

Silent E Syllable Worksheet

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Practice the VCe (Vowel-Consonant-e) pattern

Name: _____

Date: _____

What is a silent e syllable? When a word ends in one consonant + a silent "e," the e is quiet — but it makes the vowel before it say its own name (a long vowel sound). Example: **cap → cape**

hop → hope

kit → kite

1 Transform the Word

Add a silent e to each word and write the new word on the line. Say both words out loud.

can → _____

rat → _____

rid → _____

not → _____

cub → _____

pin → _____

plan → _____

tap → _____

2 Sort by Vowel Sound

Write each word from the word bank into the correct column.

Word Bank: cake · time · hope · cube · these · plate · smile · stone · flute · theme

a_e

i_e

o_e

u_e

e_e

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Multisyllabic words & sentence practice

3 Find & Circle the Silent E Syllable

Each word below has a silent e syllable inside it. Circle that syllable.

1. mis•take

2. com•pete

3. in•vite

4. ex•plode

5. ig•nore

6. ad•vice

7. com•plete

8. de•cide

4 Fill in the Blank

Choose the correct silent e word from the box to complete each sentence.

bike · smile · note · shine · cute · slide

1. I rode my _____ to school today.
2. The sun will _____ brightly tomorrow.
3. She wrote a _____ to her friend.
4. The puppy gave me a big _____.
5. We went down the _____ at the park.
6. That is a very _____ kitten.

5 Write Your Own

Pick two silent e words from this page and use each one in your own sentence.

1. _____
2. _____

Answer Key

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can → cane

not → note

plan → plane

rat → rate

cub → cube

tap → tape

rid → ride

pin → pine

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1. bike

4. smile

2. shine

5. slide

3. note

6. cute

Teaching tip: If a student struggles with a transform-the-word answer, have them read the original closed-syllable word first (e.g. "can"), then add the silent e and re-read it aloud. Hearing the vowel sound shift from short to long is more effective than explaining the rule alone. For extra practice, try our free interactive **Syllable Counter** tool at AIWriteKit.com.