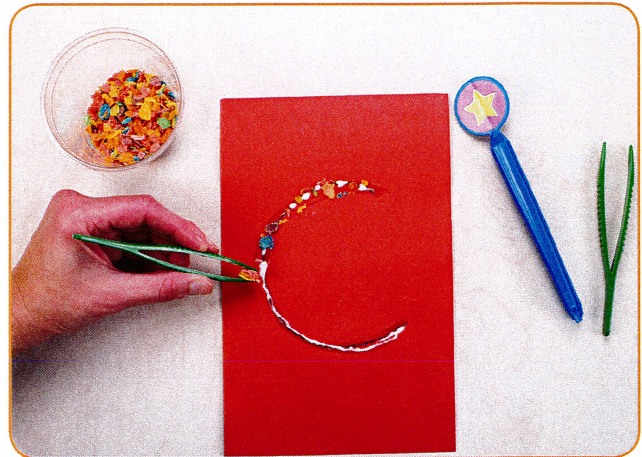


## Cereal Letters

This activity helps students develop skills that lead to a good pencil grasp while working on letter recognition and formation.

### Ingredients

- 9" x 12" construction paper
- small cereal pieces
- tweezers
- glue
- marker
- 1 small cup



### Target Skills

Fine pincer grasp  
Tripod grasp



### Teacher Prep Time

5 minutes



### Activity Completion Time

10 minutes

## Teacher Prep

**Prepare the letter.** Cut the construction paper in half to 9" x 6". Draw a letter (or number or shape) on the paper with a marker.

## Directions

- 1 Give the student a small cup of cereal and the prepared letter on construction paper.
- 2 Have the student trace the complete letter with glue.
- 3 Using tweezers placed in the hand like a pencil, have the student pick up small pieces of cereal, one at a time, and place each piece onto the letter, so that it sticks to the glue (until all of the lines are covered).

### Optional Activity Modifications

*For extra writing practice:*

The student could first trace a letter written in pencil with a marker, followed by glue.

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