Vowel teams worksheet

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For grown-ups: 9 questions from our vowel teams practice, easier ones first. Read a question aloud if your child wants that, then check together with the answer key on page 2. Circle one answer for each problem.

1. **Which word has the ea team?**
   ○ **loaf** ○ **leaf** ○ **life**

2. **Do rain and train have the same vowel team?**
   ○ **Yes** ○ **No**

3. **Do 'seat' and 'soap' have the same vowel team?**
   ○ **Yes** ○ **No**

4. **Which word has the oo team?**
   ○ **bake** ○ **book** ○ **bike**

5. **Which word has the ee team?**
   ○ **shop** ○ **sheep** ○ **ship**

6. **Which word has the ai team?**
   ○ **snow** ○ **snail** ○ **snack**

7. **Which word does NOT have a vowel team?**
   ○ **sat** ○ **seat** ○ **soap**

8. **Which word has the same vowel sound as moon?**
   ○ **boat** ○ **book** ○ **spoon**

9. **Which word means more than one tooth?**
   ○ **tooth** ○ **taste** ○ **teeth**

Answer key: Vowel teams

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1. **leaf**
   Leaf has e-a. The team e-a makes the long e sound.
2. **Yes**
   Yes! Both words have the a-i team, and both have the long a sound.
3. **No**
   No. Seat has e-a and soap has o-a. They are different teams.
4. **book**
   Book has o-o. In book, the o-o team makes a short oo sound, like in look.
5. **sheep**
   Sheep has e-e. The team e-e makes the long e sound.
6. **snail**
   Snail has a-i. The team a-i makes the long a sound.
7. **sat**
   Sat has just one vowel, a. Seat has e-a and soap has o-a.
8. **spoon**
   Spoon has the same oo sound as moon. Book has a shorter oo sound, and boat has long o.
9. **teeth**
   T-e-e-t-h spells teeth. Tooth has o-o, and that is just one.