



Hey, Tiger! The Silent E Song

(Song found in Destination Reading Course I, Unit 8, Activity 2)

Hey Tiger, Tiger, Tiger! What are you doing in the Silent E Tree?

Tiger, Tiger, Tiger! Hey, what's up with those E's anyway?

What's that Tiger doing in that tree? Prowling around with the Silent E's.

Throwing E's around to make new words. Now the vowels make different sounds.



Look at that *cap*, it's now a *cape*. Now he's turned *tap* into *tape*.
With that *kit*, he's now made a *kite*. Watch him turn *bit* into *bite*.
Don't look now, but *not* is now *note*. That the tiger's mommy wrote.
Look at that *can*, it's now a *cane*. What's going on? Let me explain!

Silent E's at the end of the word, it makes no sound,

But it makes the vowel stuck in the middle

Sound like A, E, I, O, or U!

So, what's that Tiger doing in that tree? He's changing words with the Silent E's!

Throwing E's around to make new words. Now the vowels make different sounds!

Ha Haa!

