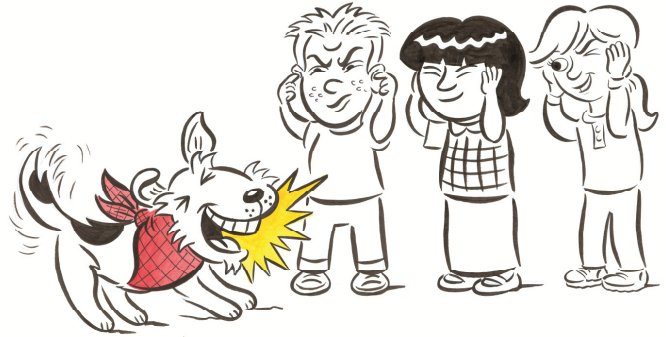


Phonics: *oy* and *oi*

Read each word. Then write the word in the correct column.



foil

loyal

roil

ahoy

coy

soil

joy

joint

boil

toy

royal

spoil

“oy” words

“oi” words

For Teachers:

Chaucer's Vocabulary Challenge!

We love learning new words here at The Armarium Press – and so do the kids who “test” our Chaucer worksheets! After we helped them look up the words *coy* and *roil* during this exercise, they came up with the illustrative examples.

coy – adjective. Pretending to be shy. *Some dogs may seem shy when you meet them. If the dog is a terrier, though, he's probably just coy – pretending to be sweet and quiet so you won't be prepared when he jumps up and snarfs your sandwich.*

roil – verb. To stir up a liquid that has dirt at the bottom and make it cloudy. *When those dogs jumped into the pond, the water roiled with the mud from the bottom.*