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We should continue teaching **cursive**

writing in American elementary schools and introduce the concept before the third grade.



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Background

Our everchanging world of technology has introduced a lack of attention to penmanship. If we stop teaching cursive writing, **our future generations** may not reap benefits connected to producing words in a tactile manner.

Action

Elementary educators take penmanship courses in college.

Require cursive in kindergarten and preschools curriculum.

Higher literary success among students.

Benefits of teaching **cursive writing** to students before the third grade.

Improves motor skills and muscle memory
(Blazer, 2010)



Promotes patriotism and historical connection
(Emord, 2017)



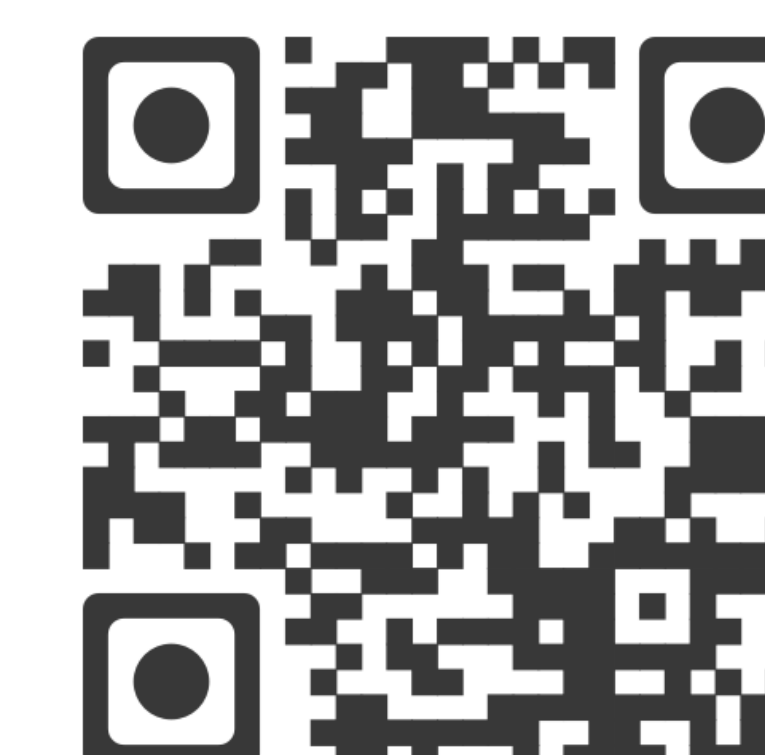
Easier to learn for children than print
(Semeraro, 2019)



Allows for creativity in and outside of the classroom
(Tarshis, 2014)



Cursive writing should be kept in elementary school curriculum to increase literary skills.



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