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Grade 2: Weekly Phonics Focus
Lesson 27

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

| Consonants | b, $c, d, f, g, h, j, k, l, m, n, p, q, r, s, t, v, w, x, z$ <br> $y$ at the beginning of a word |
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| Vowels | $a, e, i, o, u$ <br> $y$ at the end of a word |
| Closed Syllables | The closed syllable pattern is 1 vowel letter followed by <br> 1 or more consonants. The vowel sound is short. |
| Long Vowel Silent-e | The long vowel silent-e pattern is 1 vowel, 1 consonant, <br> and an e at the end. The vowel sound is long. |

Here are some examples of words with closed and long vowel silent-e syllables:

| Closed and Silent-e <br> Multisyllable |  | Long Vowel Silent-e |  |
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| backpack | expose | Dave | holes |
| biggest | inspect | dozed | poke |
| campsite | landscape | fine | shine |
| contrast | reptile | grapes | timed |

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

| Closed and Silent-e <br> Multisyllable |  | Long Vowel Silent-e |  |
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Use the activities and questions from the original Family Support Letter to further assist your child's success in learning the weekly phonics focus.

