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Grade 2: Weekly Phonics Focus
Lesson 14

In our classroom this week, we are learning to read and spell words with the vowel team oo. Here are the letters and patterns to practice this week:

| Consonants | $b, c, d, f, g, h, j, k, l, m, n, p, q, r, s, t, v, w, x, z$ <br> $y$ at the beginning of a word |
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| Vowels | $a, e, i, o, u$ <br> $y$ at the end of a word |
| Vowel Teams | A vowel team has 2 or more letters side by side that are <br> pronounced as 1 vowel sound. Some vowel teams spelled <br> with 2 letters side by side can be pronounced 2 <br> different ways. |

Here are some examples of words with the 2 pronunciations for the vowel team oo:

| 00 <br> (long uas in moon) |  | 00 <br> (/oo/ as in book) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| boom | food | Brook | look |
| booth | hoop | good | nook |
| cool | mood | hood | wood |
| coop | zoom | hook | woof |

Your Turn: This week, be on the lookout for words that have the vowel team oo. In the table below, keep a list of pattern words that you read or write with your child.

| OO <br> (long u as in moon) |  | OO <br> (/oo/ as in book) |  |
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Use the activities and questions from the original Family Support Letter to further assist your child's success in learning the weekly phonics focus.

