





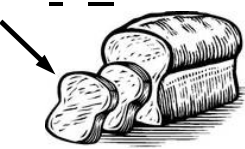









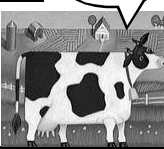
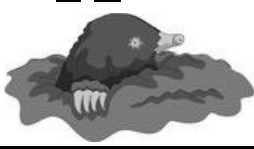

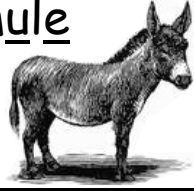

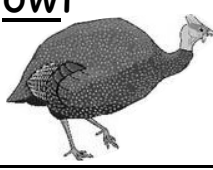








INSTRUCTIONS

- ➔ Three of the words in each of these seven rows contain the same complex vowel *sound(s)*. (Their spellings = [phonetic sound-symbols] are shown in black boxes to the left.) Is that vowel sound *spelled* the same or differently in the three matching words?
- ➔ In each row, circle the word with a different *vowel sound* from the other three. Identify its vowel sound and letter-spelling.

Letter(s) = [Complex Vowel Sound(s)]
(Examples with Vowel Spellings Underlined)

ay ai a-e = [ā]	plays 	place 	plain 	please 
ea ee e-e = [ē]	sweet  (taste)	steam 	slice 	Swede  "Swedish person" =
ie i-e = [ī]	died (past verb) 	drive 	dream 	dime 
oa o-e ow = [ō]	green  (color)	grow 	groan 	globe 
oo u-e = [ū]	moo 	mole 	mood 	mule 
ou ow = [ou]	wow 	fowl 	flow 	flour 
oy oi = [oi]	joust 	joy 	join 	joint 

- ay ai a-e = [ā]
(way wait name)
- ea ee e-e = [ē]
(heat seed eve)
- ie i-e = [ī]
(ties ride)
- oa o-e ow = [ō]
(soap home low)
- oo u-e = [ū]
(zoo flute)
- ou ow = [ou]
(loud now)
- oy oi = [oi]
(boy noise)

➔ In mixed-up order, read and spell the words in each row aloud. Emphasize their complex vowel sounds. Tell their vowel spellings. Can others explain the word meanings? Can they use the words in phrases or sentences?

INSTRUCTION

- ➔ In each box in each column, the two words for the category contain one of the spellings for the complex vowel sound. (In the black column to the right, letter spellings = [phonetic sound-symbols]).
- ➔ Copy the correct vowel letter(s) on the lines. Read the words aloud. In order from top down, use them in sentences about the pictures.

Letter(s) =
[Complex Vowel Sound(s)]

ay ai a-e = [ā]
(way wait name)

ea ee e-e = [ē]
(heat seed eve)

ie i-e = [ī]
(ties ride)

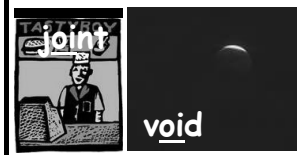
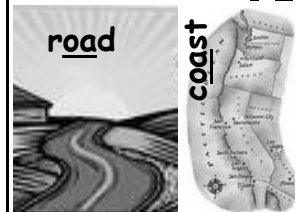
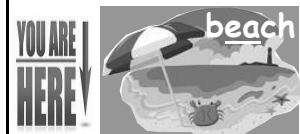
oa o-e ow = [ō]
(soap home low)

oo u-e = [ū]
(zoo flute)

ou ow = [ou]
(loud now)

oy oi = [oi]
(boy noise)

PLACES



PLACES THINGS ACTIONS

b____ r__k__ pl____
tr____l pl____n w____t

h__r__ sh____t sp____k
b____ch s____t sl____p

m__n__ t____ cr____d
s__t__ ____c__ b__t__

r____d r__b__ r____
c____st p__l__ m____

p____l pr__n__ sh____t
z____c__b__ g____f

t____n sp____t gr____l
h____se g____n p____nce

j____nt f____l j____n
v____d t____ p____nt

ay ai
a-e = [ā]

ea ee
e-e = [ē]

ie i-e
= [ī]

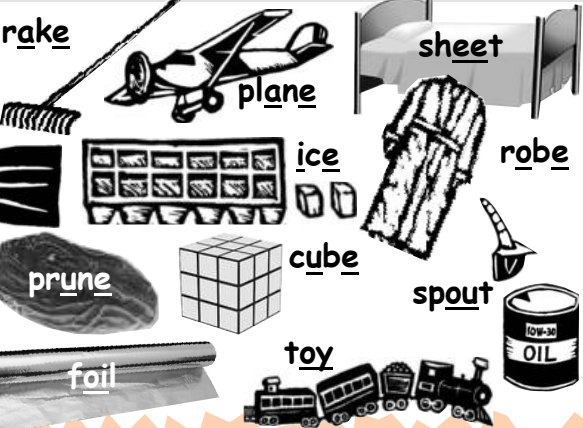
oa o-e
ow = [ō]

oo u-e
= [ū]

ou ow =
[ou]

oy oi =
[oi]

THINGS



ACTIONS



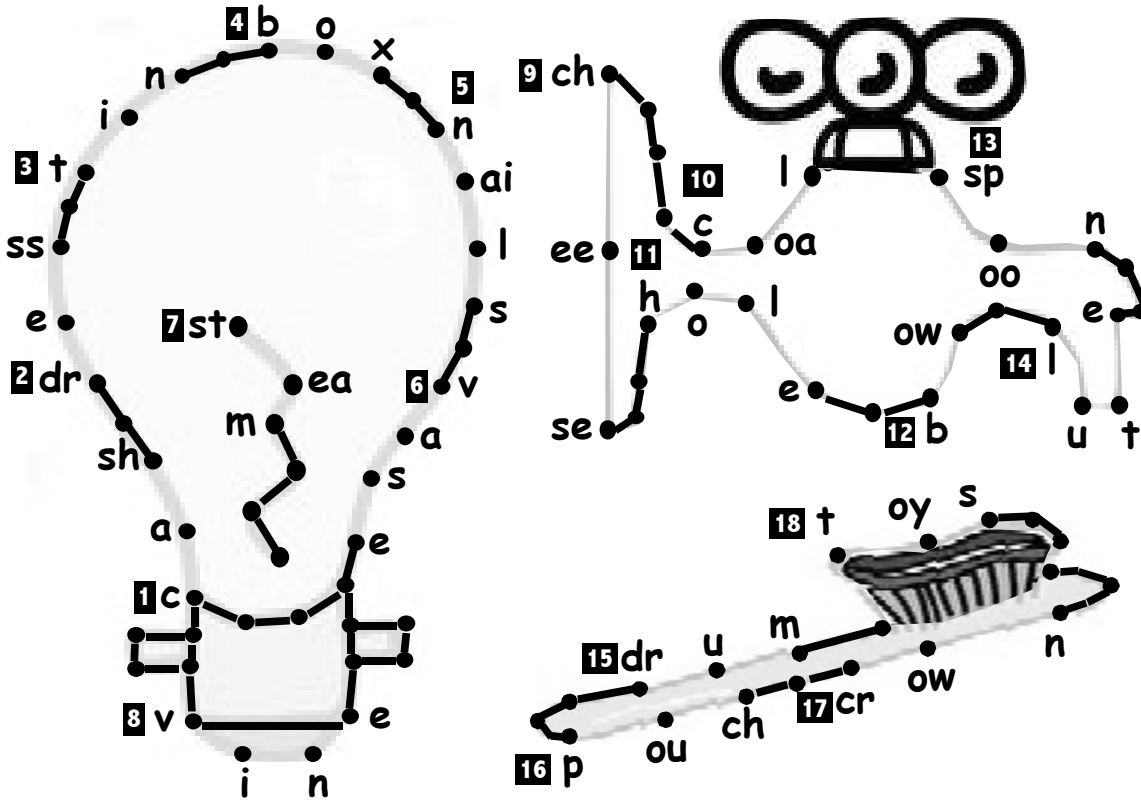
All Vowel Sounds

Beginning

Letter Connect

INSTRUCTIONS

➡ Draw lines to connect the dots. What shapes did you complete?
 ➡ From left to right, up, or down, read aloud the words spelled by the connected letters. Copy their vowel-letter spellings on the lines of the words under their pictures below. Pronounce the words again. Can you explain their meanings and/or use them in sentences?



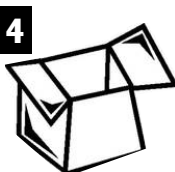
1 c _ _ sh



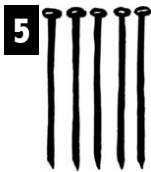
2 dr _ _ ss



3 t _ _ n



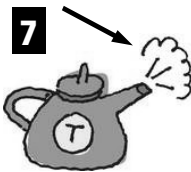
4 b _ _ x



5 n _ _ ls



6 v _ _ s



7 st _ _ m



8 v _ _ n



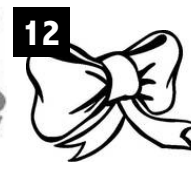
9 ch _ _ s



10 c _ _ l



11 h _ _ l



12 b _ _



13 sp _ _ n



14 l _ _ t



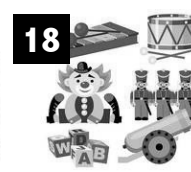
15 dr _ _ m



16 p _ _ ch



17 cr _ _ n



18 t _ _ s

Letter(s) =
[Simple Vowel Sound]

a = [ă] [a:]r
(bad car)

a o aw = [ô]
(call dog raw)

e = [ĕ] (ten)

i = [ĭ] (fix)

e i o u = [û]r
(her girl word hurt)

o = [ô] (mom)

oo u = [oo]
(book push)

u = [ũ] (rug)

Letter(s) =
[Complex Vowel Sound(s)]

ay ai a-e = [ā]
(way wait name)

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(heat seed eve)

ie i-e = [ī]
(ties ride)

oa o-e ow = [ō]
(soap home low)

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➡ In any order, say these 18 words. Can others tell their numbers?



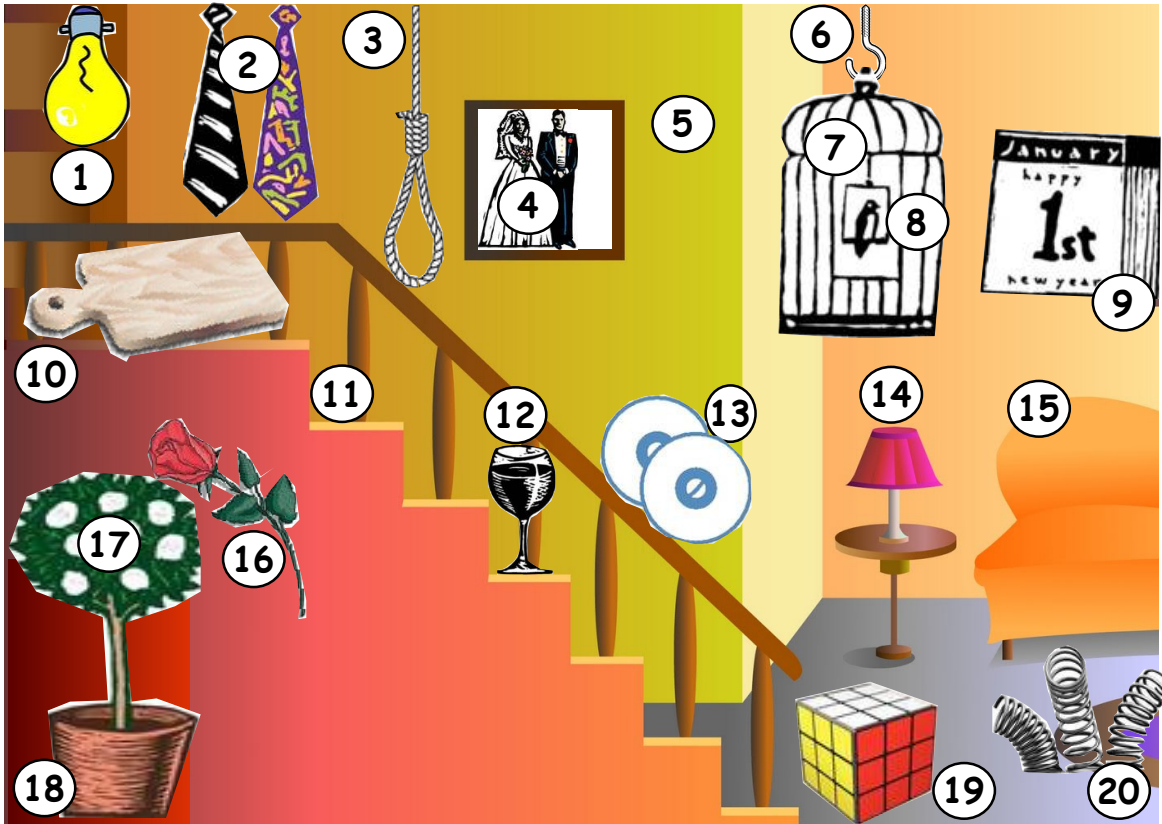
All Vowel Sounds

Beginning

Letter Jumble

INSTRUCTIONS

► The letters and letter combinations for the names of the 20 numbered pictures are below—in mixed-up order. Unscramble them.
 ► Print the letters in the correct order on the short and longer lines. Pronounce the words aloud. Explain them. Use them in sentences.



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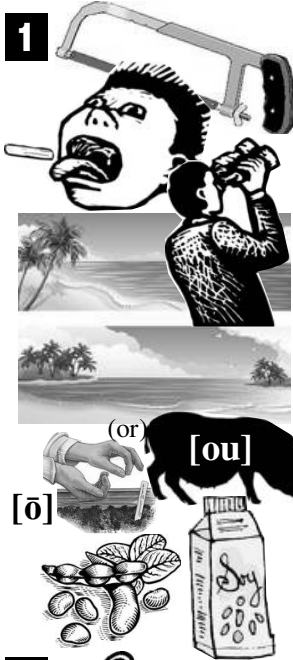
ou ow = [ou]
(loud now)

oy oi = [oi]
(boy noise)

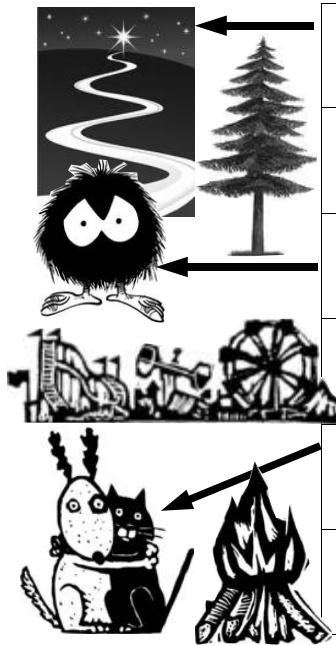
1	lb b u =	<u>b u l b</u>	11	ai r st s =	_____
2	ie t s =	<u>t ie s</u>	12	w n e i =	_____
3	n oo se =	_____	13	i sk d s =	_____
4	br i e d =	_____	14	mp a l =	_____
5	ll a w =	_____	15	ou ch c =	_____
6	oo h k =	_____	16	r e s o =	_____
7	c e g a =	_____	17	ee tr =	_____
8	rd b i =	_____	18	o p t =	_____
9	ea y r =	_____	19	e u c b =	_____
10	oa b rd =	_____	20	oi c l s =	_____

INSTRUCTIONS

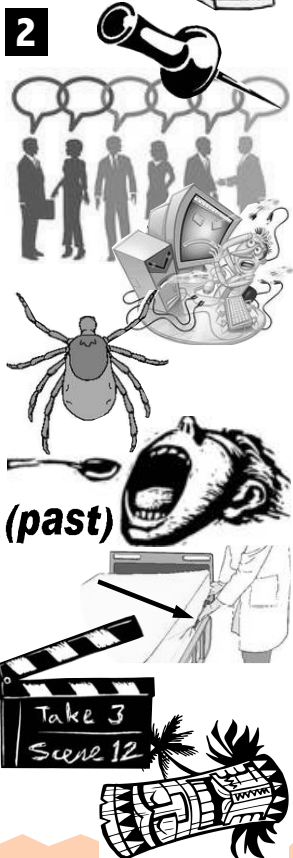
- In the boxes of each *Letter-Block Puzzle 1-4*, print vowel letter(s) in the correct order to make words for the picture clues to the left.
- Each word has a different *vowel spelling*, but the consonants are the same or similar. Pronounce the words, especially their vowel sounds. Spell them aloud. Can you explain or use them in sentences?



s	a	w
s	a	y
s		
s		
s		
s		
s		



f	a	r
f	i	r
f		r
f		r
f		r
f		r
f		r



t	a	c	k
t		l	k
t		c	h
t	i	c	k
t			k
t		c	k
t		k	
t		k	
t	e	a	k



b	a	t	
b	e	t	
b		t	
b		t	
b	e	e	t
b		t	
b			t
b			t

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**Contains a more "advanced" final consonant spelling.



All Vowel Sounds

Beginning

Rebus Crossword

INSTRUCTIONS

► For each of 14 rebus puzzles, print the name of the first picture. Omit and put vowels in the right places to spell the puzzle solution.



EXAMPLES: 8 ACROSS i + ~~eat~~ + = it 1 DOWN hike + aw = hawk



► According to the numbered clues, print the missing letters in the empty boxes of the crossword frame. Can you read and spell (some of) the puzzle words aloud? Can you use them in sentences?


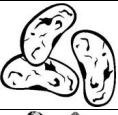
CLUES FOR WORDS THAT GO ACROSS

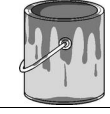

CLUES FOR WORDS THAT GO DOWN



3  -i + a = 


1  -i -e + aw = 



5  -o + u = 

2  -o -e + ea = 



6  -a + o = 


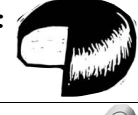
3  -a + u = 



8 i +  -ea = 



4  -ee + oo = 

9 ^{a-a-h}  -ay + ow =  (or) 

6  -ay + ie = 

10  -a + ee = 

7  -e + ow = 

12  -i + oo = 

11  -o = 

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Word List

- | | |
|--------|-------|
| beans | feet |
| bones | foot |
| chase | god |
| cheese | good |
| crab | hawk |
| crash | hike |
| crib | it |
| crush | paint |
| dock | pays |
| duck | pies |
| eat | point |

- | | |
|------|-------|
| say | spoon |
| sow | ten |
| spin | town |

		1 h		2 b	
	3 c	r		b	4 f
	r				
5 d		c	k	6 p	i n 7 t
	s			8 t	9 s
10 c	h		s		11 g
				12 s	p
					n
				d	

Complex Vowel Sounds So What's Different? page 41

ay ai a-e = [ā]	plays	place	plain	please
ea ee e-e = [ē]	sweet	steam	slice	Swede
ie i-e = [ī]	died	drive	dream	dime
oa o-e o-e = [ō]	green	grow	groan	globe
oo u-e = [ū]	moo	mole	mood	mule
ou ow = [ou]	wow	fowl	flow	flour
oy oi = [oi]	joust	joy	join	joint

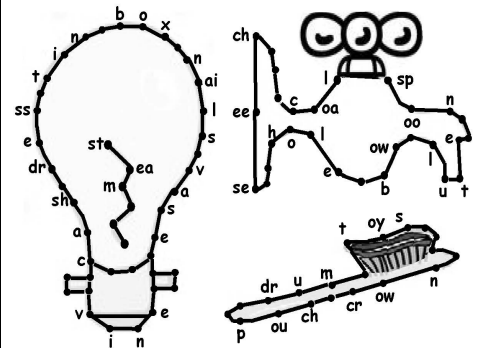
please = [ē] (vs. plays, place, plain = [ā]). slice = [ī] (vs. sweet, steam, Swede = [ē]). dream = [ē] (vs. died, drive, dime = [ī]) green = [ē] (vs. grow, groan, globe = [ō]). mole = [ō] (vs. moo, mood, mule = [ū]). flow = [ō] (vs. wow, fowl, flour = [ou]). joust = [ou] (vs. joy, join, joint = [oi])

Complex Vowel Sounds Meaning Categories, page 42

PLACES	THINGS	ACTIONS	
bay trail	rake plane	play wait	ay ai a-e = [ā]
here beach	sheet seat	speak sleep	ea ee e-e = [ē]
mine site	tie ice	cried bite	ie i-e = [ī]
road coast	robe pole	row mow	oa o-e ow = [ō]
pool zoo	prune cube	shoot goof	oo u-e = [ū]
town house	spout gown	growl pounce	ou ow = [ou]
joint void	foil toy	join point	oy oi = [oi]

Occasionally, a *Beginning-Level Puzzle* item contains a "more advanced" starred** spelling, such as *ch* = [k] as in *tech***, or a "silent consonant" that is not pronounced, as in *talk*** = [tôk].

All Vowel Sounds Letter Connect, page 43

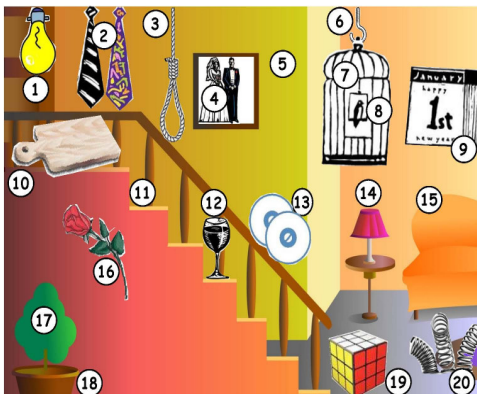


BULB: 1. cash 2. dress
3. tin 4. box 5. nails
6. vase 7. steam 8. vine

TAP: 9. cheese 10. coal
11. hole 12. bow
13. spoon 14. lute

BRUSH: 15. drum 16. pouch
17. crown 18. toys

All Vowel Sounds Letter Jumble, page 44



1 lb b u = <u>b u l b</u>	11 ai r st s = <u>st ai r s</u>
2 ie t s = <u>t ie s</u>	12 w n e i = <u>w i n e</u>
3 n oo se = <u>n oo se</u>	13 i sk d s = <u>d i sk s</u>
4 br i e d = <u>br i d e</u>	14 mp a l = <u>l a mp</u>
5 ll a w = <u>w a ll</u>	15 ou ch c = <u>c ou ch</u>
6 oo h k = <u>h oo k</u>	16 r e s o = <u>r o s e</u>
7 c e g a = <u>c a g e</u>	17 ee tr = <u>tr ee</u>
8 rd b i = <u>b i rd</u>	18 o p t = <u>p o t</u>
9 ea y r = <u>y ea r</u>	19 e u c b = <u>c u b e</u>
10 oa b rd = <u>b oa rd</u>	20 oi c l s = <u>c oi l s</u>

All Vowel Sounds Letter Blocks, page 45

1	s a w	f a r
	s a y	f i r
	s a w	f u r
	s e a	f a i r
10	s o w	f e a r
	s o y	f i r e
2	t a c k	b a t
	t a l k	b e t
	t e c h	b i t
	t i c k	b a i t
	t o o k	b e e t
	t u c k	b i t e
	t a k e	b o a t
	t e a k	b o o t

1 saw say see sea sow
soy 2 tack talk** tech**
tic took tuck take teak
3 far fir fur fair fear
fire 4 bat bet bit bait
beet bite boat boot

All Vowel Sounds Rebus Crossword, page 46

ACROSS:
3 crib - i + a = crab 5 dock - o + u = duck 6 paint - a + o = point
8 eat - ea + i = it 9 say - ay + ow = sow ([sō] = to plant; [sou] = pig)
10 chase - a + ee = cheese
12 spin - i + oo = spoon

DOWN:
1 hike - i - e + aw = hawk 2 bones - o - e + ea = beans 3 crash - a + u = crush 4 feet - ee + oo = foot
6 pays - ay + oo = ples
6 twist - st + n = twinn
7 ten - e + ow = town
8 good - o = god

