PHONICS · SILENT E

o_e words

Name _____ Date _____

I can read o_e words, like bone. The e is silent.

1 Say each word. Listen for the long o.


bone


rose

nose


home


phone


globe


cone


hole

2 The silent e makes the o say its name

hop (+e) → hope

not (+e) → note

rob (+e) → robe

3 More o_e words

Read them to a grown-up.

bone cone home hope note rope

rode nose rose hole pole stone

How did I do? ☆ ☆ ☆

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Add the silent e

Name _____ Date _____

Read the word. Add an e. Write the new word and read it.

hop (+e) =

not (+e) =

rob (+e) =

rod (+e) =

cod (+e) =

slop (+e) =

glob (+e) =

mop (+e) =

How did I do? ☆ ☆ ☆

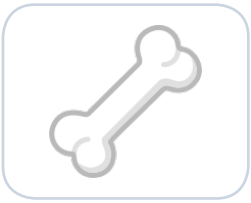
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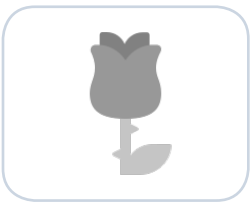
Match the picture to the word

Name _____ Date _____

Draw a line from each picture to its word.

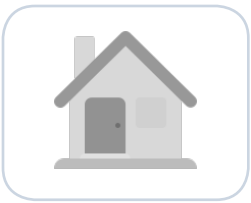


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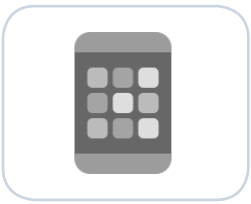


phone

bone



nose



rose



home

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PHONICS · SILENT E · O_E

Fill in the missing letters

Name _____ Date _____

Write the o and the silent e in the boxes. Then write the whole word.

o e



b□n□



r□s□

n□s□



h□m□



ph□n□



gl□b□



c□n□



h□l□

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PHONICS · SILENT E · O_E

Short o or long o?

Name _____ Date _____

Read each word. Is there *a* silent e? Write the word in the right box.

1 Word bank

code hop rob cod rod hope not
robe slope rode slop note

short o	long o
like hop	like hope

How did I do? ☆ ☆ ☆

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PHONICS · SILENT E · O_E

Read, trace and find

Name _____ Date _____

Read each word aloud, then trace it.

bone bone

cone cone

home home

hope hope

note note

rope rope

rode rode

nose nose

rose rose

hole hole

pole pole

stone stone

2 Read each sentence. Circle the o_e words.

1. The dog has a big bone.
2. A rose is on the stone.
3. Rose rode home.

How did I do? ☆ ☆ ☆

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FOR TEACHERS AND PARENTS

Answer key: o_e words

1 Add the silent e

hop + e = hope, not + e = note, rob + e = robe, rod + e = rode, cod + e = code, slop + e = slope, glob + e = globe, mop + e = mope

2 Match the picture / Fill in the missing letters

1. bone 2. rose 3. nose 4. home 5. phone 6. globe. Missing letters: bone, rose, nose, home, phone, globe, cone, hole

3 Short o or long o?

short o: hop, not, rob, rod, cod, slop

long o: hope, note, robe, rode, code, slope

4 Circle the words

1. bone
2. rose, stone
3. Rose, rode, home

5 Teaching tip

With a silent e, o says its name, as in bone. Make it fun: children say "Oh!" each time they spot an o with a silent e at the end.

Watch for: Some common words look like they follow the rule but do not, such as come, some, done and love. Teach these as sight words.

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