

Spelling list: *i-e* words - set 2

i-e is a common way to spell the long /i/ sound in English. The pattern involves adding an e at the end of the word, following a consonant. This helps create the long /i/ sound, as in *entire* , *require* , and *invite* .

For example, in the word *admire* , the *i* is followed by an *e* to make the long /i/ sound. Similarly, *desire* and *combine* follow the same rule.

Try saying these words out loud and notice how the *i-e* pattern affects the pronunciation. Click on the speaker icon to hear the correct pronunciation!

admire	I admire her bravery.
desire	She had a great desire to travel overseas.
entire	The entire family are ill with flu.
require	I require your answer by Monday.
conspire	Both men started to conspire against the Queen.
advise	Could you advise me on buying a new car?
invite	Will Jeff invite us to his party?
divide	Let's divide the bill between the three of us.
combine	The two companies chose to combine forces.
despite	The team lost the game despite a late goal.
describe	The poet used alliteration to describe the beautiful butterflies.