Tav with Dagesh תּ

Name _____ Date _____

Meet Tav with Dagesh

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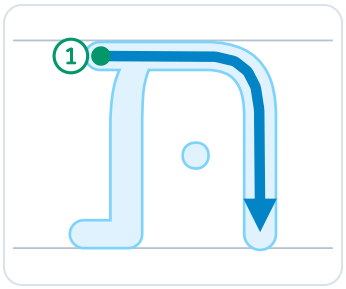
NAME	Tav with Dagesh תָּו
SOUND	t as in time — the hard sound
NUMBER	400
ABOUT	Biblical Hebrew: the dot (a dagesh lene) marks the hard sound; without it the letter was softer, like th in thin. Most readers today say both as t.
WHERE IT SITS	Between the two lines. The dot goes inside.

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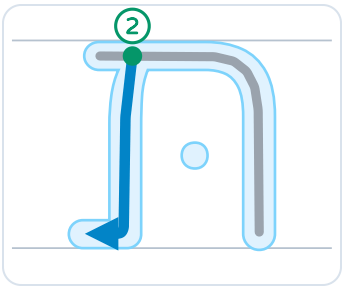
In your Bible it looks like this

How to write Tav with Dagesh

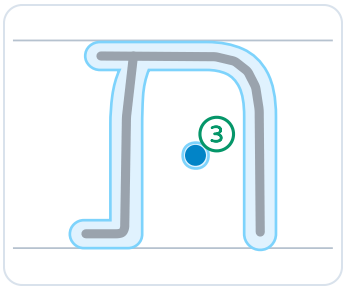
two strokes, then the dot, from the top down



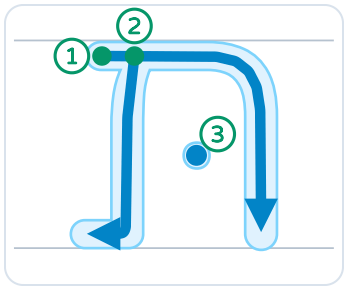
1 · Roof and wall
Start at the top left. Go across, round the corner and down the right side.



2 · Left wall and foot
Start on the roof near its left end. Come down and step out to the left at the bottom.



3 · The dot
Add the dot (dagesh) in the middle, last of all.



All together
Roof and wall, left wall and foot, dot.

Practice

◀ Hebrew is written from **right to left**. Start each line at the green arrow and work toward the left.

TRACE

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TRACE, THEN WRITE

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WRITE

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FROM MEMORY