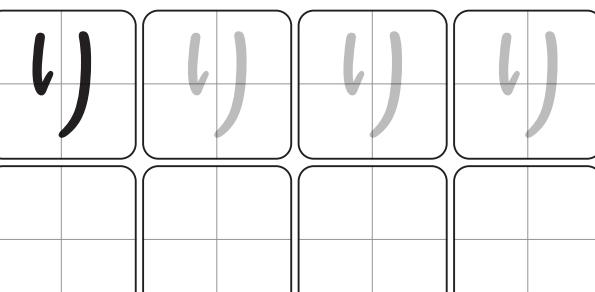
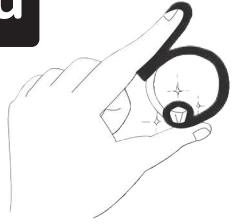
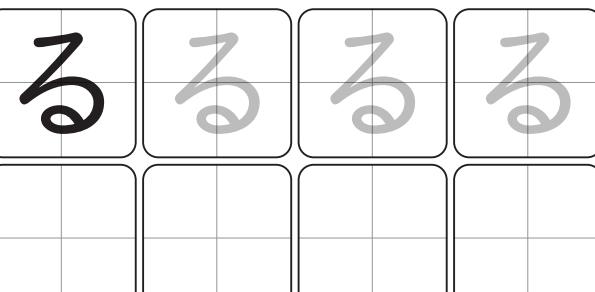
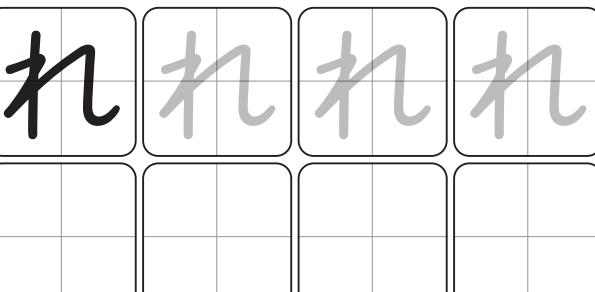
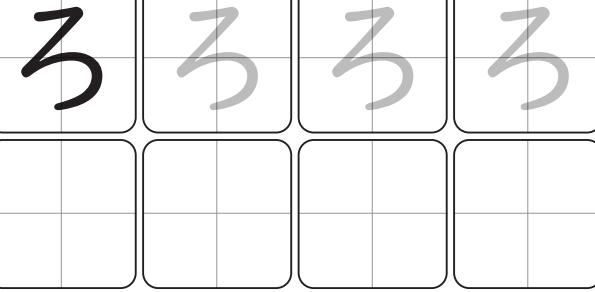
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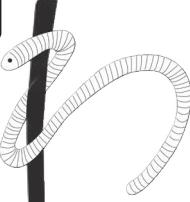
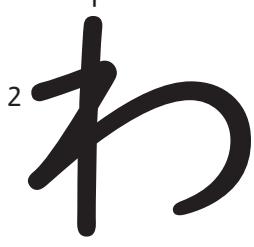
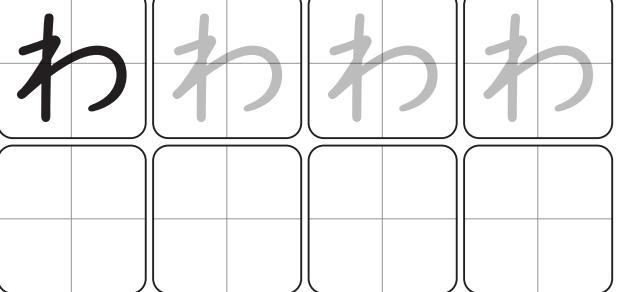
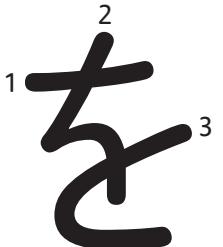
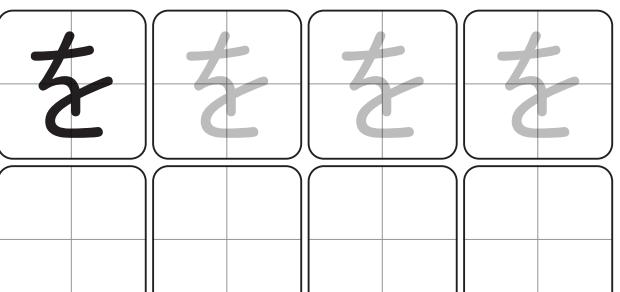
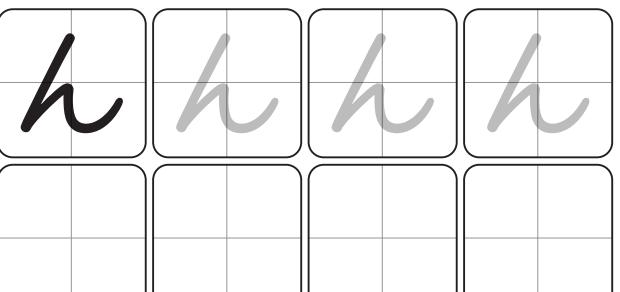
<b>ra</b>  lion	<b>ら</b> 	<b>ら</b> 
<b>ri</b>  listen	<b>り</b> 	<b>り</b> 
<b>ru</b>  ruby	<b>る</b> 	<b>る</b> 
<b>re</b>  Let's wait another fish.	<b>れ</b> 	<b>れ</b> 
<b>ro</b>  robbed!	<b>ろ</b> 	<b>ろ</b> 

# HIRAGANA MEMORY HINT

## English Version

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<b>wa</b>  worm around a stick		
<b>(w)o</b>  Oh! I can ride a unicycle!		
<b>N</b>  'n' sound		

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## MEMORY HINT

### Worksheet Booklet

HIRAGANA Memory Hint Worksheets are designed to support teachers in introducing how to write Hiragana characters with correct stroke orders and provide practice for their students.

The illustrations on these worksheets are based on the HIRAGANA Memory Hint app / Flashcards. To get the most out of these resources and learn more effectively, students are encouraged to use the HIRAGANA Memory Hint Worksheets in combination with the app / flashcards.

For more information on the HIRAGANA Memory Hint app, visit: <https://kansai.jpf.go.jp/en/resource/e-learning/memoryhint.html>

For more information on the HIRAGANA Memory Hint Flashcards, visit: <https://jpf.org.au/classroom-resources/resources/hiragana-memory-hint-flashcards/>

