

# Diphthongs **OU** and **OW**

A **diphthong** is a vowel sound made by combining two vowels.

The diphthongs **ou** and **ow** makes the "ow" sound. Like, **ow!** I hurt my finger. They may look different, but they make the same sound. They can be placed at the beginning, end or even the middle of words! Here are some /ou/ /ow/ words:



**loud**



**cow**



**clown**



**cloud**



**mouth**



**howl**



**owl**



**couch**



**hound**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Today is \_\_\_\_\_

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A diphthong is a vowel sound made by combining two vowels.

Say the name of each picture out loud. Select **ou** or **ow** to complete the words below.

**ou**



**ow**

c ?

**ou**



**ow**

cl ? d

**ou**



**ow**

l ? d

**ou**



**ow**

? l

**ou**



**ow**

m ? th

**ou**



**ow**

c ? ch

**ou**



**ow**

h ? l

**ou**



**ow**

cl ? n