

## Year 6 – Distance Teaching and Learning – Spelling



Week beginning: **06/07/2020**

The tasks can be completed in any order. You need to learn how to spell the words in the list by the end of the week.

Spelling Rule:

**-ough** is one of the trickiest spellings in English – it can be used to spell a number of different sounds.

The different pronunciation of **-ough** in English can seem confusing at first, but you will remember words more easily if you learn them in groups. There are eight different ways to pronounce **-ough**, including hiccough.

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Smoking is bad for your health, you _____ to stop.</li> <li>9. People in Ethiopia need water because there has been a _____.</li> <li>10. It has been a _____ couple of weeks, the man answered.</li> </ol> <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto; border-collapse: collapse; text-align: center;"> <tbody> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">ought</td> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">plough</td> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">dough</td> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">cough</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">enough</td> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">bought</td> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">fought</td> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">tough</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="padding: 2px 10px;">borough</td> <td colspan="2" style="padding: 2px 10px;">drought</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	ought	plough	dough	cough	enough	bought	fought	tough	borough		drought	
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