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Multisyllable Sorters Answer Key

ea: teacher, seawater, kneecap, greeting

ai: explain, rainbow, daytime, mountain

oa: coastline, roadside, goalie

ie: piece, goalie

Note: goalie contains both oa and ie and can fit either category depending on instructional focus.

Teacher's Guide

- Review each vowel pattern and model how to locate it inside **multisyllabic words** by clapping syllables and scanning each part.
- Support learners by highlighting or underlining the vowel patterns in the word list before they sort.
- Challenge advanced students by adding two or three extra multisyllabic words of their own that fit each pattern.
- Extend learning by having students choose two sorted words and use them in complete sentences, paying attention to spelling and syllable structure.