



Tuesday Phonics

- Today we're thinking about the long /oo/ phoneme. 
- This phoneme (sound) can be spelled in different ways (e.g. moon, blue, grew).
- Sometimes this can also be pronounced as 'yoo' depending on the word (e.g. new, argue). 

- Task 1

Read the words on this PowerPoint. They all have the **ue** grapheme (spelling representation).

- Task 2

See **Tuesday Task 2** sheet. Can you fill in the table (you can copy it into your home learning books) with words which include that grapheme? Look at the end of this PowerPoint for the rules about where each grapheme would usually be seen in a word.

- Task 3

Go on a walk around your house. Can you see any objects that have the /oo/ phoneme in their name? Add them to the table that you made in task 2.



Quick Read

ue



due



blue

true

The background is a solid purple color with numerous five-pointed stars of varying sizes and shades of purple and blue scattered across it. A large, white, rounded rectangular box is centered on the page, containing the word "clue".

clue

due

untrue

glue

The background is a solid purple color with numerous small, five-pointed stars scattered across it. The stars are in various shades of purple, blue, and teal. Some stars are larger and more prominent, while others are smaller and fainter. The stars are distributed throughout the entire frame, creating a festive or decorative pattern.

argue

value

The background is a solid purple color with numerous small, five-pointed stars scattered across it. The stars are in various shades of purple, blue, and teal. Some stars are larger and more prominent, while others are smaller and fainter. The stars are distributed across the entire background, including the area around the central text box.

rescue

continue

avenue

u_e

oo

u

ue

ew

Here are some other ways of spelling the long /oo/ phoneme.
These sounds can be pronounced /oo/ or /yoo/

When do we normally use these graphemes?

Beginning of word	Middle of word	End of word
u	u_e oo	ue ew