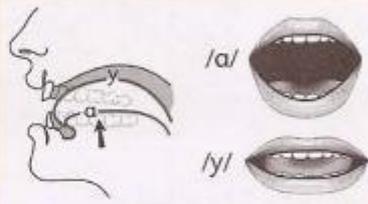# /ay / • fine

Stress in Compound Nouns

/ay/ has two sounds: /ɑ/ and /y/.
Practice the sound /ɑ/. Make this sound long.
Add /y/. Make this sound short.
Listen and repeat: /ay/.

/ɑ/

/y/

A Word Pairs

1 Listen to these word pairs.

	Sound 1: /æ/	**Sound 2: /ay/**	
	hat	height	
	back	bike	
	van	vine	
	cat	kite	
	pants	pints	

2 Listen again and repeat.