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Grade 2: Weekly Phonics Focus Lesson 4

In our classroom this week, we are learning to read and spell words with the **long vowel silent-e**. Here are the letters and patterns to practice this week:

b, c, d, f, g, h, j, k, l, m, n, p, q, r, s, t, v, w, x, z y at the beginning of a word	
Vowels	a, e, i, o, u y at the end of a word
Long Vowel Silent-e	Long vowel silent-e words have 1 vowel, 1 consonant, an e at the end, and the vowel sound is long.

Here are some examples of words with the long vowel silent-e:

Long a	Long e	Long i	Long o	Long u
fade	these	fine	hope	cube
grape	eve	like	hose	cute
make	grebe	pile	rose	prune
name	Pete	size	stroke	rude
save	theme	time	tote	tube

Your Turn: This week, be on the lookout for words that have the <u>long vowel silent-e</u>. In the table below, keep a list of pattern words that you read or write with your child.

Long a	Long e	Long i	Long o	Long u

Use the activities and questions from the original <u>Family Support Letter</u> to further assist your child's success in learning the weekly phonics focus.