

HOMEWORK

Name: _____ Date: _____

Letter string 'ough'

The letter pattern 'ough' is one of the trickiest spellings in English. It can be used to spell several different sounds.

- The letter pattern **'ought'** can make the final sound **'uff'** or **'off'**.
- The letter pattern **'ough'** can also make the final sound **'ow'** or **'owe'**.
- The letter pattern **'ought'** can also make the sound **'or'** when followed by a **'t'**.

Copy each word, then try to write it without copying. Use the final column to correct any mistakes or to test each group of words.

<i>(list 5:13)</i>	Practise 1 <i>(copy into space)</i>	Practise 2 <i>(fold and hide)</i>	Can spell word <i>(check and correct)</i>
Spelling tip:	'ough' can make the final sound 'uff' or 'off' .		
<i>rough</i>			
<i>tough</i>			
<i>enough</i>			
<i>cough</i>			
<i>trough</i>			

Spelling tip:	'ough' can also make the final sound 'ow' or 'owe' (long 'o' sound).		
<i>bough</i>			
<i>plough</i>			
<i>dough</i>			
<i>though</i>			
<i>although</i>			

Spelling tip:	'ough' can also make the sound 'or' when followed by 't' .		
<i>nought</i>			
<i>bought</i>			
<i>thought</i>			
<i>fought</i>			
<i>brought</i>			