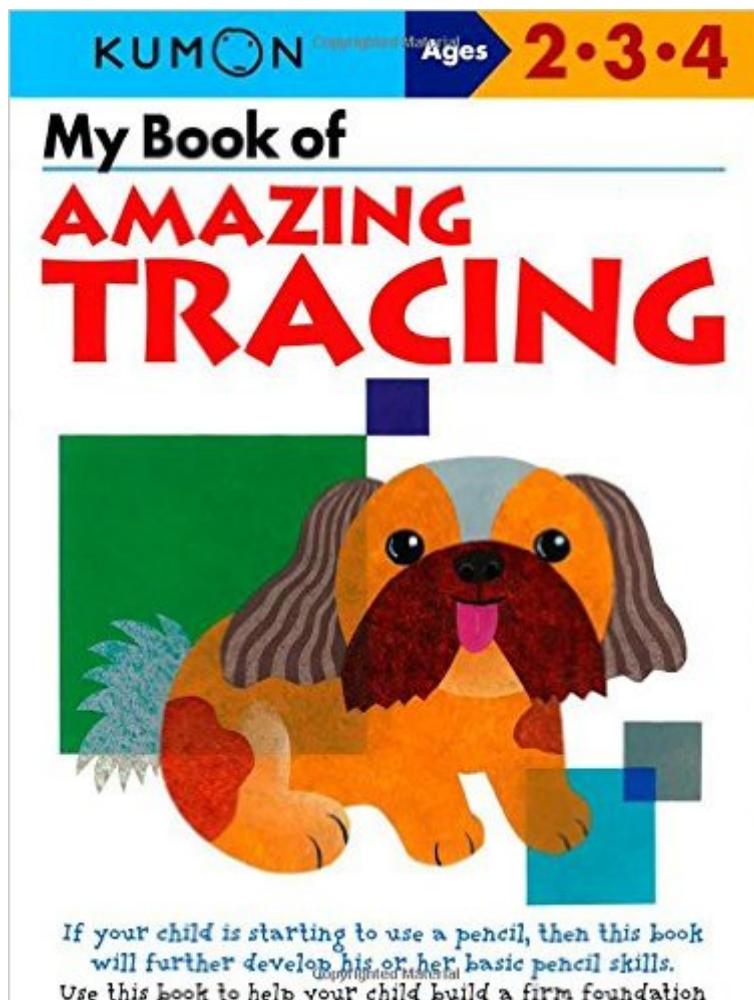


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# My Book Of Amazing Tracing (Kumon Workbooks)



## **Synopsis**

Using the proven Kumon method, this workbook will help children's pencil-control skills and build a firm foundation for writing letters and numbers.

## **Book Information**

Series: Kumon Workbooks

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Age Range: 2 - 4 years

Grade Level: Preschool and up

## **Customer Reviews**

I love the Kumon books. I used them with my older son. Now I'm homeschooling and using these to help my younger son with learning strokes. The tracing books are great but move at a pretty fast clip. And with a pencil you can only do them once. Sometimes the jumps in skills between levels were such that I had to put the book away for a couple months and try again when my child was more mature. However, I finally got smart! I now tear out the sheets and put them in clear sheet protectors and use a single binder ring to organize. I have my child use a dry erase marker and wipe them clean when we are done with the lesson. My child can then practice each page over and over until he masters it. And the pens are easier for little hands to use. LOVE. I wish I had done this with my first son. Worth the extra effort for sure. The colorful pages are fun and engaging. My youngest asks to do these worksheets now that I do them this way.

The Kumon series of books works by empowering children to succeed on their own. The books get

successively more difficult as they build upon skills learned from the previous pages, so that by the end of the book the child has a sense of accomplishment and be ready to move on to the next level. The instructor is more of a mentor or coach than a teacher in a classroom. The Amazing Tracing book is designed to help develop pre-writing skills. The child is asked to trace along paths, either zig-zags, curves, swirls, lines, loops, semi-circles, overlaps, or a combination of all the above and it's put together in a manner that is very engaging with fun illustrations, mazes, and object outlines. My 3 year old started at the first page with a simple zigzag and is about half way through. The tracing path starts out wide and gets narrower as you go along. By the end of the book, it gets more complex, tracing the outline of a whirling, swirling roller coaster and the mythical creature "Pegasus." One tip: If you have more than one child, make copies of the pages for your children to trace instead of in the book itself. That way you can make as many copies as you need, especially if your child likes one in particular and wants to do the same one again and again. Highly recommended workbook for developing pre-writing skills!

I imagine there are three-year-olds in the world that can be handed a workbook full of colorful illustrations and resist the temptation to scribble all over every page, but my son is not one of them. I have to remove these workbook pages to give him one at a time or chaos is the inevitable result. Unfortunately, the pages are not perforated in the least, and it is easy to rip a page trying to remove it. I bought a rotary perforator to help with this problem, but it would be far better if they incorporated this into the design - at least for the workbooks intended for younger children. Other than that, this workbook (and My First Book Of Tracing) have really, really helped my son develop pencil skills. I do recommend the material. If your child is a bit over-inclined to reacting to immediate stimuli without thinking, like mine is, just order a rotary perforator along with it. Here's the one I got - so far it's working well: B000641G9Y

My daughter is 2 turning three soon and completed the my first book of tracing previous to using this amazing tracing book. She loves it and has Fantastic control using a pencil because we used these books! She also colors in the lines (mostly) as a result! I recommend them to anyone! It was a very rewarding purchase!

I loved the original Kumon tracing book and I love the My Book of Amazing Tracing. This book is a great introduction for kids learning how to use a pencil. The book pages are good quality and can be erased 5 times or so before you need to retire the book. I highly recommend this book for children

learning how to use a pencil.

My kids didn't know what tracing was or that it even existed so I thought it would be a good idea to get them this book. Turns out they love it! It is filled with lovely cute pictures that kids gravitate to and it helps my kids define their motor skills. They books offer a fun way to learn the basic skills of art and they just get really into it and it's great. The drawings included in the book contains objects of all kinds and my kids have a blast doing this and it keeps them busy. When they do put the book down in search of something else that's fun, they always go to that bouncing deer, another product I bought for them on . It's great because the kids have fun bouncing around the house and when they get tired, I offer them this book to work or they just take a nap. I highly recommend this!

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