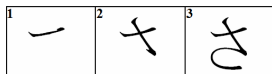


3 strokes



Rōmaji: SA

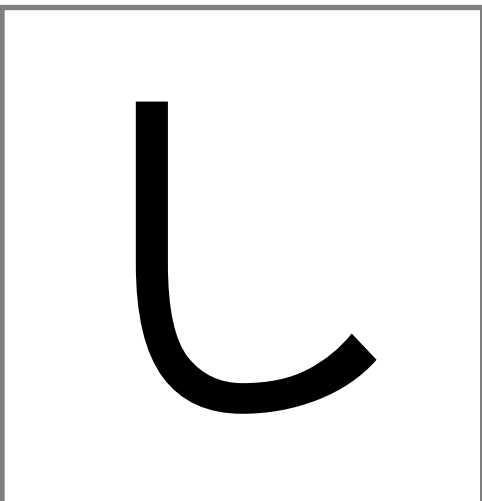
sounds like: Solitude; Sign

Mnemonic:

- It looks like a **S**Argeant barking orders.
- It looks like き but no. It's a Sign stuck in the ground.

サ	サ								
サ	サ								

1 stroke



Rōmaji: SHI

sounds like: SHE; SHEEt

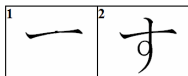
Mnemonic:



- It looks like a girl with wind in her hair. SHE has beautiful hair.
- You may be expecting "SI" but it is SHI

シ	シ								
シ	シ								

2 strokes



す

Rōmaji: SU

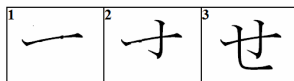
sounds like: SUE; SOUp

Mnemonic:

- It looks like a girl named SUE wearing a hat.

す	す								
す	す								

3 strokes



せ

Rōmaji: SE

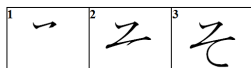
sounds like: SAY; SEt

Mnemonic:

- It looks like a person with a hat and an open mouth SAYing something.

せ	せ								
せ	せ								


3 strokes



Rōmaji: SO

sounds like: **Sold**; **SO**

Mnemonic:

- It looks so abstract, it could be a picaSO.
- Sometimes, you may see this character written as 

そ	そ								
そ	そ								

VOCABULARY

さけ sake; rice wine

うし cow

すし sushi

あさ morning

すき to like

うそ a lie

かさ umbrella

せき a cough; or a chair

Crossword Challenge!

Practice writing the hiragana (not romaji)!

Across

2. This means "to like"

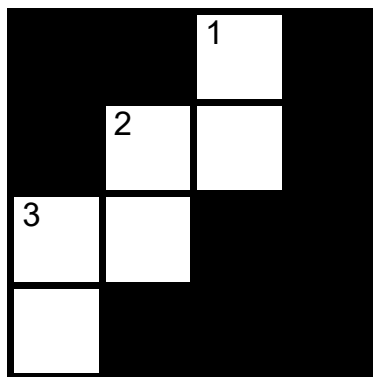
3. This means "cow"

Down

1. This means "chair"

2. This means "sushi"

3. This means "a lie"



Q&A:

1) How do you write sushi in hiragana?

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2) How is かさ pronounced? _____

TRUE OR FALSE: (circle one)

1) さ is "ki" and き is "sa"

T F

2) There are two ways to write そ

T F

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さ	さ						

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