

Rather Be – Clean Bandit / Monster - Eminem

This activity is taken from Ten Years of The Tune Into English Roadshow and was presented in 2014-2015. "Stage directions" are on the left, the spoken words are on the right.

Show the next slide bit by bit as you speak.
Reveal the words be, bee and Bea.

Reveal the words to complete the sentence.

This is Princess Bea!

Be – bee – Bea....

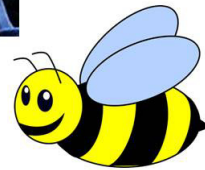
Would you like to be Princess Bea?

I wouldn't... In fact, I'd rather be a bee than Princess Bea!

Princess Bea



I'd rather be
a bee
than Princess Bea



Play an extract from **Rather Be** by **Clean Bandit** (2014), with lyrics projected.
A reference to the metalanguage Second Conditional is also on the slide.

Show the next slide bit by bit as you speak.

And today, here in *Naples*, there is no place I'd rather be!

These three words are all pronounced /bi:/ (although in Italian Bea is pronounced /beia/)

be – bee - Bea

/bi:/

/beia/

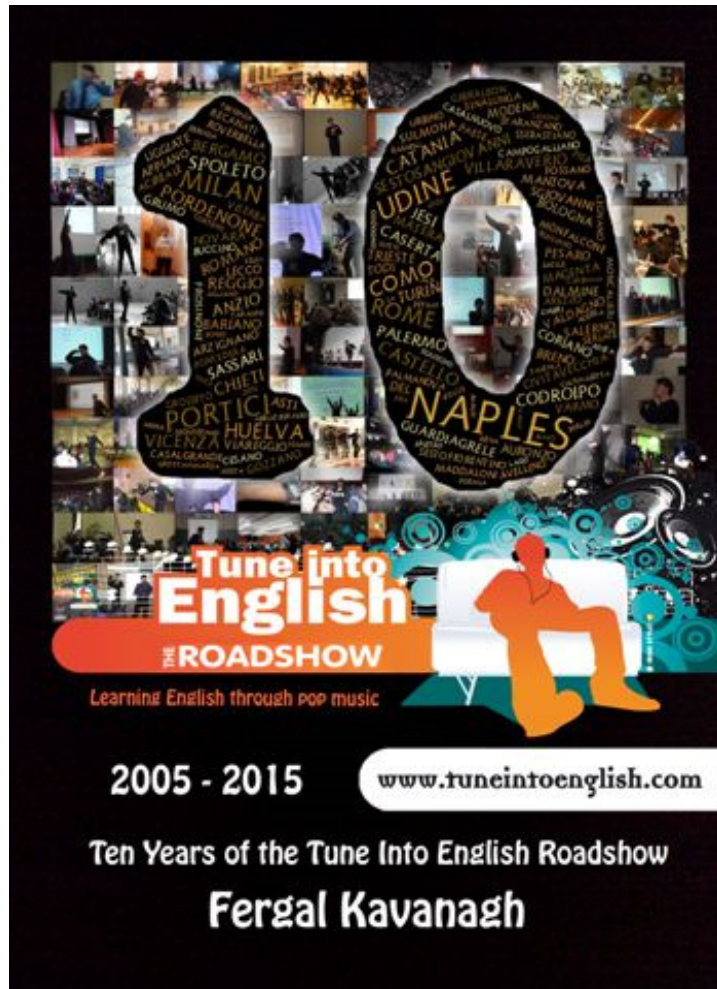
ea

/i:/

/e/

Play **Monster** by **Eminem and Rihanna** (2013), with lyrics projected – the words 'head' and 'breath' are highlighted.

The letters 'ea' together can be pronounced /i:/ or /e/ - in the next song, in which way are they pronounced?



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