

Mr Underwood's Phonics Group (week beginning 27th April)

New spelling rule! - The short vowel 'o'

Vowels = **a**, **e**, **i**, **o** and **u**

- 1) Can you remember what a **short vowel** sounds like? What does a **long vowel** sound like?

Watch the link below to help remind you what sounds a short and long vowel makes.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4TjcT7Gto3U>

Practice saying these words below. Underline the short vowel sound in each of the words when you have said them.

other	some	mother	dozen	brother
wonder	nothing	done	cover	money

- 2) You can now practice writing these spellings correctly using a spelling machine to help you.

Spellings	Copy - 1 st 	Cover - 2 nd 	Cover - 3 rd 
brother			
cover			
wonder			
mother			
money			
nothing			
other			
done			
dozen			
bother			



3) Now, select **6** of the words we have been learning. You are going to put them into sentences. Remember to try to include some **adjectives**, **adverbs** and **conjunctions** where possible.

brother
cover
wonder
mother
money
nothing
other
done
dozen
bother

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____
- 5) _____
- 6) _____

4) Complete the activity below. You will need a dice and whatever number you roll, the instructions below will inform you of what you need to do.

Roll the dice or get someone to pick a number from 1-6 for each spelling.

brother
cover
wonder
mother
money
nothing
other
done
dozen
bother

- 1 = Write your word three times
- 2 = Write your word backwards
- 3 = Write your word in capital letters
- 4 = Write your word in a sentence
- 5 = Spell out your word in a funny voice
- 6 = Write your word with your weaker hand

Can you make up different rules for these numbers?