

PHONETICS

Letter "O"

1. Repeat After Me

Long "O" /oʊ/	Short "O" /ɒ/ or /ɑ:/	Schwa /ə/	/ʌ/ Sound (like "uh")
• Go • Home • Hope • No • So	• Doctor • Job • Got • Cost • Not • Hot	• Support • Abroad • Local • Economic • Phenomenon • Pocket	• Country • Money • Some • Come • Lure (<i>this one is actually /ʊr/, useful to contrast</i>)

2. Read These Sentences Aloud

- a) **So many** Indians choose to **go abroad** for a better **job**.
- b) A **doctor** in Canada earns much **more** than one in Zambia.
- c) **Some** people **come** home, but many **do not**.
- d) **Remittances** support **local** families and **boost** the economy.
- e) The **cost** of moving can **overwhelm** the potential **hope**.

3. Say these words properly

Word

- a) Hope
- b) Country
- c) Doctor
- d) Phenomenon
- e) Home
- f) Cost
- g) Support
- h) Some