Missing Letters

Grade 3

Name _____ Date _____

Remember: Some letters are **missing**. Read the sentence, think of the word, then choose the letters that spell it correctly.

Vowel teams: ai and ay say a (rain, day) · ee and ea say e (tree, beach) · oa and ow say o (boat, snow)

1. Fill in the letters

Circle the letters that complete each word.



1. We waited for the tr_____n at the station. — ai · ay · ea
2. We built a sandcastle at the b_____ch. — ee · ea · ai
3. The b_____t sailed across the lake. — ow · oe · oa
4. I planted a tr_____ in the yard. — ea · ee · ie
5. Let's pl_____ a board game. — ai · ay · ey
6. The wind will bl_____ the leaves away. — ow · oa · ou
7. Please put the cr_____m in my coffee. — ee · ea · ae
8. My little brother is _____ght years old. — ai · ei · ie
9. Turn on the l_____ght, please. — i · ie · y
10. Is it time for l_____nch yet? — o · u · ou

Answer Key

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1	We waited for the tr**ai**n at the station.	**ai**	ay	ea
2	We built a sandcastle at the b**ea**ch.	ee	**ea**	ai
3	The b**oa**t sailed across the lake.	ow	oe	**oa**
4	I planted a tr**ee** in the yard.	ea	**ee**	ie
5	Let's pl**ay** a board game.	ai	**ay**	ey
6	The wind will bl**ow** the leaves away.	**ow**	oa	ou
7	Please put the cr**ea**m in my coffee.	ee	**ea**	ae
8	My little brother is **ei**ght years old.	ai	**ei**	ie
9	Turn on the l**i**ght, please.	**i**	ie	y
10	Is it time for l**u**nch yet?	o	**u**	ou