

-ai and -ay Study Guide

(Save for Phonics Assessment on Friday, January 17th)

Students should practice reading and identifying the LONG A sound in each of the –ay and –ai words. Students should be familiar with how to use each word in a sentence.

* **ay Words-** bay, tray, day, play, hay, way, stay, may, pay, away, ray

* **ai Words-** jail, sail, train, plain, paint, rain, stain, main, bait, faint, pail, rail, fail, tail, wait, chain, raise, praise

Monday Homework and Study Guide

Phonics: –ai and –ay Sounds (Assessment Friday, January 17th)

Directions: Choose the word that BEST completes the sentence below.

1. He _____ go to the mall on Saturday.

- a. maye
- b. ma
- c. me
- d. may

2. The weatherman says that it might _____.

- a. rain
- b. ran
- c. rane
- d. ring

Grammar: Adjectives & Adjectives that Compare- (Assessment Thursday, January 23rd)

1. Choose the adjective in the sentence.

I ran across the green field.

- a. ran
- b. green
- c. field
- d. the

2. Does the adjective in the sentence tell you how many or what kind?

I ran across the green field.

- a. what kind
- b. how many

Reading: Students should read for 20 minutes daily.

Tuesday Homework and Study Guide

Phonics: –ai and –ay Sounds (Assessment Friday, January 17th)

Directions: Choose the word that BEST completes the sentence below.

1. I always serve my cakes on a _____.

- a. tra
- b. tray
- c. tre
- d. trai

2. I have a _____ on my shirt.

- a. stain
- b. stan
- c. stane
- d. stayn

Grammar: Adjectives & Adjectives that Compare- (Assessment Thursday, January 23rd)

1. Choose the adjective in the sentence.

He bought two bicycles on Saturday.

- a. Saturday
- b. bought
- c. he
- d. two

2. Does the adjective in the sentence tell you how many or what kind?

He bought two bicycles on Saturday.

- a. what kind
- b. how many

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Wednesday Homework and Study Guide

Phonics: –ai and –ay Sounds (Assessment Friday, January 17th)

Directions: Choose the best answer for each question.

1. Which word has the SAME vowel sound as *fake*?

- a) spat
- b) play
- c) map
- d) crack

2. Which word has the SAME vowel sound as *tray*?

- a) track
- b) mask
- c) wait
- d) cap

Grammar: Adjectives & Adjectives that Compare- (Assessment Thursday, January 23rd)

1. Choose the adjective in the sentence.

The dog chased the orange cat.

- a. orange
- b. chased
- c. cat
- d. dog

2. Does the adjective in the sentence tell you how many or what kind?

The dog chased the orange cat.

- a. what kind
- b. how many

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Thursday Homework and Study Guide

Phonics: –ai and –ay Sounds (Assessment Friday, January 17th)

Directions: Choose the best answer for each question.

1. Which word has the SAME vowel sound as *make*?

- a) back
- b) rain
- c) tack
- d) mat

2. Which word has the SAME vowel sound as *bake*?

- a) talk
- b) band
- c) bay
- d) last

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Helpful Tip: When comparing two people, places, or things, use “-er”. When comparing MORE than two people, places or thing things, use “est”.

Directions: Circle the correct adjective in each sentence.

1. This book is (heavier, heaviest) than that one.
2. This hill is the (taller, tallest) hill out of all of the hills in the city.

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