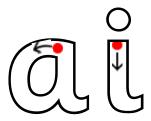




Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /ai/ as in the word 'aid'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for games and activities.

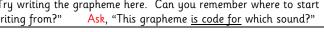
Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /ai/ in the word 'aid'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'ai'.



"Finger trace the letter shapes from the dots and say the sound /ai/." "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shapes in the air."

"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start Ask, "This grapheme is code for which sound?" writing from?"

ai d r ai n i ng r ai n





Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /ai/ in these words?"

"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the first aid kit."

ai m r ai n

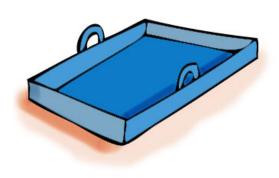
Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. Ask the learner to, "Say the sounds. Can you hear a word?"

"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'. Draw a first aid kit and what you might keep in it."

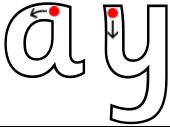
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Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /ai/ as in the word 'tray". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for games and activities.



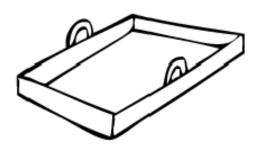
Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /ai/ in the word 'tray'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'ay'.



"Finger trace the letter shapes from the dots and say the sound /ai/." "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shapes in the air."

"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start Ask, "This grapheme is code for which sound?" writing from?"

Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word Ask, "When can you hear the sound /ai/ in these words?"



"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next [middle] finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the tray."

Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right.

Ask the learner to, "Say the sounds. Can you hear a word?"

Early Years introduction unit 2 letters and sounds

"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'. Draw a tray with your supper on it."





Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /w/ as in the word 'web'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for games and activities.

Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /w/ in the word 'web'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'w'.





"Finger trace the letter shapes from the dots and say the sound /w/."
"Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shapes in the air."

"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?"

Ask, "This grapheme is code for which sound?"

wind
award
wish



Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /w/ in these words?"

"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the web picture."

will wait
wag way
paid west

Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. Ask the learner to, "Say the sounds. Can you hear a word?" "Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'.

Draw a web and its 8-legged spider. Can you write 'web'?"

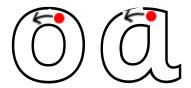
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Oa



Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /oa/ as in the word 'oak'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for games and activities.

Ask, "Where can you hear the sound <code>/oa/</code> in the word 'oak'?" Cut out this picture tile and <code>keep</code> it for matching with the grapheme 'oa'.



"Finger trace the letter shapes from the dots and say the sound /oa/."
"Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shapes in the air."

"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?"

Ask, "This grapheme is code for which sound?"

oats
s oa p
th r oa t



Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /oa/ in these words?"

"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the oak tree."

toad road boat coat oak float

Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. Ask the learner to, "Say the sounds. Can you hear a word?" "Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'.

Draw an oak tree with some acorns. Can you write 'oak'?"

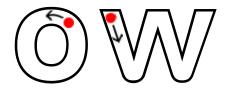
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Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound loal as in the word 'bow'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for games and activities.

Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /oa/ in the word 'bow'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'ow'.



"Finger trace the letter shapes from the dots and say the sound /oa/."
"Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shapes in the air."

"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?"

Ask, "This grapheme is code for which sound?"

s l ow ow n th r ow i ng



Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /oa/ in these words?"

"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next [middle] finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the bow."

s ow s oa p g l ow t ow s oa k g r ow

Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right.

Ask the learner to, "Say the sounds. Can you hear a word?"

"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'.

Draw a bow on a gift. Can you write 'bow'?"

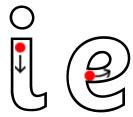
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Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /igh/ as in the word 'tie'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for games and activities.

Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /igh/ in the word 'tie'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'ie'.



"Finger trace the letter shapes from the dots and say the sound /igh/."
"Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shapes in the air."

"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?"

Ask, "This grapheme is code for which sound?"

t ie c r ie d p ie s



Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /igh/ in these words?"

"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the shirt and tie."

bow tie low cries tied flies

Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. Ask the learner to, "Say the sounds. Can you hear a word?" "Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'.

Draw a boy in a plain shirt and jazzy tie. Can you write 'tie'?"

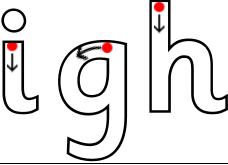
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Say, "This grapheme <u>is code for</u> the sound <u>ligh</u> as in the word 'night'". Cut out this grapheme tile and **keep** it for various activities.



Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /igh/ in the word 'night'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'igh'.



"Finger trace the letter shapes from the dots and say the sound /igh/."
"Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shapes in the air."

"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?"

Ask, "This grapheme is code for which sound?"

th igh l igh t f r igh t

Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /igh/ in these words?"



"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the night sky."

s igh n igh t m ow l oa d h igh l igh t

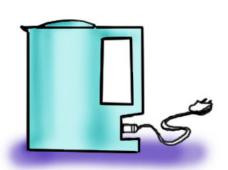
Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right.

Ask the learner to, "Say the sounds. Can you hear a word?"

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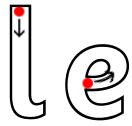
"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'.

Draw a night scene. Can you write 'night'?"



Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /ul/ as in the word 'kettle'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for games and activities.

Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /ul/ in the word 'kettle'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'le'.

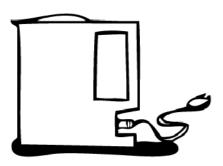


"Finger trace the letter shapes from the dots and say the sound /ul/." "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shapes in the air."

"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?"

Ask, "This grapheme is code for which sound?"

s e tt le n e tt le s p i ck le



Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /ul/ in these words?"

"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next [middle] finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the kettle."

little apple muddle lie tickle sight

Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. Sound out the double consonant letters like 'tt' once only. Can you hear a word?

"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'.

Draw a kettle with steam rising out. Can you write 'kettle'?"

Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /u/ in some words such as 'son'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for various activities.	Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /u/ in the word 'son'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'o'.
"Finger trace the letter shape from the dot and say the sound /u/." "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shape in the air."	"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?" Ask, "This grapheme is code for which two sounds?"
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London	
Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /u/ in these words?"	"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the boy who is the son."
son won	
tons some	
come front	
Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. "Don't sound out the end 'e' in 'come' and 'some'. Can you hear the words?" 22 Early Years introduction	"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'. Draw a boy with his father. Can you write 'son'?" unit 2 letters and sounds

Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /ai/ in some words such as 'table'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for various activities.	Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /ai/ in the word 'table'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'a'.
"Finger trace the letter shape from the dot and say the sound /ai/." "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shape in the air."	"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?" Ask, "This grapheme is code for which two sounds?"
a b le a p r o n A p r il	
Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /ai/ in these words?"	"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next [middle] finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the table."
won come able table stable son	
Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. "Don't sound out the end 'e' in 'come'. Can you hear the words?"	"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'. Draw a table which is set for tea. Can you write 'table'?"
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Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /ee/ in some words such as 'emu'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for various activities.	Ask, "Where can you hear the sound leel in the word 'emu'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'e'.
"Finger trace the letter shape from the dot and say the sound /ee/." "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shape in the air."	"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?" Ask, "This grapheme is code for which two sounds?"
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Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /ee/ in these words?"	"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next [middle] finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the emu."
m e w e	
be he	
come some	
Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. "Don't sound out the end 'e' in 'come' and 'some'. Can you hear the words?" 24 Early Years introduction	"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'. Draw an emu. Can you write 'he is big'?" unit 2 letters and sounds

Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /igh/ in some words such Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /igh/ in the word 'behind'?" Cut as 'behind". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for activities. out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'i'. "Finger trace the letter shape from the dot and say the sound /igh/." "Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shape in the air." writing from?" Ask, "This grapheme is code for which two sounds?" kind i d le ch i l d Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word "Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /igh/ in these words?" finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the tree and child." h igh Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. "Look at "Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'. Draw a tree with a child playing hide and seek behind the trunk." the special capital letter for the word T. Can you read the words?" Early Years introduction unit 2 letters and sounds

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Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /oa/ in some words such as 'yo-yo'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for activities.	Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /oa/ in the word 'yo-yo'?" Cut out this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'o'.
"Finger trace the letter shape from the dot and say the sound <code>/oa/."</code> "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shape in the air."	"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?" Ask, "This grapheme is code for which three sounds?"
old fold most	(O)
Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /oa/ in these words?"	"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the yo-yo."
nogo so old cold coat snow	Junger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the yo-yo.
Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. "Look at	"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'.
the three types of code for the sound /oa/. Can you read the words?" 26 Early Years introduction	Draw two children playing with yo-yos. Can you write 'yo-yo'?" unit 2 letters and sounds
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Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /yoo/ in some words such as 'unicorn'". Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for activities.	Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /yoo/ in the word 'unicorn'?" Cut out this tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'u'.
"Finger trace the letter shape from the dot and say the sound /yoo/." "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shape in the air."	"Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start writing from?" Ask, "This grapheme is code for which two sounds?"
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Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /yoo/ in these words?"	"Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next [middle] finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the unicorn."
unit fun	
I cut it up.	
I am big.	
Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. "Notice the two ways of sounding out the letter u . Can you read the words?"	"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'. Draw a unicorn galloping."

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Say, "This grapheme is code for the sound /igh/ in some words such Ask, "Where can you hear the sound /igh/ in the word 'fly'?" Cut out Cut out this grapheme tile and keep it for activities. this picture tile and keep it for matching with the grapheme 'y'. "Finger trace the letter shape from the dot and say the sound /igh/." "Try writing the grapheme here. Can you remember where to start "Use your pointing finger to 'write' the letter shape in the air." writing from?" Ask, "This grapheme is code for which two sounds?" Finger-track under each word from left to right whilst saying the word "Pinch the crayon with your pointing finger and thumb. Put your next slowly. Ask, "When can you hear the sound /igh/ in these words?" finger beneath the crayon and grip it. Colour the man in the plane." h igh I can fly high in the sky.

"Remember to hold your pencil with 'froggy legs and a log under'.

Draw an aeroplane flying through the clouds."

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Point under the graphemes in each word from left to right. Point to

"Can you read the sentence?"

the word 'the' and say what it is.

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