

Book 5: Out and About



Reading and sorting: words with ow and oi spellings

ow

ou

ouch

power

shout

frown

howl

round

aloud

towel

pout

oi

oy

soil

toy

royal

voice

enjoy

point

boy

coin

Words with ow
and oi
Moon Dogs at Home series
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Photocopy this page onto card and cut into reading and sorting cards. Store cards in an envelope and stick the label on the front for reference. This activity can be split into two levels by colour coding the spellings on the cards first with highlighter pens. Cards can also be made into a simple matching game by printing on two different colours of card. Select five or six words and place face down on the table. Take it in turns to find the pairs.

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Colour in the words with ou spellings



power

round

annoy

drown

towel

frown

destroy

crown

ouch

enjoy

about

mouse

toilet

sound

point

town

aloud

spoil

shout

mouth

Fold this sheet on the dotted line. Read the words in the column on the left. Listen to the sounds in the words. Colour in the lozenges with words that have **ou** spellings. Repeat this in the other columns. Unfold the sheet and check the correct words have been coloured in.

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Timed reading

how now house out found mouse town
 crown shout around ground boy oil toy
 destroy boil coin annoy voice choice spoil
 enjoy decoy join royal point soil

1st try Time:

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2nd try Time:

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3rd try Time:

This timed reading exercise is for the pupil to improve his/her reading speed and fluency. Ask the pupil to read the words as fast as he/she can. Record the time in the box. Repeat the exercise. This sheet can be cut or folded along the dotted lines to allow for different presentations.

Is it true?



Gran bangs her arm getting out of the shower. She is upset because she can't walk her little cat, Pebbles. Luckily Tam rings her with a plan. Gran lowers Pebbles to the ground in a box. Pebbles runs around and finds an old bone. Gran pulls her back up. Pebbles is sad that she has left her toy behind on the ground.

There are 6 things in the story above that are not true.
Can you spot them?

Ask the pupil to read the text carefully and circle any false information that has been planted in the story.

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4-in-a-row game



noise	toil	fowl	round	toy
loud	shout	flower	town	oil
boil	mount	allow	voice	proud
poise	annoy	crowd	coil	point
joints	ploy	how	sound	noun
toilet	royal	spout	frown	brow
down	tower	howl	owl	enjoy



A game for two players: Play with two sets of coloured counters or two different sets of coins. Players take turns to read a word and put a counter on it. The winner is the first to get four of his or her counters in a row in any direction. The winner places a counter on a picture of Pebbles. The game is played four times until all the pictures of Pebbles are covered.