

Names the five vowels A, E, I, O, U.

Strategy A is best for learning to name the vowels, but B helps a child learn short & long vowel sounds.

A.) Make hand letters of a, e, i, o, u while singing a vowel song. The hand motions are excellent ways to teach with movement. Movement engages more areas of the brain and helps a child retain knowledge. Practice the motions a few of times with your child and soon they will be making, and naming, the vowels all by themselves.

The GOAL now is for the child to name the 5 vowels, not the vowel sounds.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K9BMTav-n24>

This rockin' song focuses on learning to name the 5 vowels:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xuNhrogY-Mo>

B.) Listen to the catchy tune of this Vowel Song to practice the vowel sounds. This song helps teach the both long & short vowel sounds.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ml6xYqYLb3E&feature=related>