Have a great time! /ei/, /ai/ and /oi/

How to make the sound /ei/



A55a • /eɪ/ is a long sound. It moves from /e/ to /ɪ/. Look at the diagram. Listen and say the sound. Target sound: /eɪ/



Note: When you say the sound /eɪ/ by itself, you say the letter A.

Sound and spelling

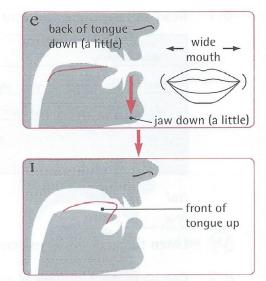


A55b • /eɪ/ is spelled in different ways. Listen and repeat.

a	age	came	plane	table
ai	rain	wait		
ay	day	play	say	
ey	grey			
ea	break	great		
eigh	eight	weight		



- A550 Listen and say these sentences.
 - 1 They came a day later.
 - 2 It was a grey day in May.



wide open mouth

front of

tongue up

- 3 Is this the way to the station?
- 4 Wait at the gate I'll be there at eight.

How to make the sound /ai/



A56a • /aɪ/ is a long sound. It moves from /a/ to /ɪ/. Look at the diagram. Listen and say the sound. Target sound: /ai/



Note: When you say the sound /ai/ by itself, you say the word / or eve. or the letter I.

Sound and spelling



- /aɪ/ is spelled in different ways. Listen and repeat.
 - like time white
 - die ie
 - dry July why
 - high night right igh
 - buy uy



- A56c Listen and say these sentences.
 - 1 Do you like dry wine?
 - 2 Why don't you try?

- 3 July will be fine.
- 4 Drive on the right.

How to make the sound /21/



A57a • /ɔɪ/ is a long sound. It moves from /ɔ/ to /ɪ/. Look at the diagram. Listen and say the sound. Target sound: /ɔɪ/

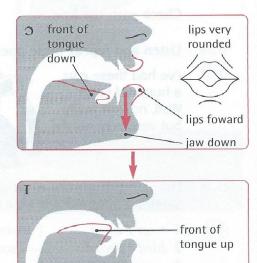
Sound and spelling



- A57b /oɪ/ is usually spelled oi or oy. Listen and repeat.
 - oi coin point voice
 - ov boy enjoy toy



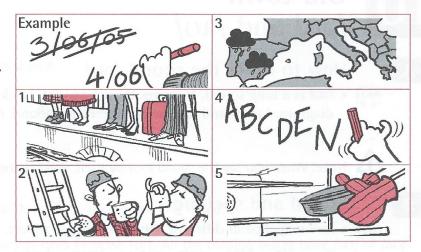
- A57c Listen and say these sentences.
 - 1 I can hear a boy's voice.
 - 2 Those are coins, not toys!



Exercises

9.1 Complete the titles of these pictures. All the missing words have /eɪ/.

EXAMPLE Changing the date 1 W....ing for the tr.... 2 T....ing a br..... 3 R....ing in Sp.... 4 M....ing a m.... 5 B....ing a c....



- Listen to check your answers. Check with the Key. Then listen and repeat.
- 9.2 These verbs are in the past tense. Write the infinitive. They all have /aɪ/.

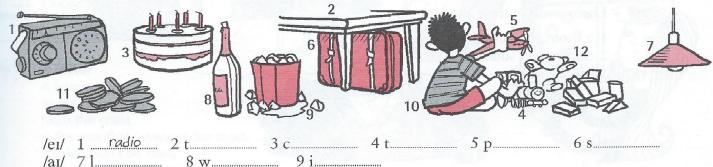
Example drove drive 3 found 5 flew 1 wrote 2 tried 4 bought

- Listen to check your answers. Check with the Key. Then listen and repeat.
- 9.3 Complete these sentences. All the missing words have /eɪ/ or /aɪ/.

1 The plane left in the evening and arrived the next morning. It was a <u>night</u> 2 It's best to drink _____ with fish.

bye day dry eight flight great miles night right time way white wine

- 4 There was no rain yesterday. It was a
- 5 I think I'm lost is this the to the beach?
- 6 We've had a ______, thanks. ____!
- Listen to check your answers. Check with the Key. Then listen and repeat. A60
- 9.4 Look at the pictures and find six things with /eɪ/, three things with /aɪ/ and three things with /ɔɪ/.



8 w..... 9 i..... /aɪ/ 71..... /ɔɪ/ 10 b...... 11 c.... 12 t....

- Listen to check your answers. Check with the Key. Then listen and repeat.
- 9.5 Listen and circle the word you hear. Check with the Key. If any of these are difficult for you, go to Section E3 Sound pairs for further practice.

(⇒ sound pair 16) A62 1 gate / get 2 way / wear (⇒ sound pair 21) 3 my / May (⇒ sound pair 22)