

Mixed Patterns

Early Years Worksheet Set

Lines + Curves Combined

Student Details

Name:

Class:

Date:

Teacher:



Line



Wave



Zigzag



Loop

What children will practice: Combining straight lines and curved lines in patterns.

How to use:

1. Look at the pattern that has been started.
2. Trace the guide marks if present.
3. Continue the pattern in the empty space.
4. Talk about what comes next: line, wave, zigzag, loop, arch...
5. On free-create pages, invent your own mixed pattern.

Tips:

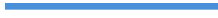
- Point to each part of the pattern and name it.
- Encourage children to say the pattern out loud as they draw.
- Praise when they keep the pattern going correctly.
- These pages work well laminated with dry-erase markers.

Pages included:

- Line + wave patterns
- Zigzag + curve patterns
- Loop + straight line patterns
- Arch + line patterns
- Mixed continuation practice
- Create your own pattern
- Examples

Line + Wave Patterns

Continue each pattern: straight line then wavy line.



continue the pattern



continue the pattern



continue the pattern



continue the pattern



continue the pattern

Zigzag + Curve Patterns

Continue: zigzag then a gentle curve / arch.



continue



continue



continue



continue



continue

Loop + Straight Line Patterns

Continue: loop (circle) then a straight line.



continue the pattern



continue the pattern



continue the pattern



continue the pattern



continue the pattern

Continue: arch / bridge then a straight line.



continue



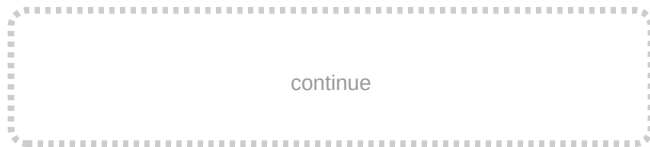
continue



continue



continue



continue

Look carefully and continue each mixed pattern.

line – wave – line – wave



continue here

zigzag – loop – zigzag – loop



continue here

arch – straight – arch – straight



continue here

wave – zigzag – wave – zigzag



continue here

Create Your Own Mixed Pattern

Invent a pattern using both straight lines and curves. Repeat it.

Draw your pattern here

Use lines, waves, zigzags, loops or arches



Sample Mixed Patterns

Line – Wave – Line – Wave



Zigzag – Arch – Zigzag



Loop – Line – Loop – Line



These are just ideas — any repeating combination of lines and curves is a mixed pattern!