

Phonics

This week your phonics focus is the sound /ow/. It can be spelled in different ways:

ow like in **cow**

ou like in **house**

Draw this into your books:

ow

ou

We're going to sort some words. We've done this lots of times before. Read the words and then write them into the correct category.

e.g.

ow

cow

ou

house

<u>Sound Sort</u> out crown now mouse how sound clown down round pouch bow frown around	<u>Sound Sort</u> our brown mouth growl ground ouch flowers loud shower south eyebrow towel found	<u>Sound Sentences</u> Write sentences using some of the /ow/ words that you have written. Can you come up with a silly story?	<u>Seek the Sound</u> Read your home reading book or another book that you have. Listen out for the /ow/ sound. Write the word and the spelling of /ae/. E.g. <table><tbody><tr><td><u>Word</u></td><td><u>Spelling</u></td></tr><tr><td>out</td><td>ou</td></tr></tbody></table> See the text on the next page if you need to.	<u>Word</u>	<u>Spelling</u>	out	ou
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The downs



Close to our town are the downs. Last week I went there with Pat Brown. We sat on the ground near a field of cows and had a picnic. Later, there were a lot of clouds. It was getting dark. I heard a loud sound come down from the top of a tree. I opened my mouth and let out a loud shout.

I jumped up, ran quickly down the hill, across the meadow and all the way home.

Pat came round the next day and said, "It was only an owl. A big brown owl! You are so silly!" I was not very brave. I was not very proud.