

# PHONICS WORD SORTS

## CVCE EDITION

SoR  
aligned

Find CVC and CVCE words and write them under the correct vowel. Then, read each list three times.

short a	a_e
cake	fat
mat	mate
dab	wave

Teach the student to distinguish between short 'a' and 'a\_e' using CVC and CVCE words.

In this activity, I am going to say a word, use it in a sentence, and say it again. Your job is to listen for the middle vowel sound. It will be short a or long a. Then, you will write the word in the correct column.

short a	a_e
Gabe ate a pizza.	
We are wearing the same shirt.	
I made a ham sandwich.	
What is today's date?	
I like to gab to my friends.	
Jan has a birthday tomorrow.	
My pad is in my backpack.	
Jane went grocery shopping.	

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cut out the words. Say each word. Sort and glue the word by its vowel sound.

short a	a_e
van	pane
ban	gape
	safe
	wake
	made

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cut the pictures. Say each word. Sort and glue the picture by its vowel sound.

short a	a_e

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differentiate with 5 sorts per skill  
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# 5 CVCe SKILLS INCLUDED

## Comparing Short Vowel (CVC) VS Long Vowel (CVCe)

short a VS a\_e

short i VS i\_e

short o VS o\_e

short u VS u\_e

mixed review

## 5 sort types per skill



**no-prep sorts total**

Covers all CVC and CVCe decoding contrasts for targeted phonics instruction.

# Includes **5** research-based sort types for every skill!

CVCe

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cut the pictures. Say each word. Sort and glue the word by sound.

short a	a.e

picture/sound only



CVCe

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cut out the words. Say each word. Sort and glue the word by sound.

short a	a.e

pane	cap
van	made
gape	sat
ban	vane
mad	pan
safe	wax

words only

Use a different sort each week day **OR** differentiate to meet every student's needs!

CVCe

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Read the words. Write them under the correct vowel. Then, read each list three times.

fade	cake	fat	fate
fad	mat	mate	cap
name	dab	wave	yak

short a	a.e

decoding + encoding

CVCe

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Word Hunt & Sort

Find CVC and CVCe words and write them under the correct vowel. Then, read your lists three times each.

short a	a.e

NO PREP

Color a star each time you read the lists above.

CVCe

Teacher Dictation Scripts

short a VS a.e

Directions: In this activity, I am going to say a word, use it in a sentence, and say it again. Your job is to listen for the middle vowel sound. It will be short a or long a. Then, you will write the word in the correct column on your paper.

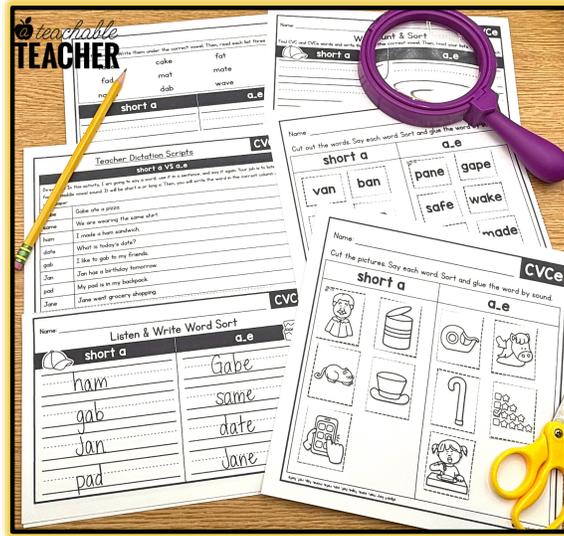
Gabe	Gabe ate a pizza.
same	We are wearing the same shirt.
ham	I made a ham sandwich.
date	What is today's date?
gab	I like to gab to my friends.
Jan	Jan has a birthday tomorrow.
pad	My pad is in my backpack.

Listen & Write Word Sort

short a	a.e

dictation

# There's a sort for that!



## Word Work Routine

Use a different sort each day to target the same phonics skills all week.

## Small Group Reading

Choose the best-fit sort for your group's current skill level.

## Phonics Intervention

Target foundational decoding skills in a structured, hands-on way.

## Homework Or Take-Home Practice

Send home a sort to reinforce class instruction.

## Quick Assessments or Progress Monitoring

Use the written word sort or dictation sort as a no-prep skill check.