

The Two Vowel Rule



Vowel letters are *sometimes* pronounced like their vowel names. This is called a **long vowel** sound. When two vowels are together, *many times* they follow this rule:

**When 2 vowels go walking,
the first does the talking (it says its name),
and the second does the walking (it is silent).**

Listen to the words below that have two vowels together. What words follow the rule? What words don't follow the rule? Click on the correct box.

	Follows the rule	Doesn't follow the rule		Follows the rule	Doesn't follow the rule
1. blue	☐	☐	11. lie	☐	☐
2. boil	☐	☐	12. main	☐	☐
3. book	☐	☐	13. mouth	☐	☐
4. brain	☐	☐	14. out	☐	☐
5. coat	☐	☐	15. school	☐	☐
6. cough	☐	☐	16. sleep	☐	☐
7. day	☐	☐	17. teach	☐	☐
8. float	☐	☐	18. touch	☐	☐
9. head	☐	☐	19. toy	☐	☐
10. heal	☐	☐	20. your	☐	☐