## DIRECT STRATEGIES: WRITING

**STRATEGY GROUP:** Cognitive

**STRATEGY SET:** Practicing

STRATEGY: Formally practicing with sounds and writing

systems

This strategy also centers on learning new writing systems necessary fir using the target language. Of course, language learners do not always have to learn a new writing system, but many languages have alphabets, syllabaries, or idiographic systems that differ from the learners' own writing system. With a language such as Russian, Arabic, or Hebrew, the alphabet might be different from the learners' own.