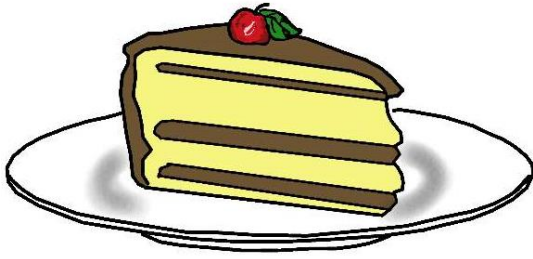


A Birthday Cake

Long a-silent e (a as in name)



_____’s birthday is today. She is 40 years old! She wants a party and a birthday cake. She calls her friends and tells them to come over at 7 PM. Then she goes to the store and gets a cake mix and frosting. She will make her own birthday cake. It will take 2-3 hours. The shape of the cake will be round. It will have 2 layers with frosting in the middle. It will have lots of frosting on the outside. It will have 4 candles — one for every 10 years of her life. She will blow out the 4 candles and make a wish!

Word Study: Students underline each "Long a"

then sort all words into verbs, nouns, and other

"Long a"



name

Sound out

Remember

cake, cakes

birthday, birthdays

make, makes

party, parties

take, takes

frosting

shape, shapes

layer, layers

candle, candles

blow, blows

Sentence Writing: When is your birthday? Write a sentence.

Ex. My birthday is on September first.

1. _____