The long (i) sound is often represented by the i-e pattern when it comes in the middle of words, like in the words below.

Remember: Say the word aloud, then say each letter aloud as you write it e.g. 'bride, b ... r ... i ... d ... e'

| A bride is a lac         | dy who is about          | to get married.                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| bride                    | bride                    |                                      |
| To <b>bribe</b> some     | one means to po          | ay him or her to do something wrong. |
| bribe                    | bribe                    |                                      |
| A paper plane v          | will <b>glide</b> throug | h the air.                           |
| glide                    | glide                    |                                      |
| To <b>stride</b> mear    | ns to walk confi         | dently.                              |
| stride                   | stride                   |                                      |
| Strife is anoth          | ier word for tro         | ouble or danger.                     |
| strife                   | strife                   |                                      |
| Strike is anoth          | ner word for hit         |                                      |
| strike                   | strike                   |                                      |
| A file is a tool         | you can use to l         | keep your fingernails smooth.        |
| file                     | file                     |                                      |
| In autumn you            | might see leave          | s swept into a <b>pile</b> .         |
| pile                     | pile                     |                                      |
| Vile means rea           | lly horrible.            |                                      |
| vile                     |                          |                                      |
| A <b>stile</b> is a gate | between two fie          | lds.                                 |
| stile                    | stile                    |                                      |
|                          |                          |                                      |

Now test yourself without looking at the words and check for yourself if you got them all right. Practice writing any words that you made mistakes on again.

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Try to spell each word without looking at it.

| is a lady who is about to get married.                 |
|--|
| someone means to pay him or her to do something wrong. |
| plane will through the air.                            |
| means to walk confidently.                             |
| _ is another word for trouble or danger.               |
| _ is another word for hit.                             |
| is a tool you can use to keep your fingernails smooth. |
| nn you might see leaves swept into a                   |
| _ means really horrible.                               |
| is a gate between two fields.                          |
|  |

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