

## Spelling list: -ain saying /in/

In these words the final syllable has a weak sound, a bit like /in/. This sound is often spelled *ain* .

bargain	My new camera was a real <b>bargain</b> .
captain	The <b>captain</b> remained on his wrecked ship.
certain	Jacob was <b>certain</b> he knew his spellings.
chaplain	If you're worried, why not speak to the <b>chaplain</b> ?
chieftain	He was the <b>chieftain</b> of the tribe.
curtain	There are cobwebs all over the <b>curtain</b> .
fountain	There is a <b>fountain</b> in the middle of the park.
mountain	You can see for miles from the <b>mountain</b> ridge.
plantain	Would you like some <b>plantain</b> and ice cream?
porcelain	He served the tea in <b>porcelain</b> cups.
villain	The film's hero killed the <b>villain</b> .
Britain	The wren is one of the smallest birds in <b>Britain</b> .