

SPELLING & HANDWRITING - long /a/ spelt 'ai'

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Task 1: Copy out the spellings from the next page into your book or on paper.

Task 2: Write a sentence that includes each word (ten sentences altogether).

Task 3: Copy out the spellings from the next page again into your book or on paper.

Task 4: Use a dictionary to find at least 5 words that have the long /a/ sound. These may be spelt 'ai', 'ay', 'ae' or 'a'. Check the spelling in the dictionary and give the meaning of the word.

Task 5: Adults to test the children on eight of the chosen words.

Help for adults: Give the word, put it in a sentence, repeat the word.

For example:

The word is waist.

The baby clung to her mother's waist.

The word is waist.

Words with a long /a/ sound spelt using 'ai'

Practise your weekly spelling words using cursive handwriting.

straight

campaign

contain

brain

faint

waist

claim

praise

complaint

afraid