

# Vowel Sounds

The vowels are:

A(a)

E(e)

I(i)

O(o)

U(u)

Vowels have short (as in bat) and long (as in bath) sounds.

A vowel sound may be written using letters and letter clusters such as:

**(a)** ai – ay – ey – a

**(e)** ee – ey – i – ea – e

**(i)** i – ie – y – ei

**(o)** o – ow – o-e

**(u)** u – ew – ue – ough