Long Vowel Patterns

Grade 3 Spelling Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

Circle the answer, or write the answer on the line.

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   long u short i long a long i

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   e _ _ _ _ _

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   a s l _ _ p

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   the letters "igh"
   the "i" ending its syllable
   an r right after the "i"

5. Which word has the long o sound?
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6. In "complete", which sound do the "e" and the silent e spell?
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7. Spell the long a word that means "to make an idea clear to someone".
   e _ _ _ _ _ _

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   e x p l _ d e

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9. What spells the long a sound in "complain"?
   an r right after the "a"
   the vowel team "ai"
   the "a" ending its syllable
   the silent e at the end

10. Which word has the long a sound?
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