



/o/ as in **o**ctopus

Open your mouth wide like a doctor: o, o, o!



1 Read each word. Say the /o/ sound clearly.

on

off

ox

pot

hop

2 Circle the words with o. 

red

cat

pig

top

box

sun

pot

ox

off

on

dog

tip

3 Trace the o and the O. Say /o/ as you write.

o

o

o

o

o

o

O

O

O

O

O

O



FOR THE GROWN-UP

The short /o/ sound, like in octopus. Note: o also makes the long /oa/ sound in words like home and go — that comes later, often with the magic e rule.