

All Vowel Teams — Write & Read

Every vowel team from the vowel-teams-list guide in one download — ai/ay, ee/ea/ie/ei/ey, oa/ow, and oo/ue/ui/ew.

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How to use this worksheet

- 1 Some words are split into two red chunks (like r - ain) — say each chunk out loud, then blend them together into one word.
- 2 Notice the vowel team inside the second chunk — the two vowel letters that team up to make one sound.
- 3 Write the complete blended word on the blank line, copying the vowel team carefully.
- 4 Check your spelling against the printed word once you're done.

Example — this is what a correct answer looks like:

r - ain -> rain

Tip

Practice one team per session — mixing ai and ay (or oa and ow) too early causes more spelling mix-ups than it fixes. See the vowel-teams-list blog post for the position rules.



AI words — middle of the word

ai sits in the middle of a word (rain, tail).

r-ain _____

r-ail _____

m-ail _____

m-ain _____

p-ain _____

p-ail _____

s-ail _____

t-ail _____

w-ait _____

b-ait _____

m-aid _____

p-aid _____

r-aid _____

aim _____

cl-aim _____

br-ain _____

ch-ain _____

dr-ain _____

gr-ain _____

pl-ain _____

sn-ail _____

st-ain _____

tr-ail _____

tr-ain _____

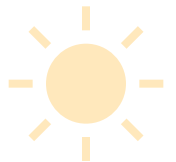
w-ail _____

w-aist _____

f-aint _____

s-aint _____

p-aint _____



AY words — end of the word

ay stands at the end of a word (play, day).

b-ay _____

cl-ay _____

d-ay _____

gr-ay _____

h-ay _____

l-ay _____

m-ay _____

p-ay _____

pl-ay _____

pr-ay _____

r-ay _____

s-ay _____

sl-ay _____

spr-ay _____

st-ay _____

str-ay _____

sw-ay _____

tr-ay _____

w-ay _____

away _____

d-ecay _____

d-el-ay _____

display _____

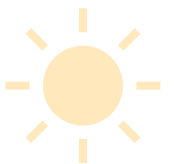
hooray _____

r-el-ay _____

r-epay _____

runway _____

subway _____



EE words (page 1 of 2)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

b-ee _____

b-eef _____

b-een _____

b-eer _____

b-eet _____

bl-eed _____

br-eed _____

cr-eeK _____

d-eed _____

d-eep _____

f-eet _____

f-eed _____

f-eel _____

fl-ee _____

fr-ee _____

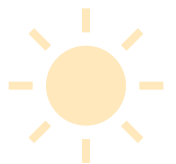
gr-een _____

gr-eet _____

h-eel _____

k-een _____

k-eeP _____



EE words (page 2 of 2)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

kn-ee _____

n-eed _____

p-ee1 _____

r-ee1 _____

s-eed _____

s-EEK _____

s-ee _____

sh-ee1 _____

sh-ee1 _____

sl-ee1 _____

sl-ee1 _____

sp-ee1 _____

st-ee1 _____

st-ee1 _____

street _____

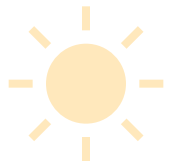
sw-ee1 _____

t-ee1 _____

tr-ee _____

w-ee1 _____

w-ee1 _____



EA words (long E sound)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

b-each _____

b-ean _____

b-eat _____

ch-eap _____

cl-ean _____

cr-eam _____

d-eal _____

dr-eam _____

each _____

eat _____

f-east _____

h-eat _____

h-eap _____

l-eaf _____

l-ean _____

l-eap _____

m-eal _____

m-eat _____

n-ear _____

p-each _____

r-eal _____

s-eal _____

s-ea _____

sn-eak _____

st-eam _____

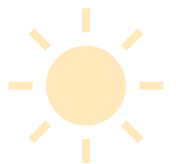
stream _____

t-each _____

t-eam _____

tr-eat _____

y-ear _____



EA exception words (short E sound — teach as a named group)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

br-ead _____

d-ead _____

dr-ead _____

h-ead _____

health _____

spread _____

thread _____

tr-ead _____

wealth _____

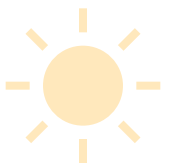
weather _____

h-eavy _____

measure _____

pleasure _____

treasure _____



IE words (long E sound)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

achieve _____

belief _____

br-ief _____

ch-ief _____

f-ield _____

fierce _____

gr-ief _____

n-iece _____

p-iece _____

pierce _____

relief _____

retrieve _____

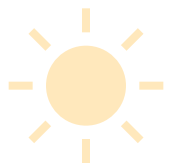
shield _____

shriek _____

s-iege _____

th-ief _____

y-ield _____



El words (after C, long E sound)

i before e, except after c.

ceiling _____

conceit _____

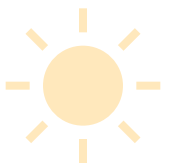
conceive _____

deceive _____

perceive _____

receipt _____

receive _____



EY words (usually unstressed, long E sound)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

abbey _____

alley _____

chimney _____

donkey _____

h-oney _____

jockey _____

k-ey _____

monkey _____

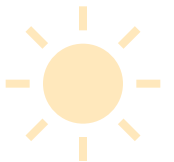
m-oney _____

parsley _____

turkey _____

valley _____

volley _____



OA words — middle of the word

oa sits in the middle of a word (boat, coat).

b-oat _____

cl-oak _____

c-oach _____

c-oal _____

c-oast _____

c-oat _____

cr-oak _____

fl-oat _____

f-oam _____

gl-oat _____

g-oat _____

gr-oan _____

l-oad _____

l-oan _____

m-oan _____

m-oat _____

oak _____

oat _____

r-oad _____

r-oam _____

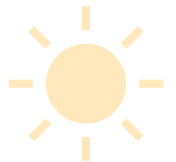
s-oak _____

s-oap _____

t-oad _____

throat _____

t-oast _____



OW words — end of the word (long O sound)

ow also spells a different sound in words like cow — see the diphthongs worksheet.

b-elow _____

bl-ow _____

b-ow _____

cr-ow _____

elbow _____

fl-ow _____

gl-ow _____

gr-ow _____

kn-ow _____

l-ow _____

m-ow _____

own _____

rainbow _____

r-ow _____

sh-ow _____

sl-ow _____

sn-ow _____

st-ow _____

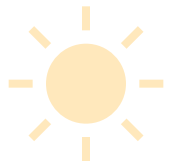
thr-ow _____

t-ow _____

w-idow _____

window _____

yellow _____



OO words (long OO sound)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

bl-oom _____

b-oom _____

br-oom _____

c-ool _____

dr-ool _____

f-ood _____

f-ool _____

gr-oom _____

h-oop _____

l-oom _____

m-oon _____

m-ood _____

n-oon _____

p-ool _____

pr-oof _____

r-oof _____

r-oom _____

sc-oop _____

sh-oot _____

smooth _____

s-oon _____

sp-ool _____

sp-oon _____

st-ool _____

st-oop _____

sw-oop _____

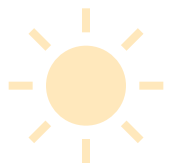
t-ooth _____

t-ool _____

tr-oop _____

z-oo _____

z-oom _____



OO words (short oo sound, as in book)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

b-ook _____

br-ook _____

c-ook _____

cr-ook _____

f-oot _____

g-ood _____

h-ood _____

h-ook _____

l-ook _____

n-ook _____

r-ook _____

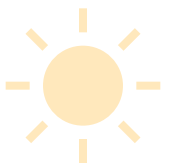
sh-ook _____

st-ood _____

t-ook _____

w-ood _____

w-ool _____



UE words (long OO sound)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

bl-ue _____

cl-ue _____

c-ue _____

d-ue _____

fl-ue _____

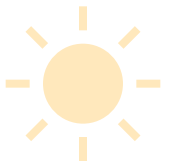
gl-ue _____

h-ue _____

r-ue _____

s-ue _____

tr-ue _____



UI words (long OO sound)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

bruise _____

cruise _____

fr-uit _____

j-uice _____

nuisance _____

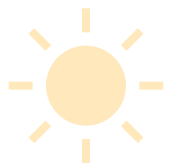
pursuit _____

recruit _____

r-uin _____

s-uit _____

suitcase _____



EW words (long OO sound)

Read each word out loud, then write it on the line.

bl-ew _____

br-ew _____

ch-ew _____

cr-ew _____

d-ew _____

dr-ew _____

fl-ew _____

gr-ew _____

kn-ew _____

m-ew _____

n-ew _____

sl-ew _____

st-ew _____

thr-ew _____

