

Long Vowels & Silent E

A companion to Book 4: The Magic of Reading

Read words. Build sentences. Understand stories.

How to use this pack

1. Notice what silent e can do.

In these words, final e is silent and the first vowel says its name: cap / cape.

2. Look for a vowel team.

Two vowels can work together to spell one sound. Try ai in rain, ee in seed, and oa in boat.

3. Read, reread, and think.

Read the sentences and story. Talk about the meaning, then complete each activity.

Adult support

Use after short-vowel words and blends are secure. Teach the patterns before independent practice. Preview: a, the, is, has, to, we, see. Explain that not every final e changes a vowel and that vowel teams can have other sounds. This pack practices selected common patterns.

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Silent E - Magic E

Read the word without e first. Then read the word with e and hear the vowel change.

1. cap —————> capee

2. tap —————> tapee

3. kit —————> kitee

4. pin —————> pinee

5. hop —————> hopee

6. not —————> notee

The final e is silent. Read each pair again and listen for the vowel change.

Find the Vowel Team

Read each word. Circle its vowel team. Write the words in the matching column.

rain

seed

boat

coat

tail

feet

goat

mail

tree

ai

ee

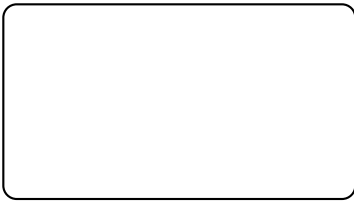
oa

Read your columns aloud. The letters in each team work together.

Read, Draw & Write

Read each sentence. Draw what it says. Then copy the sentence on the two lines.

The kite is in the pine tree.



We see a boat on the lake.



The goat has a long tail.



The Boat

Read the story three times. Color a circle after each reading.

Gail has a small boat. The boat is on the lake.
Gail and Pete ride in the boat. We see rain. We
ride to the dock. We tie the boat to the dock. We
go home to stay dry.

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Read 1

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Read 2

☐

Read 3

Circle the best answer.

1. Where is the boat at first?

on the lake

on the road

in a shed

2. Why do they ride to the dock?

We see rain.

The boat is red.

Pete has a kite.

3. Why do they go home?

to get a goat

to stay dry

to plant a seed

Adult note: Read questions and answer choices aloud if needed.

Answer Key

Support decoding first, then discuss the meaning.

Silent E - Magic E

cap / cape; tap / tape; kit / kite; pin / pine; hop / hope; not / note. Listen for the short vowel changing to a long vowel. The underlined final e is silent.

Find the Vowel Team

ai: rain, tail, mail. ee: seed, feet, tree. oa: boat, coat, goat. Circle ai, ee, or oa in each word.

Read, Draw & Write

Pictures should match each sentence. Accept reasonable drawings. Check copied words, spaces, and end punctuation.

The Boat

1. on the lake
2. We see rain.
3. to stay dry

Thank You!

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