

Odd One Out Spellings

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'ie' Word	Why is it the odd one out?
lie thief tie	It is the odd one out because...
cried dried tie	It is the odd one out because...
chief field shield	It is the odd one out because...
thief chief tried	It is the odd one out because...

Challenge Task

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Can you draw a picture to go with this sentence?

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'ie' Word	Why is it the odd one out?
lie thief tie	It is the odd one out because... <i>'ie' is making the /ee/ sound not /igh/</i>
cried dried tie	It is the odd one out because... <i>the 'ie' is at the end of the word</i>
chief field shield	It is the odd one out because... <i>this word does not rhyme with shield and field</i>
thief chief tried	It is the odd one out because... <i>'ie' is making the /igh/ sound not /ee/</i>

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mischief

piece

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