



**AMERICAN
ACCENT
COACHING**

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OH



SECTION 4 CLASS 5

**MASTER THIS SOUND BY PRACTICING SAYING
"OH NO" WHENEVER APPROPRIATE**

ou

How it's spelled:

o: no, so, open, moment, hold, yoga, social, total, appropriate, won't, focus, poem, program

oa: boat, soap, loan, moan, coach, throat, roast, coast, foam

o-e: bone, stone, chosen, coke, poke, joke, toe, hole, remote, alone

ow: row, low, shadow, blow, own, show, narrow, window, yellow

Less common spellings:

ough: though, although, thorough, dough

ew: sew

eau: beau, bureau

Common American names with ou:

Rose, Logan, Noah, Noel, Joe

Sentences:

My coach told me yoga would open my shoulders.

My coučh tołd me yoŷga would oŷpen my shołlders.

A moment ago, Toby spilled coke on the remote he was holding.

A moʊment agoʊ, Toʊby spilled coʊk on the remoʊt he was hoʊlding.

Those jokes totally drove the audience home.

Thoʊz joʊks toʊtally droʊv the audience hoʊm.

He won't focus on his poetry unless left alone.

He woʊn't foʊcus on his poʊetry unless left aloʊn.

HOMEWORK

Using your own text or monologue, find the ou vowel and mark it out.