

## 6 Syllable Types

### CLOSED

$\check{v}c$

at

only 1  
vowel

pig

SHORT vowel  
sound

nest

ends in 1 or more  
consonants

### OPEN

$\bar{v}$

mee

only 1  
vowel

no

LONG vowel  
sound

shy

ends in that  
vowel

### VOWEL- CONSONANT-E

$\bar{v}c\epsilon$

ate

vowel +  
consonant + 'e'

pine

LONG vowel  
sound

hope

'e' is silent

### VOWEL TEAM

$\bar{v}v$

$\bar{v}v$

team

2 vowels  
= 1 sound

boat

digraph

moon

diphthong

### R-CONTROLLED

$v_r$

car

1 vowel  
followed by 'r'

born

'r' changes  
sound of vowel

first

vowel not  
long or short

### CONSONANT-LE

- $c\epsilon$

lit

closed

• tle

consonant  
+ le

ta•bl•e

open

ALWAYS final syllable;  
'e' is silent