

LESSON 9

1. The Shorthand Principle for the sound of *th*
2. The Shorthand Principle for the sound of *sh*, *ch*, and *j*

SHORTHAND PRINCIPLE FOR THE Sound of *th*

th is represented by an upward sloping short curve, much like a curve t symbol. This symbol is called *th* ()

Example: these

TH Words

these

Keith

then, thin

Ruth

thick

smooth

math

truth

Smith

faith

SOUNDS OF SH, CH, AND J

sh, *ch* and *j* are represented by downward straight symbols differentiated by length.

sh _____ *ch* _____ *j* _____

SOUND OF SH

The sound of **sh** as in she is represented by a short downward straight symbol called ish.

Example: she

SH Words

she *d*

shape *þ*

show *c*

sure *n*

showed *✓*

issue *ʒ*

share *ɛ*

issued *ʒ✓*

shade *ʃ*

sheep *þ*