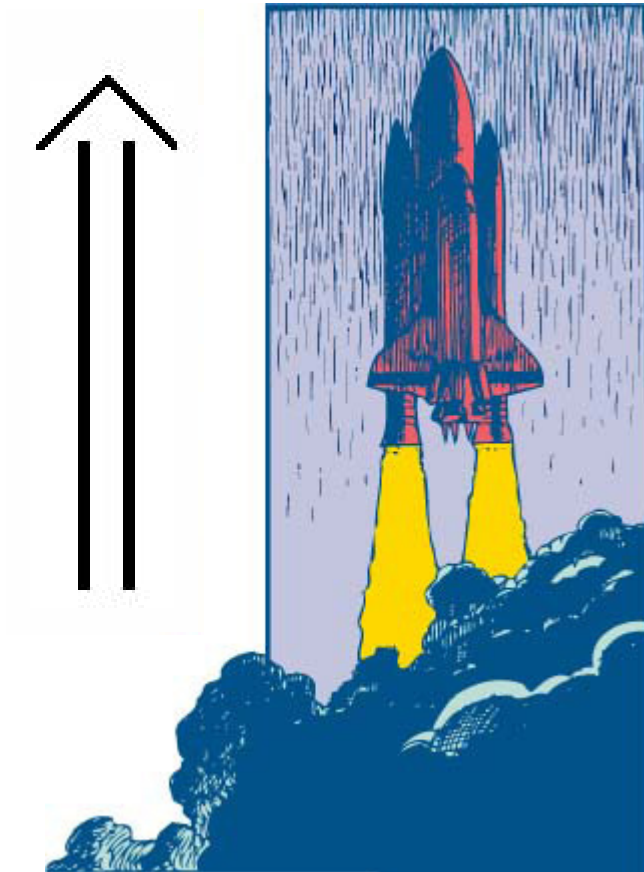


Writing Movement On Diagonal Planes

Let's review what we have already learned!

Writing movement is based on imaginary planes that cut space. The Plane that is parallel with the front wall, is called the Wall Plane. Up-Down Movement is parallel with the Wall Plane. It is written with double-stemmed arrows.

Imagine a rocketship that travels straight up. Up Movement is written with double-stemmed arrows:

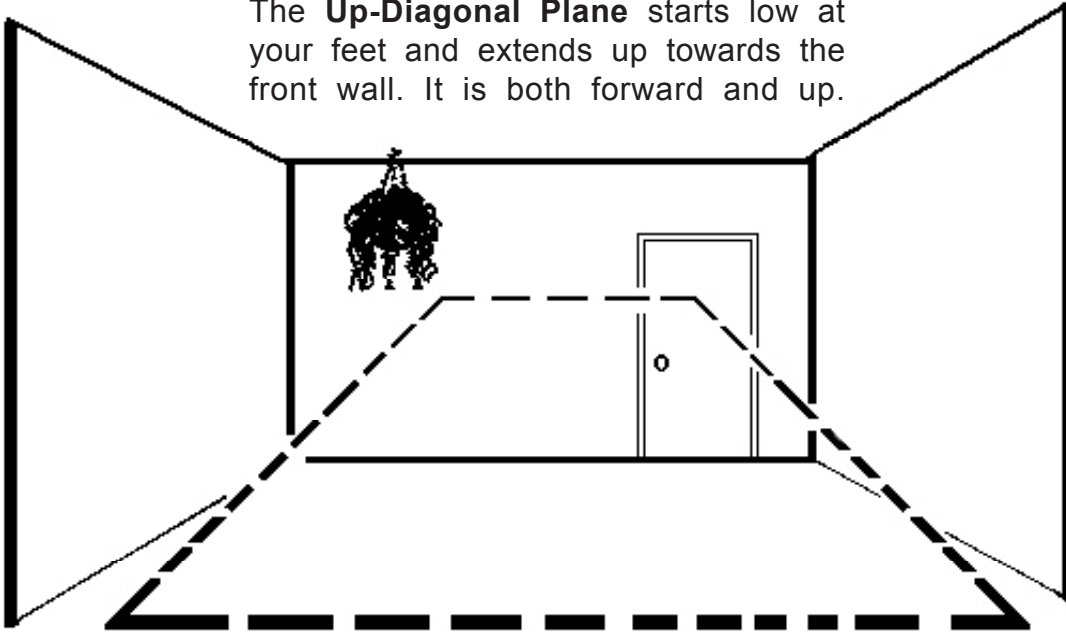


The Plane that is parallel with the floor, is called the Floor Plane. Forward-Back Movement is parallel with the Floor Plane. It is written with single-stemmed arrows. Imagine driving a car. Think of the line in the center of the road. Forward Movement is written with single-stemmed arrows:



The Diagonal Plane

Space is also divided by diagonal planes. The **Up-Diagonal Plane** starts low at your feet and extends up towards the front wall. It is both forward and up.



Forward or Back Diagonal

A horizontal bar means away from your chest.
A dot means towards your chest.



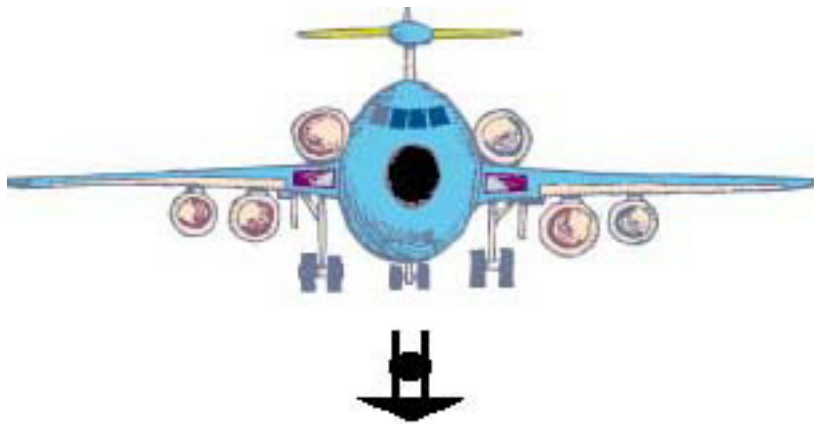
Up-Forward Diagonal Movement

Imagine an airplane taking off, traveling toward the horizon. **Up-Forward-Diagonal-Movement** is written with a double stemmed arrow. A horizontal line, representing the horizon, crosses the stemline.



Down-Back Diagonal Movement

Imagine an airplane coming in for a landing, traveling towards you. **Down-Back-Diagonal Movement** is written with double-stemmed arrows. A dark dot is written on the stem of the arrow. The dot represents the nose of the plane as it is coming towards you.



Do Not Confuse These Arrows



Up



Up-Forward-Diagonal



Forward

Do Not Confuse These Arrows



Down



Down-Back-Diagonal



Back