

# Diphthong and Variant Vowel Review

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## Understanding Vowel Sounds

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Answer the following questions about diphthongs and variant vowels.

1. Diphthongs are two vowels that make one \_\_\_\_.
2. Which of these is a diphthong sound?
  - A. a
  - B. oi
  - C. z
3. Can you tell me a word with 'oy'?

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4. Diphthongs are spelled the same way but sound different.  
 True     False
5. What is one of the diphthong patterns we learned?
  - A. au/aw
  - B. x/y
  - C. e/i
6. A word with 'ou' is \_\_\_\_.
7. What makes diphthongs special?

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8. Words with 'ou' and 'ow' sound the same.  
 True     False
9. Which diphthong is in the word 'moon'?
  - A. oo
  - B. oy
  - C. au
10. An example of a word with 'aw' is \_\_\_\_.

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### Answer Key

1. sound 2. oi 3. Joy 4. False 5. au/aw 6. cloud 7. They make one sound with two vowels. 8. True 9. oo 10. law