Spelling Pattern Reference

VV

VOWEL-VOWEL PATTERN

ee ēȩ̶   ea ēą̶   ai āı̶   oa ōą̶

The vowel-vowel pattern has a variety of vowel combinations that give different sounds. In most combinations, the two vowels form a new sound. However, in four of the combinations the first vowel says its name and the second vowel is silent.

EXAMPLES

paint	bee	seem	coach	main
claim	beach	need	roast	plantain
faint	bead	feed	boat	esteem
saint	clean	lead	coat	deem