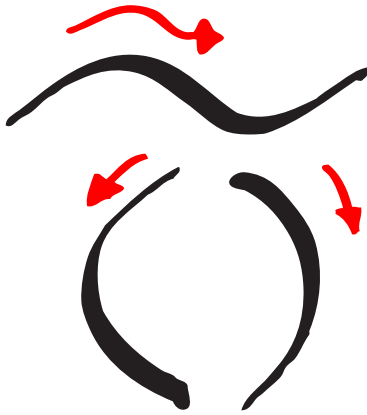


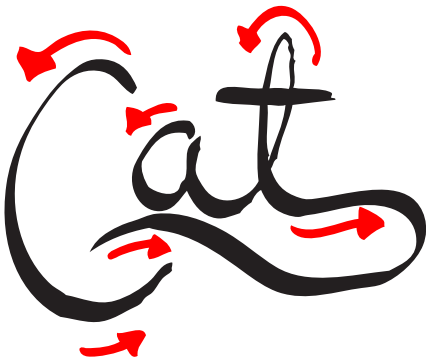
Calligraphy

Calligraphy is the art of writing. Before the printing press, calligraphers wrote whole books by hand! There are many styles of calligraphy. Most modern printed letters are based on them. The foundation of calligraphy is the broad nib pen, which is a pen that's wider than it is thick. A wedge-tipped marker or Sharpie has the same effect. A ball point pen or pencil can be used to draw the calligraphy shapes, but it does not have quite the same look. Try and write the following words using calligraphy strokes.

Practice these important strokes in calligraphy.



Try cursive calligraphy.



Try blackletter calligraphy.

