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Birth Through Kindergarten



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Objective 19 Demonstrates emergent writing skills

a. Writes name

Not Yet	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	<p>Scribbles or marks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scribble writes deliberately Makes marks that appear to adults to be in random order 	<p>Controlled linear scribbles</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scribbles lines, circles, or zigzags in rows Often repeats action and forms 	<p>Mock letters or letter-like forms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writes segments of letter forms, e.g., lines, curves May use too many segments to create a letter, e.g., five horizontal lines on the letter E May not orient letter segments correctly 	<p>Letter strings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writes some letters correctly Writes letters in unconventional order 	<p>Partially accurate name</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writes all the letters of own name, although some may not be sequenced correctly Writes all the letters of own name, but some of the letters are not formed or oriented correctly 	<p>Accurate name</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writes all the letters of own name in the correct sequence, form, and orientation Uses uppercase or lowercase letters (or a combination of both) when writing name 	
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