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Lesson 11 Words with the Long **a** Sound

Say each word. Listen for the long **a** sound. Write the word.

Spelling Tip	The long **a** sound can be spelled **a-consonant-e**, **ay**, and **ai**. The sign for the long **a** sound is /ā/.

Spelling Words

lake _____

stay _____

wait _____

take _____

play _____

came _____

rain _____

safe _____

late _____

sail _____

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Words in Context

Write the missing spelling words.

A Rainy Day

I did not want to _____ in today. I was ready to _____ outside. But it was too _____! The sky was gray and _____ was falling. I went inside to make sure I was _____ from the storm. I didn't have to _____ very long before the sun _____ out. I decided to _____ my toy boat outside. I placed it in a puddle so it could _____ like a ship in a _____.



Challenge

Circle the other words in the story with the /ā/ sound.

Word Building

Add **ing** to tell what the boys are doing. Then, write the words.

1. The boys play. The boys are play_____. _____
2. The boys sail. The boys are sail_____. _____
3. The boys stay. The boys are stay_____. _____
4. The boys wait. The boys are wait_____. _____

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Fun with Words

Write the missing letters to make the /ā/ sound in the spelling words.

1. s _____ f _____
2. c _____ m _____
3. w _____ _____ t
4. st _____ _____
5. l _____ t _____
6. r _____ _____ n
7. t _____ k _____
8. pl _____ _____
9. s _____ _____ l
10. l _____ k _____

Words Across the Curriculum



Say each science word. Then, write each word.

1. hay _____
2. taste _____
3. trail _____
4. grape _____

Write each science word next to its definition.

1. to sense the flavor of _____
2. a path in the woods _____
3. food for a horse _____
4. a fruit that grows on a vine _____

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Words in Writing

Imagine that you are at bat in a baseball game. Write a description of what happens. Use at least three words from the box.



lake	wait	play	rain	late	hay	trail
stay	take	came	safe	sail	bait	grape

_____

_____

_____

_____

Misspelled Words

Read the student's description of part of a baseball game. Circle the six misspelled words. Then, write the words correctly.

I caim up to the plate. The pitcher did not tayke long to throw a fast ball. I swung my bat too laite. Strike one! On the next plae, I cracked the ball hard. I didn't wate to see where the ball landed. I ran to first base. I was saif!

_____ _____ _____

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Lesson 12 Words with the Long i Sound

Say each word. Listen for the long **i** sound. Write the word.

Spelling Tip	The long **i** sound can be spelled **i**, **i-consonant-e**, **y**, and **igh**. The sign for the long **i** sound is /ī/.

Spelling Words

cry _____

pine _____

light _____

nice _____

why _____

find _____

right _____

spy _____

spider _____

night _____

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Lesson 12 Words with the Long i Sound

Words in Context

Write the missing spelling words.

Lost in the Woods

Once, a princess was lost in the woods at _____. It was so dark that she could not see any _____. The princess shook with fright. She went to hide under a _____ tree and began to _____. Suddenly, she heard a tiny voice.

"_____ are you crying?" asked the voice.

"Who's there?" cried the princess. "Are you trying to _____ on me?"

"No, I am just a shy _____ who lives in a web in the woods," said the voice. "I can help you _____ your way home."

The spider dropped down _____ in front of the princess. She looked at it for a minute. "That is very _____ of you," she finally said. " I don't know why so many people are afraid of spiders."



Challenge

Circle the other words in the story with the /ī/ sound.

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Lesson 12 Words with the Long i Sound

Fun with Words

Write the spelling word that fits part of each nursery rhyme.

1. Georgie Porgie, puddin' and pie,

   kissed the girls and made them _____.

2. Star _____, star bright,
   first star I see tonight . . .

3. Sugar and spice, and everything _____,
   that's what little girls are made of.

4. Little Bo Peep has lost her sheep,

   And can't tell where to _____ them.

Words Across the Curriculum



Say each math word. Then, write each word.

1. line _____
2. wide _____
3. minus _____
4. pint _____

Write the missing math words.

1. Nine _____ five equals four.
2. One _____ is half a quart.
3. A straight _____ connects two points.
4. You can measure how _____ a box is.

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Words in Writing

Write a fairy tale. Use at least three words from the box.



cry	light	why	right	spider	line	minus
pine	nice	find	spy	night	wide	pint

_____

_____

_____

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_____

_____

Dictionary Practice

Circle the word in each set that comes first in ABC order. Then, write it on the line.

1. why	went	wolf	_____
2. cry	cup	clip	_____
3. not	new	nice	_____
4. spy	stop	soft	_____

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