

VV

Vowel-Vowel Pattern

oo / oo / oo+r

The double **oo** combination has three different sounds: the **oo** like in *foot*, the **oo** like in *boot*, and the **oo+r** like in *floor* (the letter *r* changes the sound of the vowels). You can remember the three **oo** sounds with the phrase “I put my *foot* inside a *boot* and stomp on the *floor*.”

This lesson has two-syllable words. At least one syllable in each word is in the **vv** pattern. You will also use the **vc** and **vcø** patterns.

When the **oo+r** combination is used, the **vv** pattern is written **vv+r**. The letter *r* impacts the sound of the double **oo**.

EXAMPLES

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| > tooth | > goods | > poor |
| > moon | > cook | > indoor |
| > broom | > stood | > fioor |

Words

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| 1. bootstrap
vv vc | 6. sketchbook
vc vv |
| 2. monsoon
vc vv | 7. statehood
vcø vv |
| 3. proofread
vv vv | 8. withstood
vv vv |
| 4. roommate
vv vcø | 9. boorish
vv+r vc |
| 5. crooked
vv vc | 10. floorboard
vv+r vv+r |

