LI: To use spelling rules and patterns to help me spell tricky or unfamiliar words.
Countdown!

• How many words can you make from these letters?

Visit this website if you want to play more Countdown!
http://happysoft.org.uk/countdown/wordgame.php
Spelling rule of the week: ou (as in out)

Can you think of any other ou words?
**Week Beginning 27th April 2020**
Choose 5-10 spelling words from the lists below.
*Ice Cream = expected level;  
Sprinkles = trickier words*

**Ice Cream - ou**
1. cloud
2. count
3. proud
4. pound
5. house
6. hour
7. flour
8. mouth
9. shout
10. mouse

**Sprinkles – ou**
1. mountain
2. playground
3. outside
4. ounce
5. scrounge
6. drought
7. fountain
8. thousand
9. announcement
10. outrageous
If you have learned the Sprinkle words off by heart and are very confident in knowing what the words mean, here are a few extra challenges for you.

**Extra Sprinkles**

1. Can you find other words which fit the rule – ou as in out?

2. There are lots of words which have the 'ou' pattern but do not fit the rule. Eg, journal, soup, source, though.
   A) Why do they not fit the rule?
   B) Can you find more of these words which have 'ou' but do not fit the rule?

3. 'Counter' is a prefix. This is part of a word which goes in front of a word to give it a different meaning.
   A) Find out what the prefix 'counter' means:
   B) Find words beginning with this prefix, Eg counterargument.
Practise your words for 10-20 minutes each day.

Start with Look, Cover, Write, Check.

Then, choose an activity to help you practise.

Make sure you know what each word in your list means. Really try to challenge yourself to learn to spell the words off by heart.
Spelling Activity 1
Write your spelling words using the secret code. Ask someone in your house to solve it!

Extra challenge: You could make up your own secret code by drawing a picture/symbol for every letter of the alphabet.
Spelling Activity 2

Superman Letter

Your job is to write a creative letter to Superman (or another super hero).

In your letter, you must use each of your spelling words. Be sure to underline your words as you use them.

Success Criteria:

⭐️ I can write in full sentences.

⭐️ I use a capital letter and full stop.

⭐️ I spell correctly.

⭐️ I can show my understanding of what the spelling word means.