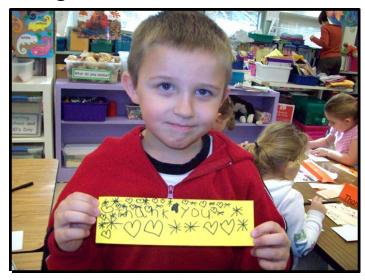
## Sing, Sign, Spell, and Read! I Can Spell "Thank You" I Children prepare secret messages to take home



Do your best printing. (Children had practiced handwriting the word "you" earlier.)



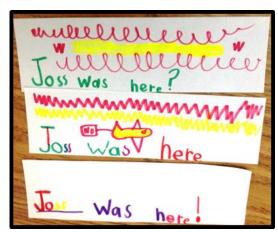
After you have printed several messages using your best handwriting, you may want to create designs to fancy them up.





## Children sing, sign, fingerspell, and read "Thank you"

- Share favorite books about Thanksgiving.
- Children talk to their elbow buddies about people, animals, and things in nature that they are thankful for.
- Fingerspelling "th" builds writing muscles and teaches digraphs.
- Explore period and exclamation marks: Read
  "Thank you" with different tones of voice. We
  are writing for a reader and punctuation helps us
  express the writer's ideas.



Recorded on Sing, Sign, Spell, and Read! CD by Nellie Edge and Gina Edge