

Home learning spellings

Alternative 'a'

angel
bacon
lady
was
wanted
watching
made
came

This week you will be learning the alternative 'a' sound. You already know the letter 'a' can make an /a/ sound in 'hat' and an /ai/ sound in 'angel', 'bacon' and 'lady'.

Sometimes, the letter 'a' can also make an /ɔ/ sound in 'was', 'wanted' and 'watching'. Practise these alternative pronunciations using the activities on this week's weekly plan.

You also have 2 tricky words in your spellings to practise this week, 'made' and 'came'.

Dictation passage

Read the passage below a sentence at a time for your child to copy into their home spelling book.

The **angel** was **watching** when Jesus **was** born.
I **wanted** to eat some **bacon** but the **lady** had **made** me some soup.
My friend **came** and helped me wash my bike.