

## Handwriting sheet: Precursive Arrow worksheet

Word list: Short /i/ spelled y: set 2

Here's the rewritten version with more examples from your list: The short /i/ sound is the vowel you hear in words like *sit* and *bin*. It's made by placing your tongue near the front of your mouth, with your lips staying relaxed. This sound is brief and sharp, unlike the long /i/ sound in words like *tree*, where the tongue is higher and the sound is held longer.

In many English words, the short /i/ sound is spelled with the letter *i*. However, in words of Greek origin, the letter *y* often represents this sound. Some examples include *gym*, *myth*, *lyric*, and *crystal*. Other words that use this spelling pattern include *system*, *oxygen*, *physics*, and *symbol*.

These activities will help you practise recognising and spelling words where *y* represents the short /i/ sound, such as *hymn*, *syrup*, *symptom*, and *typical*.

analysis

anonymous

cymbal

gymnasium

hypnosis

hypocrite

hysterical

physical

rhythm

syllable

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syllabus

symphony

sympathetic

systematic