

## Book 1: Reading and sorting words with 'ae' spellings

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a

a-e

ea

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sale

able

they

faint

great

late

lazy

tray

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break

flame

angel

day

pain

steak

mate

David

stay

trail

gray

making

drain

whale

spray

strain

blame

pray

brain

stain

frame

baby

clay

**Book 1: Comprehension 1****The troll – what's missing?**

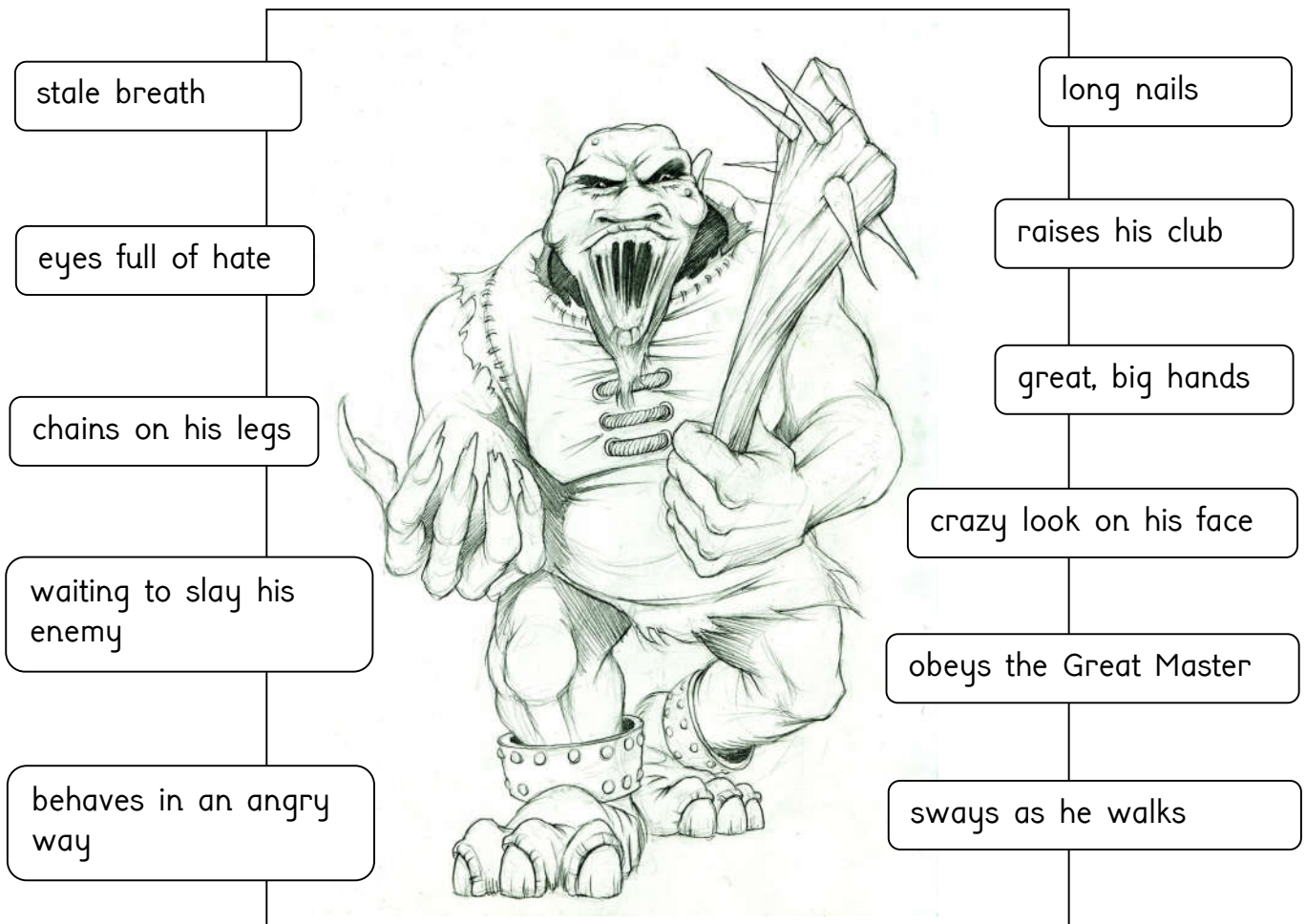
This troll is male. His name is Slobber. He has a crazy look of hate on his face. He has chains on his legs. He has long nails. He stinks. He has stale breath. He behaves in an angry way. He has a club in his hand. He raises it to slay his enemy. He obeys the Great Master.



Read the text above. Spot what is missing from the picture. Add it to the picture. For students who enjoy drawing, photocopy the text without the picture. Ask them to read the passage and draw a picture that fits the description. This sheet may be photocopied by the purchaser. © Phonic Books Ltd 2014

# Book 1: Writing

## The troll – what is he like?



Describe the troll.

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## Book 1: Comprehension 2

### Trolls – true or false?

Trolls are scary creatures from Nordic fairy tales. In these tales, some trolls are big, ugly and savage. They can have tusks, a tail or one eye. Other trolls can be very small and live in big families. Trolls can also look like wild humans. They can be men or women. Trolls live under the ground in hills or in caves. In some tales, they can shape shift and change into a cat or a dog or a log or a tree. In the stories, trolls always steal. Sometimes they steal food from the table. Sometimes they will steal a new baby. They may leave a baby troll in the cradle in its place. People always blamed trolls for bringing bad luck.

#### Is it true?

	yes	no
Trolls come from English fairy tales.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trolls are always big and ugly.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trolls live under the ground.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Some trolls can shape shift into a cat or a dog.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trolls steal pots and pans.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People said trolls made bad things happen.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Read the text. Then read the sentences below and put a check in the boxes according to whether they are true or false. This sheet may be photocopied by the purchaser.

### Book 1: 4-in-a-row game: 'ae'



Play with two sets of colored counters. Two players take turns to read the word and put a counter on the word. The winner is the first to get four of his or her counters in a row. The winner places a counter on a talisman. The game is played four times until all the talismans are covered. This sheet may be photocopied by the purchaser. © Phonic Books Ltd 2014