

# PRONUNCIATION

## The magic E

Vowel sounds in words ending in **E**

How do you pronounce the name of these letters?

A E I O U

The final E is silent but the sound of the vowels before it changes.  
It makes the vowel before it say its name, like in the alphabet.

rat → rat<sup>e</sup>

pet → Pet<sup>e</sup>

sit → sit<sup>e</sup>

not → not<sup>e</sup>

cut → cut<sup>e</sup>

Click, listen  
and repeat

Listen and repeat.

/æ/

fat

hat

mad

tap

can

cap

gap

/eɪ/

fate

hate

made

tape

cane

cape

gape

/ɪ/

bit

fin

kit

pin

win

/aɪ/

bite

fine

kite

pine

wine

/b/

cod

hop

cop

mop

rob

/oʊ/

code

hope

cope

mope

robe

Mark the word you hear.



shin

shine



cub

cube



spin

spine



bath

bathe



Tim

time