

# Spelling List Year 3

## Set 1: Long 'a'

snake

flake

brave

chase

pace

tale

crate

plate

blade

became

plane

trace

place

**rain**

chain

sailing

sailor

trail

train

praise

raise

railway

plain

saint

raid

**pray**

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Sunday

away

holiday

**lady**

basin

apron

bacon

April

Make sure that the students are using the picture chart, p.9, which gives key words, (the words in bold), e.g. 'snake' goes with 'plate'.

## Set 2: Long 'e'

### tree

between

thirteen

fourteen

fifteen

sixteen

seventeen

eighteen

nineteen

sleepy

feelers

street

steel

### sea

please

easy

year

spear

leaves

hear

reached

teacher

nearly

clear

speak

dear

ice-cream

### key

money

honey

### pony

only

ugly

tidy

family

any

carry

hurry

many

every

very

### Set 3: Long 'I'

**five**

white

write

quite

beside

outside

inside

life

prize

twice

slice

ice-cream

tired

pile

**pie**

cried

dried

fried

lied

tried

**fly**

spy

shy

dying

frying

spying

### Set 4: Long 'o'

**nose**

awoke

stroke

close

chose

those

stole

whole

stove

toe

hoe

**snow**

know

bowl

elbow

own

shadow

showed

pillow

grown

sown

below

follow

**boat**  
throat  
coast  
coach  
load  
toad  
croak  
toast  
roast  
oats  
soak  
goal

**Set 5: Long 'u'**

**cube**  
flute  
huge  
fuse  
cure  
fumes  
glue  
true  
blue

**These sound like long 'u' but are not made with 'u'**

**spoon**  
shoot  
goose  
school  
stool  
hoof  
broom  
smooth  
troop  
rooster

**chew**  
knew  
crew  
screw  
newspaper  
news  
stew  
chewing  
nephew

**These also sound like long 'u'**

shoe  
fruit  
suit

**Set 6: 'air' in 'chair':**

**chair**

airy

lair

armchair

stairs

upstairs

downstairs

**Set 7: 'ar' in 'car':**

car

party

army

chart

carpet

market

harvest

spark

sharp

charge

large

**These sound like 'ar'**

**glass** ('a' sounds like 'ar')

basket

class

faster

fasten

banana

half

calf

calm

palm

mask

**Set 8: 'ear' in 'ear'**

**ear**

year

hearing

fearful

fearless

nearly

dearly

dearest

clearly

**These sound like 'ear':**

**deer**

queer

sheer

**Set 9: 'er' in 'fern':**

**fern**

winter

better

butter

dinner

letter

under

farmer

summer

river

mother

father

sister

brother

teacher

tower

flower

**These sound like 'er'**

**bird**

dirty

thirsty

circus

firm

circle

sir

squirt

**These also sound like 'er'**

church

burden

Thursday

Saturday

purple

burnt

turkey

purse

nurse

curve

spur

**These also sound like 'er'**

world

worst

worldly

worthy

**Set 10: 'oi' in 'coin':**

**coin**

boiler

joint

pointy

foil

noise

noisy

**Set 11: 'oo' in 'book':**

**book**

hood

wooden

nook

crook

shook

brook

stood

soot

hook

**These sound like 'oo':**

**bull**

bush

sugar

cushion

**These also sound like 'oo'**

would

wouldn't

couldn't

shouldn't

**Set 12: 'or' in 'fork':**

**fork**

forty

horse

short

torn

worn

thorn

forget

forgot

before

**These sound like 'or':**

**saw**

scrawl

shawl

yawn

dawn

drawn

**Set 13: 'ow' in cow**

**cow**

flower

tower

shower

frown

gown

crown

crowd

towel

## **'ou' in house**

**These sound like 'ow'**

**house**

ground

pound

hour

around

couch

scout

thousand

houses

south

about

without

count

outside

aloud

sour

Long 'a' sound



snake



rain

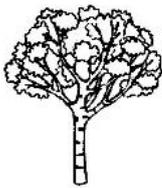


pray



lady

Long 'e' sound



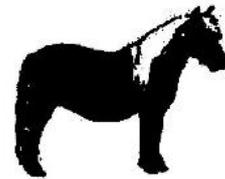
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sea

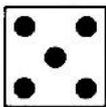


key



pony

Long 'i' sound



five



pie



fly



light

Long 'o' sound



nose



note

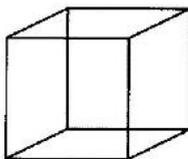


boat

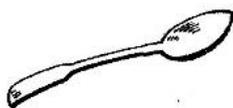


snow

Long 'u' sound



cube



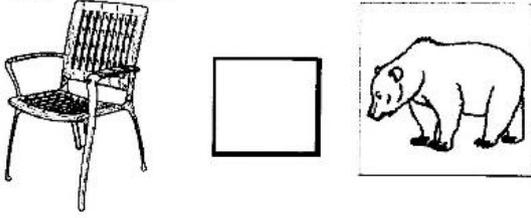
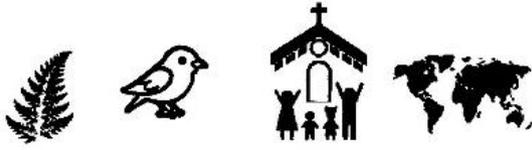
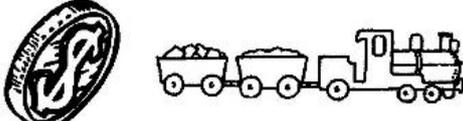
spoon



glue



chew

<p><b>'air' sound</b></p>  <p>chair      square      bear</p>	<p><b>'ar' sound</b></p>  <p>car      glass</p>
<p><b>'ear' sound</b></p>  <p>ear      deer</p>	<p><b>'er' sound</b></p>  <p>fern      bird      church      world</p>
<p><b>'oi' sound</b></p>  <p>coin      toy</p>	<p><b>short 'u' and 'oo' sound</b></p>  <p>bull      book</p>
<p><b>'or' sound</b></p>  <p>fork      door      ball      saw      walk</p>	<p><b>'ow' sound</b></p>  <p>cow      house</p>

**Examples of spelling tasks for the words:**

1. Write the word in a sentence.
2. Write the meaning.
3. Draw a picture.
4. Write a word with a similar meaning.
5. Write a word with the opposite meaning.
6. 6. Write a rhyming word.