

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

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

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