

English sounds

For first and second year students

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Consonant Sounds

Voiceless Consonant sounds

.Pronounced without the vibration of the vocal cords

/pot , happy , map **1-/p**

{ **Notice** : The letter (p) is silent in : { cupboard , psychology , receipt*

.The letter (ph)are pronounced /p/ in **shepherd** *

./The letter (ph) in { nephew } are pronounced /v/ or /f*

. **t/** tea , unity , talk , title , lift , stopped/**-2**

{ **The suffix (ed) is pronounced / t/ after { p, s, ch, k, f, sh**

. Ex : hoped , ached , laughed , passed , wished , watched

(The suffix (ed) is pronounced /id/ after (t, d*

. Ex: waited , decided , nodded , lifted

/carried , buried , hatred , naked , scared , wicked , ragged , wretched =/id*

/The suffix (ed) is pronounced /d*

. Ex: moved , suffered , raised , pleased , cried , played , travelled

: The letter /t/ is silent in*

a-Listen , fasten , often ,soften.

b-Castle , whistle , postpone , wrestle.

. **c-**Christmas , watch , catch

/k/-3

a- keep , look , market
fix , expand , extra
quit , queen
character , cholera, occupy .
picnic

b- box ,
c-quite , quick ,
d-school , chemist ,
e-accident , car , clinic ,

{ k/ is silent in { known , knight , kneel/ *

/f/-4

a-for , roof , off , offer
b-phone , elephant , photograph .
c-tough , laughter , rough , cough , laugh

/ / -5

a-thin , think , thank , through , theory , thousand , theme.
Healthy , wealthy , athlete
both , breath , health , mouth , wealth , clothe

b-
c-bath ,

/s/-6

. **a-**set , answer , pass , wants , gas
. **b-**box , fix, fox, ox, expand , exclude
. **c-**city , center, cylinder

. **ancient , conscience , commercial , official , special , ocean , appreciate , special***

. **The suffix (s) or (es) are pronounced***

(s/ after (p, t , k , , f/-1

Ex : wipes , hates , takes , months , laughs

() , () ,(iz/ after (s,z/2

Ex: buses , fezes , bushes , watches , villages , garages

. z/ goes , runs , boys , tries , refers , travels/-3

/ /-7

a-shirt , wish , cash

.b-action , attention , ratio

c-machine , chivalry , parachute

d-partial , essential , influential

. e-permission , depression , expansion , mission

f-special , official , conscious , commercial .

.g-patient , ocean , luxury

/ /-8

a-cheep , chest , charity , char , fetch , child

b-picture , future , adventure , capture

/h/-9

. a-help , health , behind , behave , whose , heater , whom , who

hour , honest , whale , wheel , ghost , wheat , where , when , wheat , vehicle , oh ,*

. ah

. **Ex 1** : write the number of the item and the letter of the **given** sound

h/ a- oh b-hat c-hour d- honest/-1

a-culture b- machine c- ancient d- ache / /-2

ks/ a-exact b-expect c- exist d-exile/-3

t/ a-sailed b-faced c-raised d-oiled/-4

p/ a-elephant b-shepherd c-phrase d- geography/-5

id/ a-replaced b-carried c-aimed d-happened/-6

k/ a-know b-chemistry c-city d-character/-7

a-though b-thought c-although d-smooth / /-8

f/ a-through b-weigh c-enough d- high/-9

s/ a- rose b-please c-base d- lives/-10

Ex 2: Write the number of the item and the word that has a **different sound** from the ones . whose symbol is given

t/ a-roofed b-whistle c-helped d-looked/-1

f/ a-cough b-shepherd c-asphyxia d-phone/-2

h/ a-house b-vehicle c-who d-prohibit/-3

a-solution b-nature c-clutch d-merchant / /-4

a-healthy b-leather c- bath d-third / /-5

a-social b-ancient c-mansion d-division / /-6

k/ a-character b-Knob c-headache d-calculator/-7

p/ a-paragraph b-prophet c-photograph d-shepherd/-8

s/ a-gas b-pass c-obtuse d-these/-9

Voiced consonant sounds

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/b/-1

a- buy , bye , able ,obtained , stable , rob

b- climb , dump , lamb , limb , thump , bomb

c- plumber , debt, doubt

(d-* b is pronounced in (ambulance , number , humble , stumble

/d/-2

a-do , deal , dine , lender , under , begged

b-bridge , edge , judge , lodge

c-handsome , handkerchief , sandwich

/g/-3

a-go , ago , again , game , bagger , regard

b-exact , example , anxiety , exist

{ c-the letter (g) is silent in { sign , resign , design, foreign

d-resignation , signature

/v/-4

a- of , every , very , save , caves , navy , provide , nephew , dive , love , ivory

/z/-5

a-zoo , ooze ,lazy , gaze ,razor
b-use , rose , compose , cause , please , hose
c-busy , noisy , rosy , wisdom, does , those
d-believes , runs , loves , beds , ladies
e- exact , anxiety , example , examination

/ /-6

a-pleasure , treasure , measure
b-television , division , provision , decision
c-usual , casual , exposure
d-garage , mirage , rouge , prestige

/ /-7

a-job , jump , justice , jungle , major , juice
b-cage , stage , manage , savage , heritage
(c-(garage , mirage , rouge , prestige
(d-region , origin , logic , engine, engineer , (gentle , gem , germ
e-apology , elegy , technology , gypsy
f-sandwich , spinach , educate , individual, soldier

/m/-8

a-move , moon , fame , some , name , famine

/n/-9

a-now , soon , fine , noon , onion , turn , mine , dinner
b-autumn , column , damn , solemn , condemn

/ /-10

a-think , drink , sink , thank
b-sing , ring ,king , bring
c-English , distinguish , extinguish , angry , hunger
d-bring , sing , among , young
e-sink , ink , think , drinking , thinking
(f-*(concord , uncle , inquire , concrete

/r/-11

a-radio , reason , remind , remove , every , mirror , street
b-war , door , nor , far , star , park
c-care , compare , wire , whispered ,spare

/L/-12

a-look , like , late , lose , lemon, happily , noisily
b-milk , deal , feel , salt , world, travel
c-calm , palm , talk , could , would, should , half , halves

/w/-13

a-when , wood , wine , were , we , wear , wonder , sweet , swore
b-quick , queen , quantity , required , quite , quality
c-antique , mosque , cheque , unique , conquer
d-one , once , ones
: e-(w) is silent in
a-write , wrong , wrist , wrestle
b-sword , answer , ewe , whose , whole ,who, whom

/ /-14

a-yes , you , yet , yesterday , yellow
b-unity , union , university , ambulance , music , reduce , use , useful , stupid , cure ,
mule , pupil
c-few , new , nephew , steward , ewe

/ /-15

a-this , that , those , thought , although , without , than , smooth , worthy , soothing ,
. clothing , thus , breathe , bathe , with , clothes

Ex1 : Do as required

. Write the number of the item and the word that carries the **given sound**

a-legal b-slogan c-religion d-garden / / -1
z/ a-division b-expansion c-permission d-mission /-2
g/ a-revenge b-origin c-region d-beggar /-3
v/ a-off b-five c-fifty d-fan/-4
b/ a-dumb b-ambulance c-plumber d-doubt/-5
d/ a-laughed b-passed c-pleased d-looked/-6
id/ a-cooked b-talked c-asked d-wicked/-7

u/ a-own b-beware c-crown d-wrong/-8
 D/ a-single b-wind c-signal d-wig/-9
 a-just b-judget c-under d-cube / /-10
 r / a-heard b-hurt c-boring d-learn /-11
 L/ a-would b-palm c-halves d-world/-12
 a-English b-signature c-think d-single / /-13
 a-though b-breath c-wealth d-third / /-14
 g/ a-sight b-signal c-foreign d-design/-15
 z/ a-kidnaps b-helps c-players d-cooks/-16

.Ex 2 : Write the number of the item and the word that carries the **different sounds**

a-gold b-legal c-region d-slogan / /-1
 a-revenge b-average c-forget d-geometry / /-2
 a-unable b-unity c-universe d-tube / /-3
 a-though b-through c-smooth d-within / /-4
 b/ a-debt b-ambulance c-ebb d-number/-5
 L / a-walk b-world c-shoulder d-salt /-6
 d/ a-begged b-washed c-obeyed d-heard/-7
 r/ a-general b-area c-wrong d-father/-8
 z/ a-belts b-feels c-rings d-burns/-9
 iz/ a-maps b-boxes c-encourages d-wishes/-10