

Long U

1st Grade

The long u sound — the letter simply says its own name.



says its name: U

HOW IT HAPPENS

cube — the e on the end makes the u say its name.

READ THESE

cube · blue · fruit
tube · few · music

SHORT OR LONG?

bug is short. cube is long. Same letter, two jobs.

If the vowel says its own name, it is long. That is the entire test.