

Vowel-team sound cards

Four large cards per page. Adult prepares pieces; choose a few known sounds at a time.

ai

rain
train
paint

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

ay

day
play
tray

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

ee

seed
green
sheep

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

ea

sea
team
leaf

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

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igh

night
light
high

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

oa

boat
goat
coat

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

oo · moon

moon
spoon
boot

oo has more than one pronunciation. Use this card's example words.

oo · book

book
look
cook

oo has more than one pronunciation. Use this card's example words.

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ar

car
park
star

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

or

fork
short
storm

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

ur

turn
burn
hurt

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

OW • COW

cow
down
town

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ow • snow

snow
grow
show

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

oi

coin
soil
join

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

oy

toy
boy
enjoy

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

ear

ear
near
fear

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

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air

air
fair
chair

Hear the model and words on the activity page.

er

letter
summer
mixer

This is the unstressed ending in the example words. Accents differ.

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Separate adult answer bank and support

Answers and models

ai: rain, train, paint; ay: day, play, tray; ee: seed, green, sheep;
ea: sea, team, leaf; igh: night, light, high; oa: boat, goat, coat; oo
· moon: moon, spoon, boot — oo has more than one pronunciation. Use
this card's example words.; oo · book: book, look, cook — oo has more
than one pronunciation. Use this card's example words.; ar: car, park,
star; or: fork, short, storm; ur: turn, burn, hurt; ow · cow: cow,
down, town; ow · snow: snow, grow, show; oi: coin, soil, join; oy: toy,
boy, enjoy; ear: ear, near, fear; air: air, fair, chair; er: letter,
summer, mixer — This is the unstressed ending in the example words.
Accents differ.

Support

Audio is a synthesised pronunciation model, with separate British and American recordings. Accents vary; follow the school's pronunciation and teaching sequence. qu, x and nk can represent two sounds and are labelled accordingly. Letter names are available separately on alphabet pages.