

Spelling Bee's Dictation

Year 3/4 Spelling: Long /a/ spelt 'ey'

Use this booklet to see your progress as you practise the target spellings.

Parent Note: Please use the following spelling dictation to help your child spell words containing the long /a/ sound spelt 'ey'. Complete the first dictation activity before practising any of the target words and write down the score. Then, after practising the target words, complete the second dictation activity. You should see progress between the first and second dictation tasks. Only complete the second dictation when you feel your child has practised the spellings thoroughly.

For ideas on practising spellings, see the [Spelling Support for Parents: Games to Play at Home Guide](#).

Worksheet

Jack worked on his dad's farm and always had to **obey** what he was told to do. One day, his dad shouted, "**Hey** Jack, help me to separate the curds and **whey**." Not wanting to **disobey**, he helped his father. It was a cold, **grey** day but **they** worked hard to complete the task! Jack and his dad had to make products to sell in their new farm shop. Earlier in the year, Jack had conducted a **survey** of the local community and the people **conveyed** that a local farm shop was needed. So he opened a shop which now **purveys** all the fine foods made on the farm. The new shop has been very popular and, like predators hunting their **prey**, people come from near and far to buy the tasty produce sold.

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Score out of 10:

Dictation 2

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