

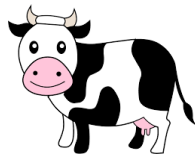
Today we are reading and writing words with the grapheme

**OW** (as in 'cow')

Ask your child to say **ow** quietly, loudly and in a robot voice.

Encourage them to practise writing **ow**, remembering that the letters 'hold hands' because it is a digraph (join up the *o* and *w*)

Ask your child to name each picture below and then use their robot arms to segment to spell them e.g. They would say "t-**ow**-n" and then write the word 'town'.



Ask your child to say each sound and blend them together to read these words:

**down**

**now**

**owl**

Choose one of the sentences below to say to your child out loud. Help them to use their phonics skills and knowledge of tricky words to write it.

**The cow is big.**                    or

**The cow has got black spots.**