

Pronunciation:

Vowels that sound like the letters are called long vowel sounds. That sound is made with different combinations of letters.

A= a..e, ai, ay, eigh SAY: snake, paid, hay, neigh, late, wait, stay, eight

E=e..e, ea, ee SAY: Pete, seat, teen, scene, read, bee

I=i..e, igh, ie, y SAY: fine, tight, tie, my, lime, night, pie, try

O=o..e, oa, ow, oe SAY: phone, boat, blow, toe, home, coal, crow, Joe

U=u..e, ue, ew, oo SAY: tune, due, few, soon, use, Sue, new, boot

Work with a partner. Circle the words that have the long vowel sound.

pants	body	lake	nut	load	fin	straight	bed
street	lift	life	trade	stop	dive	set	seed
height	hate	betray	beast	meat	speak	shoot	shot

Work with a partner. Homophones: Words that sound the same, but are spelled differently. Write a homophone for each word.

blew _____ eight _____ no _____ male _____ see _____
 peace _____ sun _____ through _____ to _____ stare _____
 wait _____ wood _____ beet _____ pale _____ tale _____

Using Prepositions:

We use "at" for time, "on" for days, dates, holidays, "in" for months, years and seasons.

We do NOT use at/on/in **before**:

this (this morning/this week)

last (last August/ last week)

next (next Monday/ next week)

every (every day/ every week)

+Use at, on or in to fill in the blank. If the sentences do not need at, on, or in, put an X in the blank.

1. I can't sleep _____ night.
2. I start work _____ 8 AM.
3. My daughter arrives _____ next week.
4. The park is beautiful _____ spring.
5. _____ Thanksgiving, we have turkey.
6. The shop closes _____ 6 PM.
7. Emma was born _____ 1988.
8. The concert is _____ the 22nd of November.
9. Are you going to school _____ this morning?
10. She should be here _____ five minutes.
11. What do you usually do _____ Saturday?
12. The tutor comes to our house _____ every evening.
13. I'll see you _____ Wednesday.
14. I always feel good _____ the morning.
15. We went to Florida _____ last May.
16. The clock chimes every night _____ midnight.

17. We go to a restaurant for brunch _____ Sundays.
18. I'm meeting Tim _____ Monday morning.
19. I was born _____ July.
20. I was born _____ a Friday.
21. The doctor can see you _____ Monday _____ 2 PM.
22. I always feel tired _____ the evening.
23. I don't usually go out _____ night.
24. I phone Robert _____ every Saturday.
25. I started school _____ last Monday.

Discuss in your small group.

1-Do you sleep well at night? Do you worry about things at night? Do you ever take medicine to help you sleep? Do you prefer going to bed early or late? Do you prefer getting up early or late? Are you and the rest of your family on the same sleep schedule? Do you like to be the first person up in your house? What do you do first thing in the morning?

2-People in the U.S. worry a lot about their weight? Do you worry about your weight? Do people in your country worry about their weight? What do you think is the best way to keep a healthy weight?

3-What is your height? Do you think tall people are more attractive? Are tall people more successful? Would you like to be taller? Are you taller than most of your family? What are the advantages to being short?