/ô/ o, au, aw, a(l), au(gh), ough

Lesson 22

Sort the Spelling Words into three groups: Words with a(l), au or ou, and aw. Then write the words.

Word	ls w	ith	a(l)
			(- /

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Words with au or ou

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____

9. _____

Words with aw

10. _____

11. _____

12. _____

Write the following Spelling Words: soft, long, and lost. Use your best handwriting.

13. _____

14. _____

15. _____

Spelling Words

1. ought ought

2. soft soft

3. yawn yawn

4. walk walk

5. long long

6. also also

7. thaw thaw

8. lost lost

9. cause cause

10. taught taught

II. pause pause

12. straw straw

13. false false

14. author author

15. almost almost

16. Swallow

17. haughty

18. somer sautt

19. Sprawling

20. Faucet

Handwriting Tip

Make sure your os do not look like as.

lost

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Name _	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	/ô/ o, au, aw, a(i), au(gh), ough
. Wr	ite the Spelling Word that matches each clue.	Lesson 22
1.	I write stories	
2.	Animals sleep on this.	Spelling Words
3.	One way to get from here to there.	. ought
4.	What you do when you are tired	2. soft 3. yawn
5.	What you do to unfreeze something.	4. walk
		5. long6. also
	d <i>o, au, ou,</i> or <i>al</i> to complete the Spelling rd. Then write each word.	7. thaw 8. lost 9. cause
6.	We ght to learn more about bats.	10. taught 11. pause
7.	I most forgot my backpack today.	12. straw 13. false 14. author 15. almost
8.	My pillow is s ft and fluffy	
9.	Mrs. Davis t ght me in second grade	
10.	We so went to the grocery store	
11.	II st my favorite toy	
12.	That rope is I ng	

Spelling Strategy

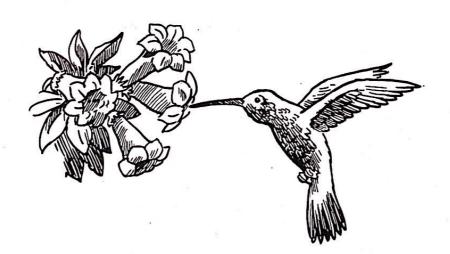
Sounds and Letters: If a word does not look right, say the word. Listen for the vowel sound. Think of other letters that can spell the same sound. Then check the dictionary to see if you are right.

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Vowel Variants

- Circle the helping verb and underline the main verb in each sentence.
 - . 1. Moths are attracted to the light.
 - 2. We have seen many insects this summer.
 - 3. She will study bees at the library.
 - 4. I am writing a report on ladybugs.
 - 5. The hummingbird was looking for food.
 - 6. The ducks do not fly very far.
 - 7. An eagle is gliding through the sky.
 - 8. The hawk has spotted a mouse.



Try This

Write four sentences about your day at school, using main and helping verbs. Circle the helping verbs. Underline the main verbs.

Sequence of Events

Sequence of	DI EVEIIIS
Name	Date
Read the story. Then answer the questions.	
"The Howard Mann Theater" and below it "C greeted them at the door and showed them w with five other boys and girls and their parent as she went over the rules of the game. She to Jason's teammates were Janelle and Ste boys. She was reading a book called <u>Amazin</u> the United States. The three team members po a woman put make-up on them so they would While they were waiting, people began you know that all rainbows are made up of the indian and violet?"	ts. A woman came in and smiled at them old them who would be on each team. eve. Janelle was a year older than the ng Facts. Steve was looking over a map of ut on red jumpsuits. Then, they went in and d look good on TV. In to arrive and sit down. Janelle said, "Did the colors red, orange, yellow, green, blue, the Mammoth Caves in Kentucky are over
1. How did Jason and his mother get to the th	neater?
2. What was the name of the theater?	
3. How do you think Jason is feeling in the la	ast sentence?
4. Put these events in the order they happene	ed.
Steve read aloud a fact about Mammoth caves.	Jason's mother paid the taxi driver.
People began to take their seats.	Jason found out who his
A lady explained the rules.	teammates were.
Jason and his mother were greeted at the door.	Janelle told her teammates the colors in a rainbow.

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Skill Reminder

The sequence of events is the order in which they happen.

▶ Read the article. Then circle the letter of the best answer to each question.

Bat Meals

Some bats eat bugs. Other bats eat only fruit. Some bats need to get extra nutrients from hard leaves. To do this, first the bat softens the hard leaf in its mouth. Next, it swallows the liquid from the leaf. Finally, the bat spits out the rest of the leaf.

- 1. What does the bat do first when it eats a hard leaf?
 - A It swallows the leaf.
 - B It softens the leaf in its mouth.
 - C It swallows liquid from the leaf.
- 2. What does the bat do after the leaf is soft?
 - A It spits out the leaf.
 - B It swallows the leaf.
 - C It swallows the liquid.
- 3. What does the bat do last with the leaf?
 - A It spits out the leaf.
 - B It swallows the leaf.
 - C It swallows the liquid.



Sequence

Lesson 22



School-Home Connection

Talk with the student about something you do every day. Have him or her describe the activity using time-order words.

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Skill Reminder

Author's Message

The author's message is the main idea he or she wants the reader to learn.

▶ Read the two selections below. Answer the questions about the author's message. Circle the letter of the best answer.

Most plants get food from the soil. There is one, though, that is different. The Venus Flytrap gets nutrients from live insects. Venus Flytraps have two leaves with pointed edges that look like teeth. The leaves stay open until an insect lands on one of them. Then, the leaves snap shut and trap the insect. The flytrap produces a liquid that helps it digest the insect. Once it digests the insect, the flytrap opens its leaves again. It is ready for its next meal.

- 1. What is the author's message in this selection?
 - A Many insects do not have wings.
 - **B** Flowers grow faster in direct sunlight.
 - C Venus Flytraps get food in an interesting way.



Starfish are a special kind of sea animal. They have five arms and are shaped like a star. A starfish can grow a new arm if one gets cut off. If a starfish is cut in two, the pieces will each form a new animal. The starfish's ability to regrow new arms makes it a real survivor.

- 2. What is the author's message in this selection?
 - A Starfish are special.
 - **B** Most fish do not have arms.
 - C It is bad luck to find a starfish.





Have the student name one detail that shows the author's message.

