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Long A Spellings: Learn and Practice

Spell long a with ai, ay and a magic e

Read each question. Circle the best answer.

Long A Spellings

- Long a says its own name, like in rain.
- We often spell it a i in the middle, a y at the end, or a with a silent e.
- r + ai + n: rain, d + ay: day, c + a + k + e: cake

1. Pick the correct spelling: Please ___ for me at the door.
   A. wate B. wayt C. wait D. weit

2. Which word rhymes with day?
   A. dim B. say C. den D. dog

3. Pick the correct spelling of the long animal with no legs.
   A. snak B. snaik C. snayk D. snake

4. Which word has the long a sound?
   A. pot B. pan C. play D. pin

5. Which word has the long a sound?
   A. ring B. run C. rain D. ran

6. Which is the correct spelling of the word that means the opposite of night?
   A. day B. dae C. dai D. dey

7. Which word has a silent e that makes the a say its name?
   A. cat B. cake C. cut D. cot

8. Which word has the long a sound?
   A. tell B. tall C. tail D. till

Draw and write! Draw a picture and write one word from today.

ANSWER KEY

Long A Spellings: Learn and Practice (answers)

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1. Pick the correct spelling: Please ___ for me at the door.

   A. wate B. wayt **C. wait** D. weit

   Long a in the middle of a word is often spelled a i, so wait is correct.

2. Which word rhymes with day?

   A. dim **B. say** C. den D. dog

   Say and day both end with a y and the long a sound, so they rhyme.

3. 🐍 Pick the correct spelling of the long animal with no legs.

   A. snak B. snaik C. snayk **D. snake**

   Snake uses a, then a consonant, then a silent e to make the long a sound.

4. Which word has the long a sound?

   A. pot B. pan **C. play** D. pin

   Play ends with a y, which says the long a sound. Nice listening!

5. 🌧️ Which word has the long a sound?

   A. ring B. run **C. rain** D. ran

   Rain has the long a sound. The letters a and i work together to say a.

6. ☀️ Which is the correct spelling of the word that means the opposite of night?

   A. day B. dae C. dai D. dey

   At the end of a word, long a is usually spelled a y, so we write day.

7. 🎂 Which word has a silent e that makes the a say its name?

   A. cat **B. cake** C. cut D. cot

   In cake, the silent e at the end makes the a say its name.

8. Which word has the long a sound?

   A. tell B. tall **C. tail** D. till

   Tail has a i in the middle, which makes the long a sound.