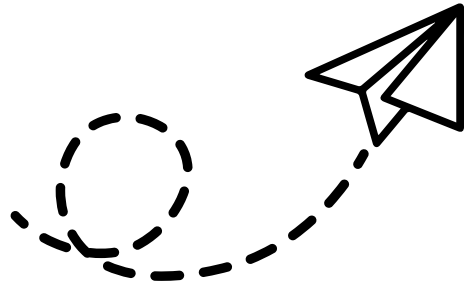


# Lesson 10

## Challenge Words

beginning \_\_\_\_\_  
journey \_\_\_\_\_  
laugh \_\_\_\_\_



## Dictation

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# Crazy 8s Writing

## Instructions:

Print cards on heavy card stock paper and cut out. Separate cards into three decks, red, green and blue. Each writer will begin by selecting, without looking, a card from the red deck. Set a timer for 8 minutes. When the timer starts each writer will turn their card over and use the writing prompt on it to begin writing a story. After 8 minutes, writers will then select a card from the green pile, without looking. They have another 8 minutes to incorporate the prompt on their second card into their story. Repeat process for the blue deck.

## Hints:

Remind writers that their stories will be silly, and that's ok.

If a writer is completely stumped allow them to trade their card once.

These will not be literary masterpieces.

The forest was a dark and scary place. The children knew they were not supposed to go there.

A clown came walking down the street.

Suzy thought baking a pie would be easy. She was wrong.

James tripped and fell flat on his face. He was astonished when he saw what he had tripped over. It was a . . .

The family was stranded on a boat in the middle of the lake, and they did not have any paddles.

It was a terrible day. Sam ripped his pants, spilled milk on his shirt, and failed his math test.

Pam was scared. She had never ridden a horse before.

Thunder and lightning crashed all around. A major storm came out of nowhere..

Bill stole a piece of candy from the store. He did not think he would get caught, but he did!

A boy was walking down the street. All of a sudden, a birthday cake came crashing down on his head.

The dog was lost. He chased a car away from the park and could not find his way back.

Ben had ice cream for breakfast. He knew it was going to be the best day ever.

**Mom is making liver  
and onions for dinner. I  
need to get out  
of here quickly!**

**What do a monkey, an  
elephant and a sandwich  
have in common?**

**How could he tell his  
brother that he  
accidentally mailed their  
pet turtle to France.**

**It all started when the  
bell rang for lunch.**

**A camping trip sounded  
fun. What could go  
wrong in the woods?**

**Sally was horrified when  
she looked in the mirror  
her hair looked terrible.**

**Do you believe in bad  
luck. Hank didn't until  
...**

**The children stood at the  
edge of the dark forest.  
They knew they should  
not go in.**

**Tommy liked to fib.  
He fibbed every day.**

**I just saw a UFO!**

**Jim was a pet sitter. One  
day he babysat a goat,  
a snake and a kitten.  
What could go wrong?**

**David received a cotton  
candy machine for his  
birthday and thought,  
what else can I  
make in this.**

**"Tuna, I don't want any  
TUNA!" he said.**

**Chocolate cake  
for breakfast is the best.**

**They decided to  
go bowling.**

**A monkey was in the  
living room.**

**It was time to go to  
the baseball game.**

**They went to the store  
but it was empty.**

**Everyone in town  
dressed up as  
puppies.**

**They all slipped on  
marbles and fell  
in the pool.**

**She blew the biggest  
bubble with her gum.**

**How could she have  
gotten peanut butter  
all over her backpack.**

**Wow! he smelled bad.**

**He found \$100  
in a cave.**

**The gum was never coming out.**

**The doorbell rang. On the porch was a odd smelling package.**

**It must be at the park!**

**It was a strange dinner.**

**When did we get a cat?.**

**Great! Now it's on the roof.**

**His laces were tied together and he fell flat on his face.**

**The bathtub was filled with jello.**

**Let's play with this jump rope until they get here.**

**The cat ran into the vacant house. No one wanted to follow it.**

**He looked down and realized he was wearing his sisters shoes.**

**Bungee jumping sounds fun.**

**And that is how we got  
the racoon out  
of the garage.**

**The people of the town  
will never forget that  
summer.**

**He learned a lot from  
that dentist.**

**Not every story has a  
happy ending. Some are  
just weird.**

**Cheaters never get  
ahead.**

**Thats when they found  
out mustard is not  
for washing cats.**

**The chicken never  
crossed the road.**

**Pickles do not taste  
good dipped in  
chocolate.**

**Do not go down there.  
Its a mess!**

**He had mud all over  
himself, but he won  
the race.**

**Just remember to  
brush your teeth.**

**How could a goat  
eat so much?**

**When will those kids  
learn to go outside  
before lighting fireworks.**

**That is how the car ended  
up in the river.**

**They were covered in  
feathers but they made  
it home.**

**And that's all he had to  
say.**

**He was happy his pants  
were no longer on fire.**

**Alls well that ends. . .  
well they were  
just glad it ended.**

**There is a place and  
time for jokes.**

**The peanut butter kept  
his feet warm.**

**Stop! Don't go in there.**

**She had eaten too much  
pie.**

**He decided to become a  
mailman.**

**Everything will be better  
tomorrow.**



# Crazy 8s Writing

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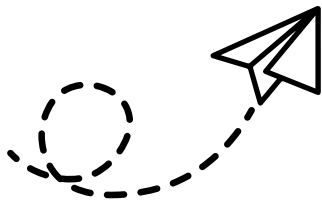
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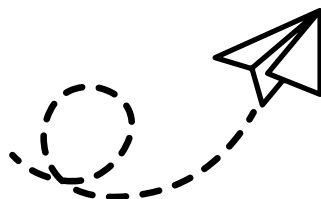






# Crazy 8s Writing

Handwriting practice lines for 'Crazy 8s'.



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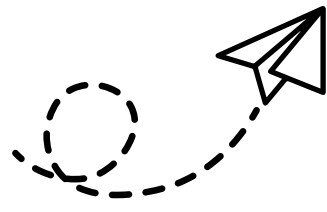
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# Guided Journal

Answer with complete sentences.

**What was your favorite part of your crazy 8s stories?**

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**Did you enjoy this weeks writing game?**

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**Come up with three ideas for a short story.**

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