## /u/ <br> Common spellings

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| More frequent <br> spellings | $\mathbf{u}$ | put, sugar, full, butcher, <br> bush | It does not occur <br> in word initial <br> positions |
| Less frequent <br> spellings | $\mathbf{o}$ | woman, wolf | The unstressed <br> form of to |
|  | $\mathbf{o o}$ | good, book, foot |  |
|  | ou | would, could, should |  |

