

Lesson 43

Double O short u Sound: OO in Book

Notice this sound is always in the middle of the root words. Also notice how many of these words end in k, t, or d.

book	look	took	hook
cook	shook	crook	brook
nook	rook	cookie	partook
note/book	hand/book	over/look	

wood	hood	stood	good
moth/er/hood	neigh/bor/hood	un/der/stood	
good/bye	dog/wood	wooden	

foot	soot	afoot	hoof
woof	wool		

Long u sound: OO as in Moon

This is the long sound of oo. It is used in the middle of the root word, or at the end of a word.

Examples:

zoo	too	boo	coo
moo	woo	igloo	tattoo
sham/poo	kang/a/roo	bam/boo	cuck/oo

moon	noon	loon	soon
balloon	lagoon	festoon	spoon
cocoon	moon/light	af/ter/noon	

boom	gloom	broom	room
loom	bloom	boomerang	

pool	cool	tool	school
fool	goose	loose	moose

roost	boost	rooster	booster
proof	poof	shoot	root
boot	food	mood	moody
loop	stoop	droop	troop
tooth	tooth/brush	tooth/paste	

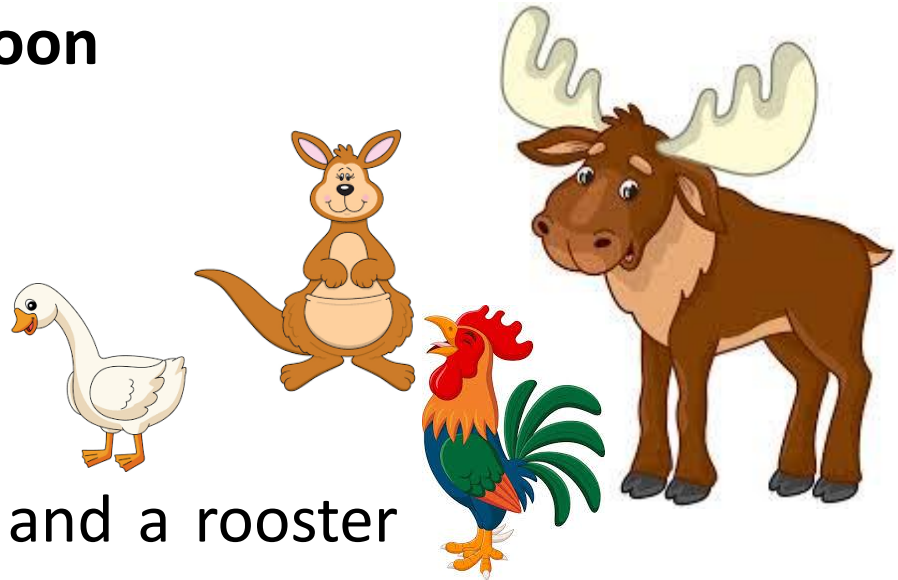
A Walk at Noon

A moose,

a goose,

a kangaroo, and a rooster

lived at the Brooklyn Zoo. Every day at noon, they took a walk around the neighborhood. They liked to visit the school at lunch/time, because the children would give them food.



They really enjoyed the cookies. The cook held a wooden spoon and shook her head and said, “You should feed them good food, like corn and fruit.” The teacher took her notebook and said, “Stoop down, Moose. I need to look at your tooth. Have you been using your toothbrush and toothpaste? I think you have been eating too many sweets.”

It was time to go back to the zoo. They took the road in the woods and crossed the brook. The zoo/keep/er stood at the gate and greeted them. The moose bel/low/ed, the goose honked, the kangaroo hopped, and the rooster said, “Cock-a-doodle-doo!” It was a good day.