

Improve Your Child's Writing Skills

Good writing skills require lots of practice. You can help improve your child's writing skills—without letting on that's what you're doing! Here are five ideas to get you started thinking:

1. **Let your child** write down telephone messages.
2. **Have her make** a list of things she'd like as birthday gifts.
3. **Have her write the invitations** if she's having a party.
4. **Encourage her to** write frequently to far away relatives and friends.
5. **Ask her to write** a short story on how she would spend \$100.

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