

Graphemes: a-e, ai, ay, a

Sounds: /eɪ/

Read the word, the sentence, then the word again.

a-e says /eɪ/

1	appreciate	I appreciate your kind help.
2	brake	He squeezed the brake to stop his bike.
3	communicate	Bees communicate by dancing.
4	exaggerate	Do not exaggerate the size.
5	grate	Please grate the cheese.
6	male	A buck is a male deer.
7	mane	The lion shook its great mane .
8	misbehave	It is wrong to misbehave in class.
9	persuade	I tried to persuade her.
10	plane	The plane flew above the clouds.
11	replace	We must replace the cup.
12	space	There is space for one more.
13	undertake	We will undertake a project.

ai says /eɪ/

1	campaign	They led a litter campaign .
2	daily	We have a daily reading time.
3	mail	The mail arrived early today.
4	main	The main road was very busy.
5	mainly	The weather was mainly dry.
6	plain	The cake was plain .
7	straight	Draw a straight line.

ay says /eɪ/

1	always	I always brush my teeth before bed.
2	anyway	It rained, but we went outside anyway .

a says /eɪ/

1	paper	She drew on a sheet of paper .
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