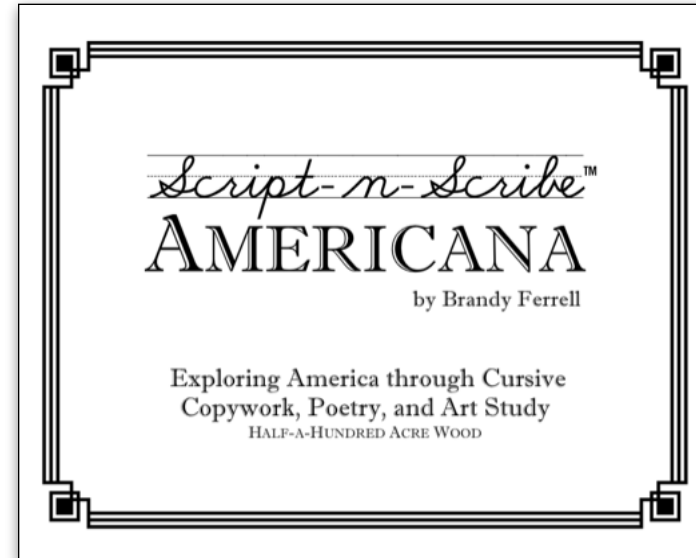


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HATS OFF!

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The Flag Goes By

by Henry Holcomb Bennett

Hats off!
Along the street there comes
A blare of bugles, a ruffle of drums,
A flash of color beneath the sky:
Hats off!
The flag is passing by!

Blue and crimson and white it shines,
Over the steel-tipped, ordered lines.
Hats off!
The colors before us fly;
But more than the flag is passing by.

Sea-fights and land-fights, grim and great,
Fought to make and to save the State:
Weary marches and sinking ships;
Cheers of victory on dying lips;

Days of plenty and years of peace;
March of a strong land's swift increase;
Equal justice, right and law,
Stately honor and reverend awe;

Sign of a nation, great and strong
To ward her people from foreign wrong:
Pride and glory and honor,—all
Live in the colors to stand or fall.

Hats off!
Along the street there comes
A blare of bugles, a ruffle of drums;
And loyal hearts are beating high:

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***The Fourth of July* by Frederick Childe Hassam
[American Impressionist Painter, 1859-1935]**



Look closely at this cityscape painting called *Fourth of July* painted by American Impressionist Frederick Childe Hassam in 1916. What do you notice first? What else do you see? How many flags do you see? Can you describe what may be happening?

Write each phrase. Find the items in the painting.

American flags

stars and stripes

narrow avenue

tall buildings

people gathered

cloudy sky

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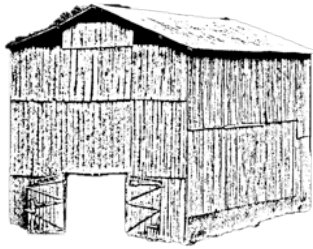
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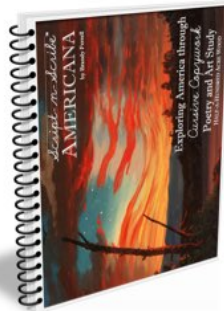
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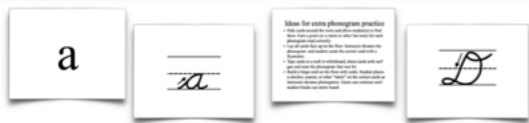
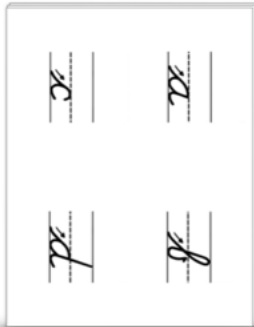
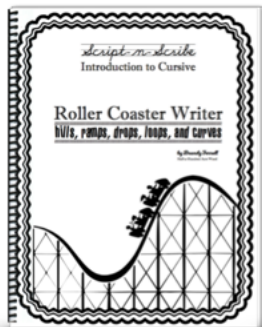
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