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**NOTE** ① Stroke order of components previously taught (such as “亻” in “住”) will not be shown. We’ve designed it this way so that it forces the necessity to develop the **muscle memory** of writing characters and their component from day 1.

Chinese characters are all constructed by components. While beginner characters may be constructed from only one or two components, advanced characters may be constructed from even more components. Though there are thousands of Chinese characters, the number of components is limited to just a few hundreds. As a result, knowing these components allows you to be able to read and write more advanced characters.

[Study our [Day-1 Beginner Course](#) for basic Chinese characters and components. Study our 16-video-[Chinese Character Writing Course](#) to learn more about writing Chinese characters. ]

When needed, you can also check the stroke order using online tools (try searching for “笔顺 bǐshùn”, “Chinese character stroke order checker”, etc.).

## RECOMMENDATIONS

To develop the muscle memory of writing Chinese characters, we recommend that on top of writing these writing sheets you also:

1. Write each lesson’s new words a few times and use them to write sentences.
2. Revisit Topic 1 of each lesson and write the example sentences in the video.
3. Revisit the lesson page of Topic 1 on our website and copy grammar point example sentences.
4. Finish each practice task in writing.
5. When your level is sufficient, try to keep a Chinese “diary”.

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bei	radical												
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jing	radical												
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shè		radical															
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NOTE : ① 舍 might be listed under Radical 舌 or Radical 人 in different dictionaries.