

# Long i Pattern Packet

activities for the i\_e pattern

1. **Short i/Long i Sort-** Either sort the words by short i/long i patterns or the child can match the short i/long i pairs (kit/kite).
2. **Short i/Long i Matching-** Match the words to the pictures. You can also use just the pictures to sort the words by vowel sound (either short i or long i sound).
3. **Short i/Long i Flip a Word-** Use the templates provided to change the short i words into long i words. Draw a picture to show the long i word. See pg. 6 of download for further directions.
4. **What's the Missing Word?** Read the sentence and write the missing word that makes sense.
5. **Write the Word-** (could be used as an assessment tool)
6. **Roll & Write a Sentence-** (for Long i)
7. **Twice as Nice-** Long i file folder game
8. **Hide the Word-** reading long i words.

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# How To: Short i/Long i (i\_e) Sort

## DIRECTIONS:

- Ahead of time, cut apart the word sort (or child can cut apart).
- Set up the headers (i & i\_e) at the top and model how to sort words by these spelling patterns underneath.
- After sorting, read through the words and discuss any unknown words (such as dim, shin, or ripe).
- Read through the words one more time, emphasizing the sound that the a makes in each column.
- Ask the child if he notices anything about the i sounds? Then, ask if he notices anything about the spelling patterns in each column. (The i column just has a single i in each word & the i\_e column has a silent e at the end).
- Let the child sort the words with support from you.
- You can also sort the words by matching the short i word to the long i word (such as kit/kite).

Here is how the sorts will look when finished:

i	i_e	OR	
fin	shine		fin/fine
sit	dime		sit/site
Tim	site		Tim/time
pin	fine		dim/dime
rip	ripe		rip/ripe
win	wine		fin/fine
dim	pine		kit/kite
kit	time		shin/shine
shin	kite		win/wine

i

i\_e

Can you also match  
each short i/long i  
pair?

fin

shine

sit

dime

Tim

pin

rip

site

fine

win

dim

ripe

wine

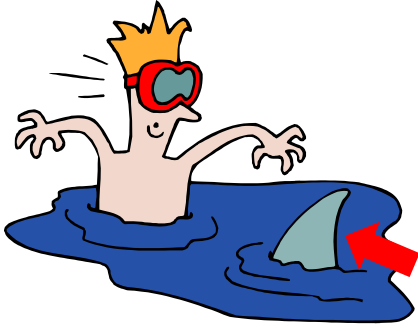
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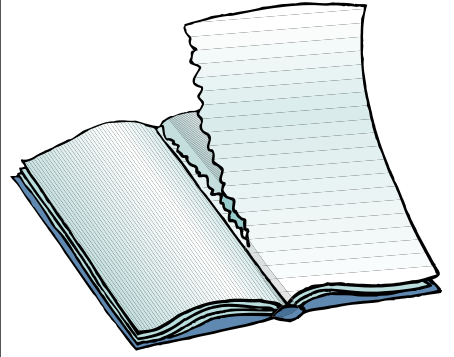
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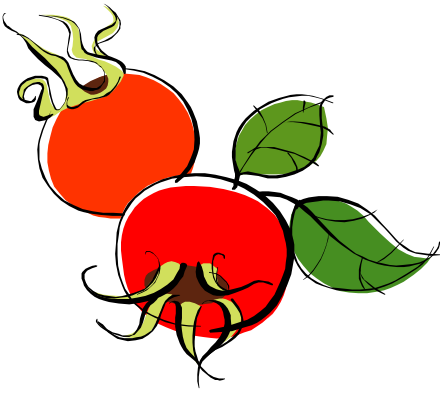
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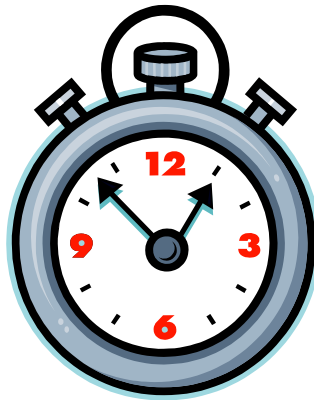
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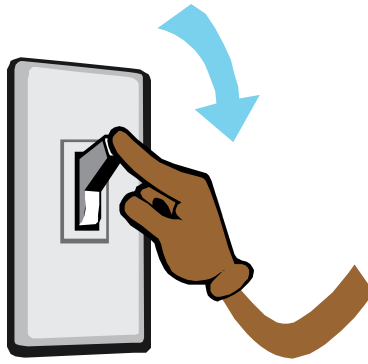
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sit



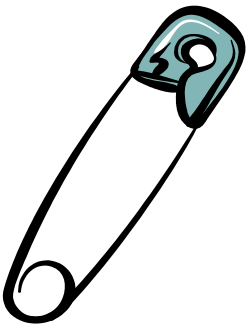
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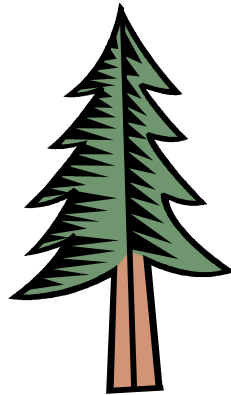
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dime



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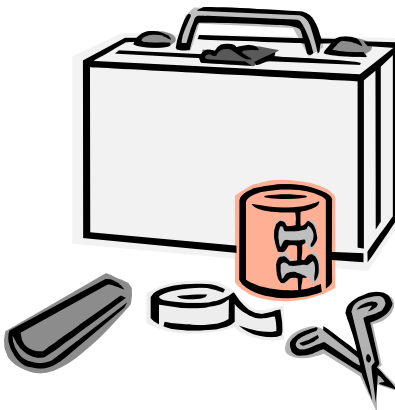
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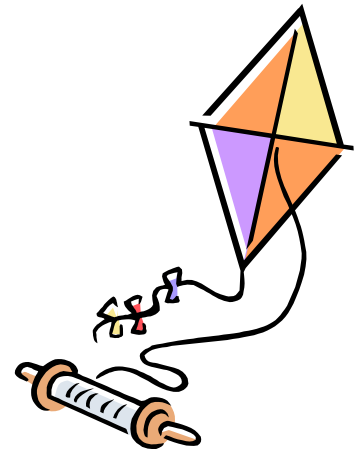
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shine



kit

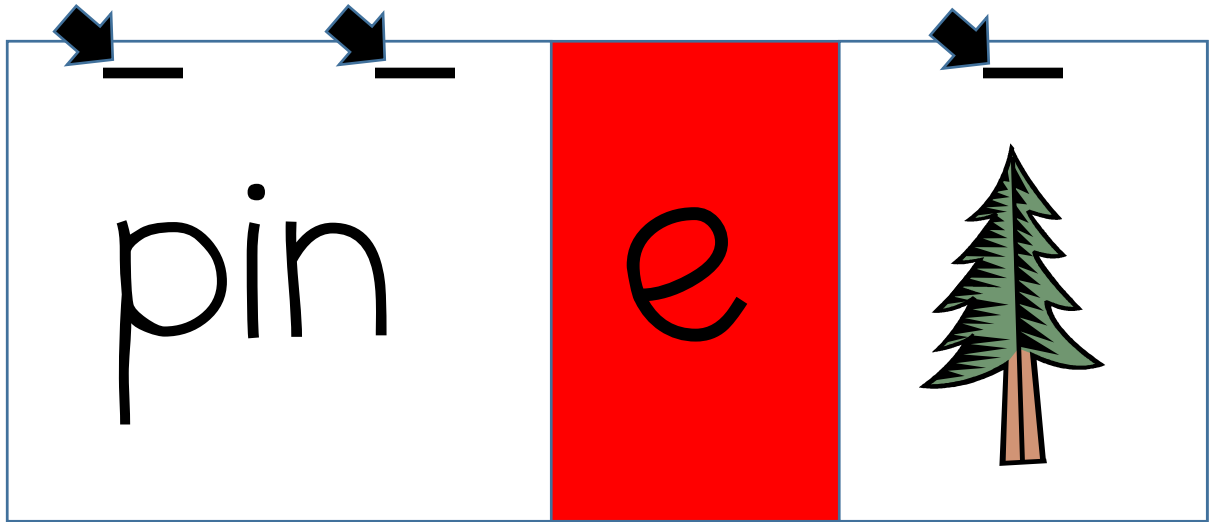


kite

# Flip a Word Directions

staple Short i Word Cards here

staple Paper for Pictures here



Write the short *i* words on the papers you stapled above.

Draw pictures of the long *i* words on the papers you stapled above.

## Directions:

After the papers are stapled into place, ask the child to write 6 of the short *i* words from the sort on the paper at the left side (example: pin). Once the silent *e* is added, ask her to draw a picture that corresponds with the new word (pine) on the paper at the right. After all the words and pictures are finished, ask the child to flip through the chart and match the words to their pictures.

**Variation:** Instead of printing and cutting out the templates I've made, you could also use card stock or construction paper for the back and white copy paper for the papers you staple for the short *i* words and pictures.

i

i

i

i

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## Directions:

Cut apart and staple into the flip chart (see pg. 10).

Use this paper to write the short i words.

Staple at the black lines.

i

i

i

i

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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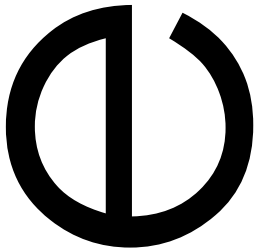
Use this paper to draw the long *i* pictures that correspond with the words. Staple at the black lines.

# Flip a Word Templates

## Flip a Word Template:

Print onto cardstock.  
Staple papers onto  
this template.

I



I

I

# What's the Missing Word?



Directions: Read each sentence and write the missing word.

1. What \_\_\_\_\_ is it? (Tim/time)
2. I saw a bird in the \_\_\_\_\_ tree. (pin/pine)
3. I want to \_\_\_\_\_ the race. (win/wine)
4. You need to \_\_\_\_\_ down to eat. (sit/site)
5. Do not \_\_\_\_\_ a hole in your pants!  
(rip/ripe)
6. Our \_\_\_\_\_ went up in the sky. (kit/kite)
7. My dad had to \_\_\_\_\_ his shoes.  
(shin/shine)
8. A \_\_\_\_\_ helps a fish to swim. (fin/fine)
9. I gave my friend a \_\_\_\_\_ for the gum.  
(dim/dime)
10. I went to the park with \_\_\_\_\_. (Tim/time)

# Write a Word

Look at each short and long *i* picture, then spell the word on the lines.



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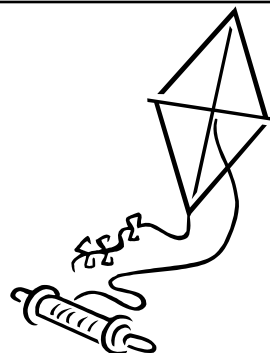
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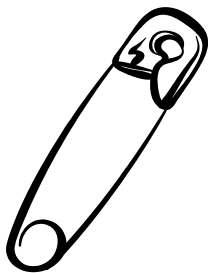
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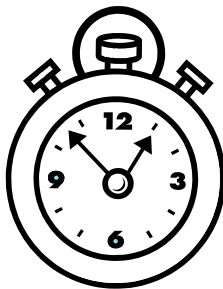
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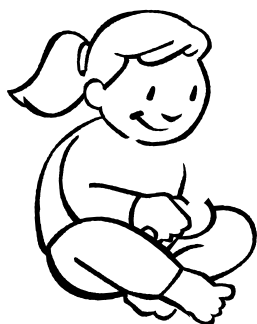
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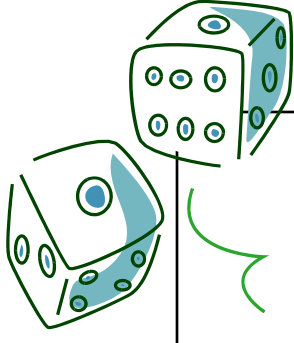


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# Roll & Write a Sentence



Use 2 dice to roll, add, and write the sentence on the recording sheet.

If you roll a ...	...write this word in the sentence.		
2	mice	7	dice
3	while	8	they
4	The	9	bike
5	fine	10	nice
6	ride	11	a
		12	play

\_\_\_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 10 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 12 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 7 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 8 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 6 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 11 \_\_\_\_\_

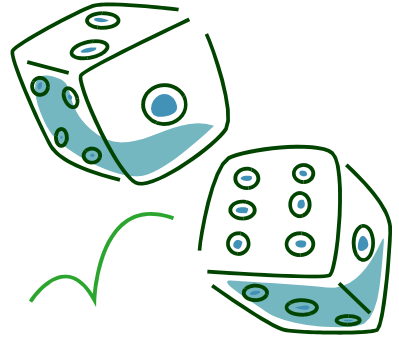
\_\_\_\_\_ 5 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 9 \_\_\_\_\_

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# Hide the Word

for 2-4 players



## How to Prepare your Game board:

(2 different game boards provided)

Fold (crease) along the vertical line between the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> column so that the long *i* words in the 2<sup>nd</sup> column are covered (numbers 2-12 should still be visible.) Once creased, unfold and carefully cut horizontally along the dotted lines **only in the 3<sup>rd</sup> column** to create flaps. Now, you're ready to play! *Players may use the same or different game boards to play.*

## How to Play:

Players take turns rolling two dice and adding the sum. Players read the long *i* word that corresponds with the sum rolled. If the word is ready correctly, the player may hide the long *i* word by covering it with the flap.

Players continue in this manner until one player "hides" or covers all her long *i* words with the flaps. She is declared the winner!

2	bike	fold	cut
3	nine		
4	twice		
5	like		
6	shine		
7	nice		
8	spike		
9	wine		
10	hike		
11	mine		
12	spice		



2

nice

fold

3

bite

4

time

5

spice

6

kite

7

chime

8

white

9

lime

10

twice

11

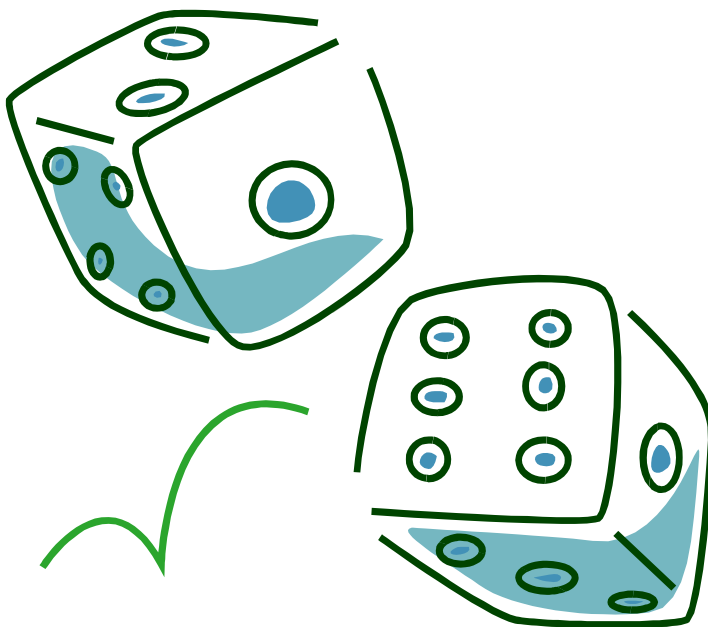
write

12

dime

START

# TWICE



Go  
Ahead  
2

Lose a  
turn

# as Nice!

THE  
END

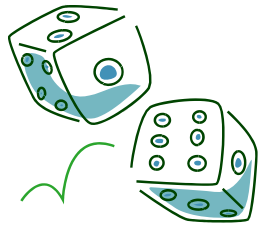
## Directions

(for 2-4 players)

- \*Players place their markers on **START**.
- \*When it is a player's turn, he rolls both dice.
- \*If he rolls two words that do NOT share the same rime (such as *nice* & *dime*), he reads them and moves one space.
- \*If he rolls two words that DO share the same rime (such as *nice* & *dice*), he reads them and moves TWO spaces.
- \*The first player to get to **THE END**, wins!

Lose a  
turn

Go  
Ahead  
2



1<sup>st</sup> Die Inserts

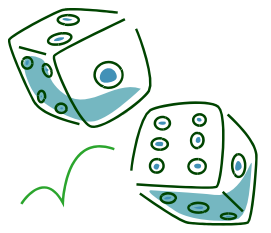
nice

dime

kite

five

Place inserts in Photo Stacking Blocks (can be purchased on amazon) or adapt without.



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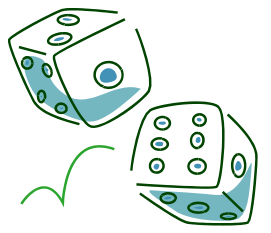
mine

bike

2<sup>nd</sup> Die Inserts

dice

time



2<sup>nd</sup> Die Inserts

bite

hive

fine

like