

HOMEWORK

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'y' sounding 'i'

The letter 'y' is special and make several different sounds.

- **Vowels** are the letters 'a', 'e', 'i', 'o', 'u', all other letters are **consonants**.
- Vowels can make a **short sound** ('i' as in 'pip') or a **long sound** ('i' as in 'pipe').
- The letter 'y' acts as a consonant at the start of words (yes, yet, yell).
- At the end of a word 'y' can make a long 'e' (ee) sound (happy) or a long 'i' (eye) sound (cry).
- In the middle of words 'y' can make a long or short 'i' sound (gym/style).

<i>(list 3:11)</i>	Practise 1 <i>(copy into space)</i>	Practise 2 <i>(fold and hide)</i>	Can spell word <i>(check and correct)</i>
Spelling tip:	<i>The letter 'y' can make a short 'i' sound within words. They tend to be less common words.</i>		
<i>gym</i>			
<i>hymn</i>			
<i>myth</i>			
<i>crypt</i>			
<i>lyric</i>			

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<i>system</i>			
<i>symbol</i>			
<i>mystery</i>			
<i>pyramid</i>			
<i>typical</i>			

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<i>style</i>			
<i>type</i>			
<i>pylon</i>			
<i>tyrant</i>			
<i>rhyme</i>			