

Name _____

Vowel Diphthong Cloze Answer Key

1. coin
2. round
3. flower
4. cow
5. growl
6. join
7. round

Teacher's Guide

- Review the diphthong patterns **oi**, **oy**, **ou**, and **ow** before students begin. Emphasize how context helps determine which word fits the blank.
- Read the passage aloud for students who benefit from auditory support, then allow them to complete the cloze independently.
- Encourage students to reread the full passage after filling in the blanks to check for meaning and fluency.
- To extend learning, have students write a short additional sentence about the scene using one more diphthong word or illustrate part of the story to reinforce comprehension.