

## TIP

The letters **ay** and **ai** make the long a sound you hear in crayons and praised.

The letters **oy** and **oi** make the oi sound you hear in oysters and rejoicing.

## LIST WORDS

1. *essays*
2. *boiled*
3. *oysters*
4. *maintenance*
5. *employment*
6. *embroidery*
7. *crayons*
8. *exploit*
9. *turmoil*
10. *ointment*
11. *strainer*
12. *praised*
13. *disappointment*
14. *container*
15. *remainder*
16. *faithful*
17. *avoided*
18. *rejoicing*
19. *mayonnaise*
20. *acquaintance*

# Spelling Practice

## Words with ai, ay, oi, and oy

Write each **list word** under the spelling of its long a or oi sound. One word is used twice.

**ai** spells the long a sound, as in train

**oi** spells the oi sound, as in oil

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| 1. _____ | 12. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 13. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 14. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 15. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 16. _____ |
| 6. _____ | 17. _____ |
| 7. _____ | 18. _____ |
| 8. _____ | 19. _____ |

**ay** spells the long a sound, as in play

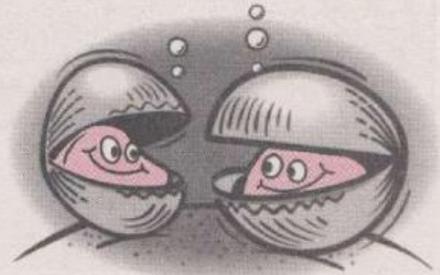
**oy** spells the oi sound, as in toy

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| 9. _____  | 20. _____ |
| 10. _____ | 21. _____ |
| 11. _____ |           |

## Classification

Write the **list word** that belongs in each group.

1. sewing, knitting, \_\_\_\_\_
2. repairs, improvements, \_\_\_\_\_
3. friend, neighbor, \_\_\_\_\_
4. enjoying, celebrating, \_\_\_\_\_
5. baked, fried, \_\_\_\_\_
6. cream, lotion, \_\_\_\_\_
7. stories, poems, \_\_\_\_\_
8. paints, pencils, \_\_\_\_\_
9. clams, mussels, \_\_\_\_\_
10. unwavering, devoted, \_\_\_\_\_
11. complimented, applauded, \_\_\_\_\_
12. uproar, disturbance, \_\_\_\_\_



## Scrambled Words

Unscramble the words below to make these **list words**: avoided, container, disappointment, employment, exploit, mayonnaise, remainder, strainer.

1. art rinse \_\_\_\_\_
2. video ad \_\_\_\_\_
3. ear remind \_\_\_\_\_
4. it ran once \_\_\_\_\_
5. elm met pony \_\_\_\_\_
6. aim any nose \_\_\_\_\_
7. exit lop \_\_\_\_\_
8. met pond pianist \_\_\_\_\_



# Spelling and Writing



## Proofreading

This menu for Edna's Diner has ten mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to correct them. Then, write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

## Proofreading Marks

-  spelling mistake
-  capital letter
-  add apostrophe

### All Lunch Specials Only \$2.99

Our low, low prices are good for the remayndor of the week.

egg Salad—Its made with crunchy celery and maiyonayse.

Boiled Beef—Our most fathfull customers always enjoy this. order some and find out why.

Oyster Stew—Each bowl is made with a half-pint contaynor of milk. It's so thick with oysters, it wont go through a straynor!

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_