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Grade 2: Weekly Phonics Focus Lesson 9

In our classroom this week, we are learning to read and spell words with the vowel teams ***au*** and ***aw***. Here are the letters and patterns to practice this week:

Consonants	b, c, d, f, g, h, j, k, l, m, n, p, q, r, s, t, v, w, x, z y at the beginning of a word
Vowels	a, e, i, o, u y at the end of a word
Vowel Teams	A vowel team has 2 or more letters side by side that are pronounced as 1 vowel sound.

Here are some examples of words with the vowel teams *au* and *aw*:

au		aw	
cause	launch	bawl	law
fault	Paul	crawl	lawn
haul	pause	dawn	paw
jaunt	Shaun	drawn	raw

Your Turn: This week, be on the lookout for words that have the vowel teams *au* and *aw*. In the table below, keep a list of pattern words that you read or write with your child.

au		aw	

Use the activities and questions from the original *Family Support Letter* to further assist your child's success in learning the weekly phonics focus.