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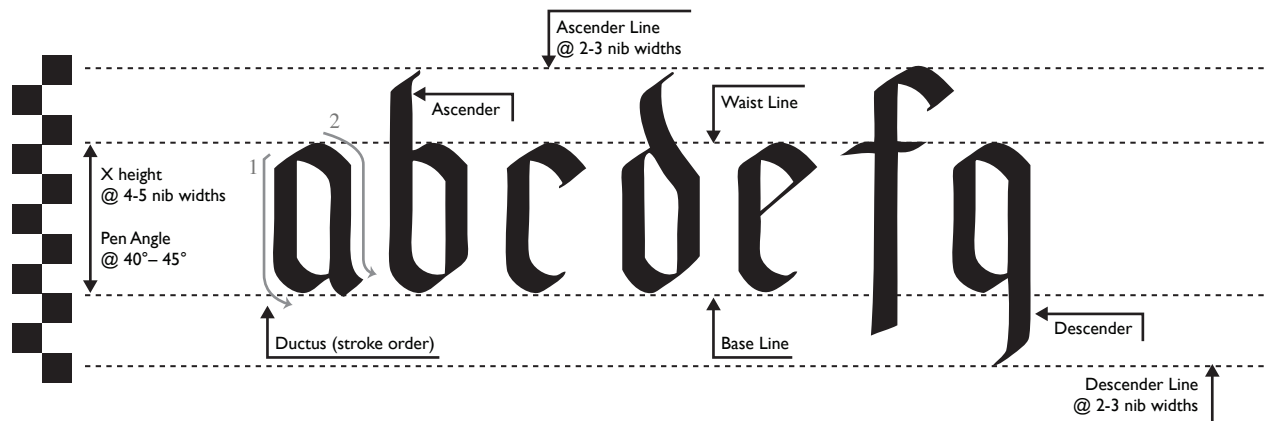
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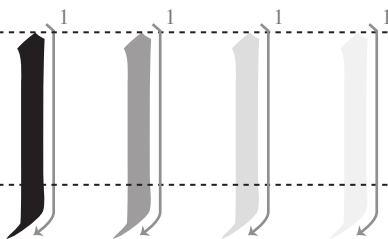
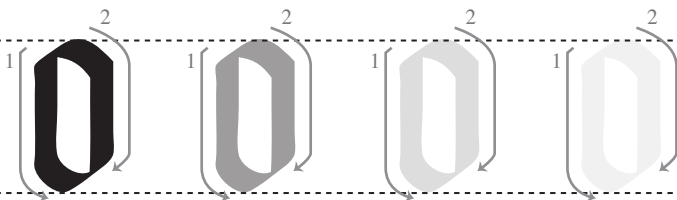
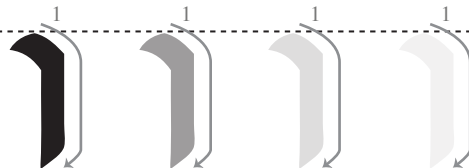
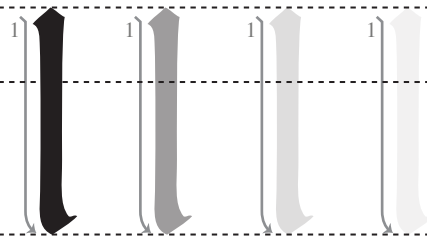
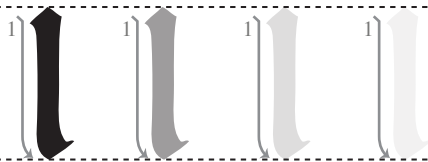
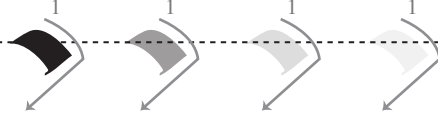
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Introduction

Welcome to the world of Gothic Calligraphy! There is no better place to start your journey into the world of Gothic Calligraphy than with this updated Foundational Gothic hand. The ductus (sequence of strokes) of each letterform is similar, and arches, curves, letter width and internal spacing are all consistent. Foundational Gothic was first developed in England in 1900 by Edward Johnston, one of the most influential calligraphers of the early 20th century. He based this hand on the Caroline Miniscule, characterized by its clarity and uniformity, which first appeared in the Frankish Empire in the eight century.


Mastering the simplicity of this hand will prepare you for more advanced Gothic hands.








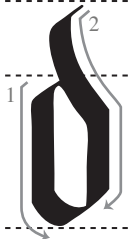
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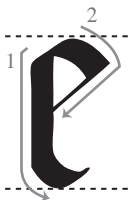
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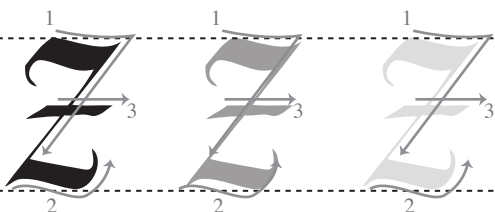
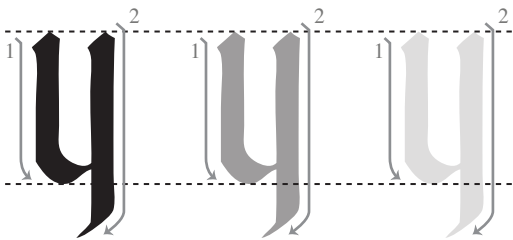
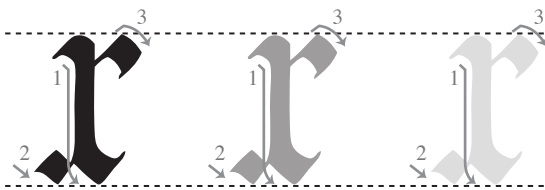
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Handwriting practice area with 15 sets of horizontal dashed lines for writing.