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# Vowel Diphthongs: OY

A *diphthong* is a combination of two letters that produces a complex vowel sound.

**Example: OY makes the sound in toy.**

**Part 1.** Finish the sentences with one of the words below.

joyful	royal	enjoy	loyal	boy	annoy	toy	cowboy
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- The queen led the \_\_\_\_\_ parade.
- Christmas is a \_\_\_\_\_ holiday!
- I \_\_\_\_\_ sleeping in late on Saturday.
- My dog is a \_\_\_\_\_ friend to me.
- My aunt had a new baby \_\_\_\_\_ last month.
- Sometimes my sister likes to \_\_\_\_\_ me while I am trying to do my homework.
- I found my old \_\_\_\_\_ truck that I played with when I was little.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ herds cattle by working on a ranch.

**Part 2.** Find and circle the words with the **OY** sound.

*The words could be horizontal or vertical.*

- boy
- joy
- soy
- decoy
- cowboy
- toy
- ahoy
- annoy

D O B H Y O Y N N S Y W  
 E O A S B Y Y H D O O O  
 C N T H W B N Y O C Y Y  
 O N O A Y O O O T O A J  
 Y B A J C O W B O Y S B  
 T Y C O O Y O O Y Y O O  
 O A H O Y B O Y N O Y Y  
 Y O O E O S B C N O T B  
 Y O N Y J Y E O Y Y J N  
 C O N C Y O B A Y B A H  
 S A A N N O Y N C T B Y  
 J O Y Y B Y Y J Y C Y W



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