míng luò sūn shān

名落孙山

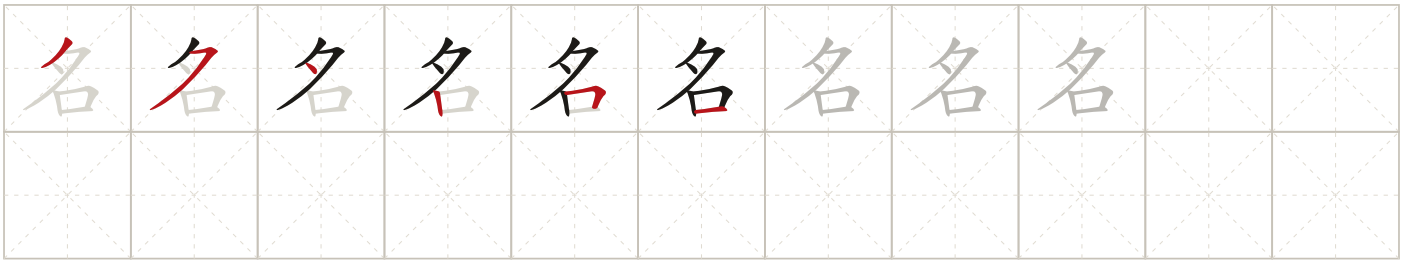
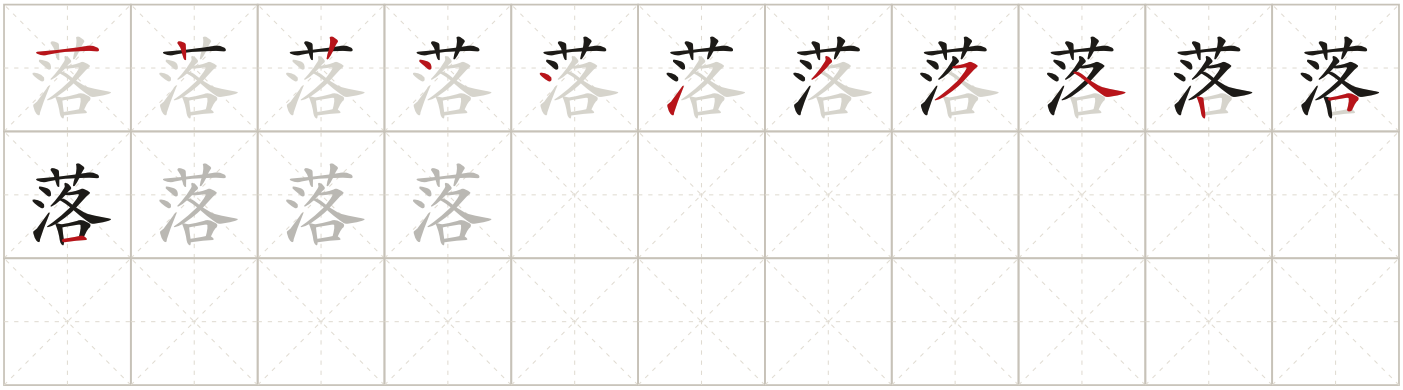
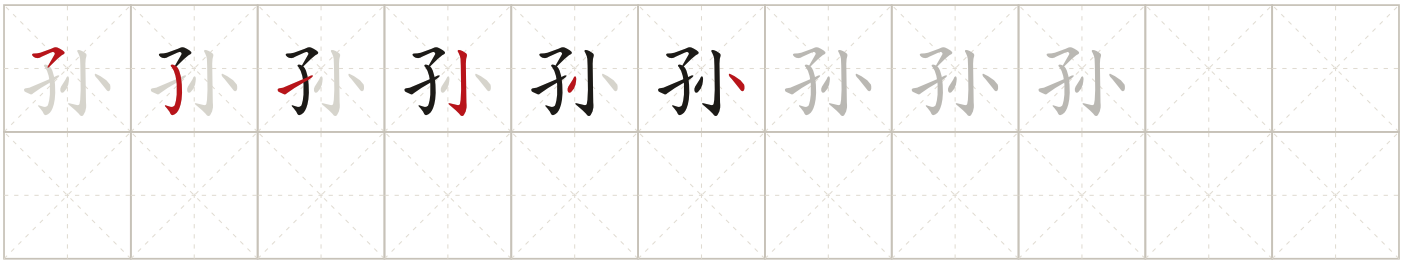
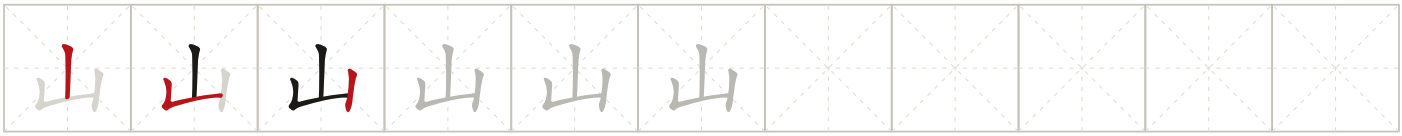
idiom · to fail an exam or selection; to be not admitted

Example Sentences

tā zhè cì gāo kǎo míng luò sūn shān zhǐ hǎo míng nián zài kǎo
他这次高考名落孙山，只好明年再考。

He failed the college entrance exam this time, so he'll have to retake it next year.

suī rán tā hěn nǔ lì dàn zuì zhōng hái shì míng luò sūn shān
虽然他很努力，但最终还是名落孙山。

Although he worked very hard, he still failed in the end.

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