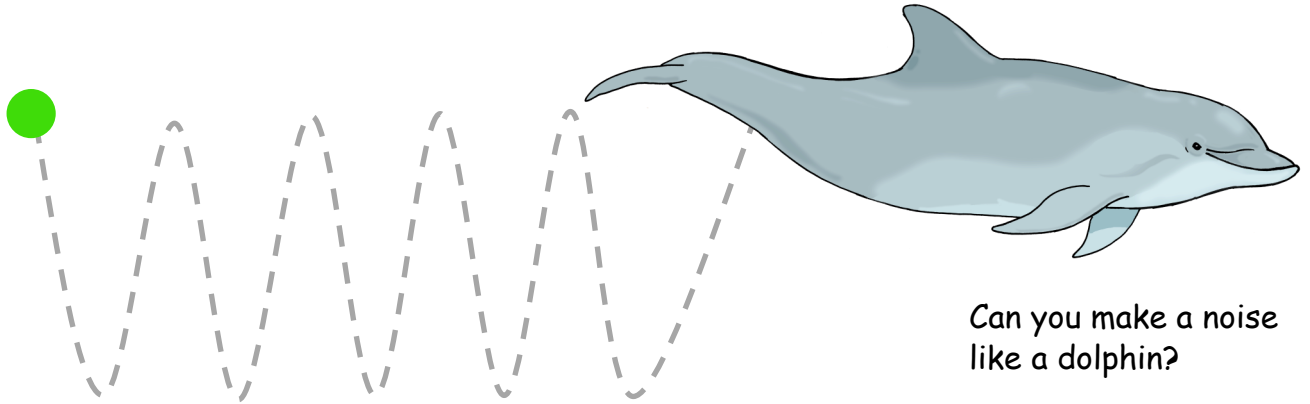


Handwriting **ow** sound.

Show me handwriting

Follow this dolphin...



Trace the word, then transfer on to the line.



own

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row

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blow

glow

slow

Writing task

Whales and Dolphins

Both whales and dolphins live in water.



Write sentences with verbs to describe the movement or actions made by the animals (some options are shown below)



Use the book *The Big Show* to help with ideas and spellings.

Draw your favourite whale or dolphin

IDEAS				
jumping	dives	swims	swallows	leap

Writing and comprehension: Whales & Dolphins

Whales and dolphins are not fish, but belong to a group of animals called mammals. Mammals give birth to young and feed them milk. They breathe air and have a blowhole placed on the top of their heads. When a whale breathes out at the surface, we can sometimes see a spray of misty breath.

Whales were hunted long ago as they provided people with a range of useful products such as meat and oil with which to light lamps. This reduced their numbers and some types of whale nearly became extinct. There has been lots of effort to protect whales and they are slowly recovering in number.



Dolphins and some whales have teeth to help catch prey. Many of the biggest whales lack teeth, but trap large numbers of small prey (small fish or krill) by swallowing large amounts of water and filtering out their food through a brush-like structure called **baleen**.



TARGET: Highlight any key words that may help answer each question.

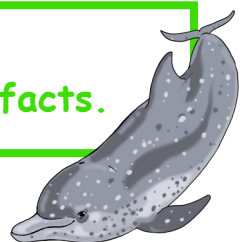
Explain why dolphins and whales are not fish?

Why have some types of whale nearly become extinct?

What is a blowhole?

EXTENSION

Go to www.livingworldeducation.com and find whale and dolphin facts.



row	snow
show	glow
own	flow
slow	grow
yellow	blow



**TREEFROG
PHONICS**

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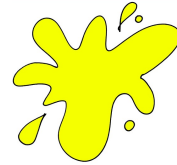
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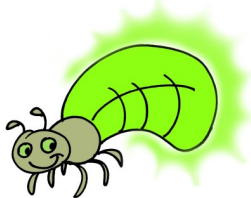
Learning the "ow" sound (like snow)

I can see a spot of _____ .



We made a _____ man.

The wind will _____ .



Look at me. I can _____ .

We can _____ in a _____ .



grow slow row yellow glow snow

Have a go! Use any "ow" word from your spellings
