

## Book 3: Home Alone



Reading and sorting: words with oe spellings

o

oa

ow

o-e

oe

toe

bone

coat

rope

go

blow

roast

joke

groan

pillow

soap

know

so

snow

float

stroke

goat

growing

woe

going

Words with oe  
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 color 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 colors 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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Color in the words with oa spellings



sold

toast

moan

top

soap

block

flop

shallow

token

stopped

boastful

toad

shop

cloak

dropped

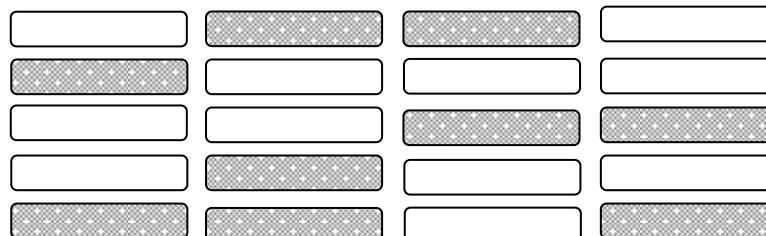
zoom

roast

groan

home

goat



Fold this sheet on the dotted line. Read the words in the column on the left. Listen to the sounds in the words. Color in the boxes with words that have **oa** spellings. Repeat this in the other columns. Unfold the sheet and check the correct words have been colored in.

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## Timed reading



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 groan show no throw foe grow bone  
 bloat go drove toe flow spoke pole low  
 know roll hole cope coat mole toad

1st try Time:

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 know roll hole cope coat mole toad

2nd try Time:

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 know roll hole cope coat mole toad

3rd try Time:

This timed reading activity is for the student to improve his/her reading speed and fluency. Ask the student to read the words as fast as he/she can. Record the time in the box. Repeat the activity.

This sheet can be cut or folded along the dotted lines to allow for different presentations.



Is it true?



Sim wakes up feeling hot. He gets up to make a cup of tea. A blackbird lands at the window. Sim makes a dish with seeds and cold meat. He rolls it into a ball. Sim rings Tam on the phone. Sim makes a plate of egg on toast for lunch. He has his lunch at the window with the cat. The crow hates the bird ball!

There are 7 things in the story above that are not true.  
Can you spot them?

Ask the student 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



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**A game for two players:** Play with two sets of colored 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 a crow. The game is played four times until all the pictures of the crow are covered.