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Emily has gone to stay at her grandmother's house. Emily's grandmother does a lot of sewing. Emily asks if she can do some sewing, too. Her grandmother gets out a piece of cloth from her sewing basket. Emily has found a reel of black cotton and her grandmother helps her to thread the needle. She sits down on the couch and does a few stitches. Then, as she pushes the needle through, she pricks her thumb. She frowns and shouts "ou! ou! That hurt!" "You must be careful, Emily," says her grandmother. By the end of her visit, Emily has done a lot of sewing. She is much better at it now, and she has made a little mat as a present for her parents. She has embroidered a brown owl on it.

Can you find anything beginning with ou in the picture?

Our new letter sound for this week is the ou sound. Go through the name, sound and action for this letter. Children can also can think of words where they hear the ou sound in them. See can your child sound out these words Cloud, proud, mouth, shout.

## Action:

Pretend your finger is a needle and prick your thumb saying ou, ou, ou. Please complete p. 36 of the grey jolly phonics pupil book 1, otherwise write the above ou words on a piece of paper with pictures to match.

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