



ACTIVITY GUIDE

Episode 408: More Fun With Frogs, a Pond, and the Long o Sound.

Book: Over and Under the Pond by Kate Messner

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Read It

Read the following page from the story, *Over and Under the Pond*, by Kate Mesner.

Circle the words with the long o sound.

“Under the pond is a whole hidden world of minnows and crayfish, turtles and bullfrogs. We’re paddling over them now.”

Phonics Skill

O is a vowel. It has a **short vowel** sound like in the word **hop** and a **long vowel** sound like in the word **toad**. The long vowel sound is when **o** says its name.

The following spelling patterns produce the long o sound.

oa oe ow o

boat toe snow cold

Write It

Use the words and phrases in the word box to write a sentence about a frog. Draw a picture to go with your sentence.

- frogs
- strong legs
- jump, hop, leap
- webbed feet