

# Pronunciation Guide

The phonemes (sounds) of Zdetl are differentiated and distinct and follow predictable patterns. Multiple vowels rarely appear together, and syllables consist of *Vowel* (V), *Consonant-Vowel* (CV), *Vowel-Consonant* (VC) or *Consonant-Vowel-Consonant* (CVC) groupings.

Words are accented, and the placement is usually predictable. The accent usually falls on the penultimate syllable. If the word is two syllables, the accent falls on the final. In the case of longer words there may be a secondary accent on the first syllable.

<b>Phoneme</b>	<b>Zdetl</b>	<b>English</b>	<b>IPA</b>
B	ᵇ	Boy	b
BL	ᵇᵇ	BLue	bl
BR	ᵇᵇ	BRown	br
CH	ᶲ	CHurch	tʃ
CHT	ᶲᶲ	whiCH Type	tʃt
D	ᵈ	Dog	d
DL	ᵈᵈ	HurDLе	dəl
DR	ᵈᵈ	DRain	dr
F	ᶑ	Fox	f
FL	ᶑᶑ	FLy	fl
FR	ᶑᶑ	FRed	fr
J	ᵈʒ	Jack	dʒ
JD	ᵈʒᵈ	charGED	dʒd
K	ᵏ	King	k
KL	ᵏᵏ	knuckLе	kəl
KR	ᵏᵏ	KRinkle	kr
L	ᵌ	Love	l
M	ᵐ	Mark	m
N	ᵐ	Nail	n
NCH	ᵐᶲ	fiNCH	ntʃ
NJ	ᵐᵈʒ	niNJа	ndʒ
NS	ᵐᵈʒ	oNCe	n(t)s
NSH	ᵐᶑ	uNSure	nʃ
NT	ᵐᵐ	paNT	nt
NTS	ᵐᶑ	paNTS	ntɕ
NZ	ᵐᵌ	caNS	nz
NZH	ᵐᵌ	eNGineer	n(d)ʒ
P	ᵑ	Pet	p
PL	ᵑᵑ	PLaid	pl
PR	ᵑᵑ	PRetty	pr
Q	ᵑᵌ	Gown	g
QL	ᵑᵌ	GLad	gl

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QR	𐌚	GRate	gr
R	𐌚	Raid	r
S	𐌚	Sing	s
SH	𐌚	SHut	ʃ
SHT	𐌚	iSHTar	ʃt
ST	𐌚	STop	st
T	𐌚	Tool	t
TL	𐌚	TLaloc	tl
TS	𐌚	CaTS	tʂ
V	𐌚	Victor	v
VL	𐌚	VLand	vl
VR	𐌚	Vroom	vr
Y	𐌚	Yellow	j
Z	𐌚	Zing	z
ZD	𐌚	maZDa	zd
ZH	𐌚	TreaSure	ʒ
ZHD	𐌚	ZHDant	ʒd

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A	𐌚	dOck	ɒ
E	𐌚	gEt	ɛ
I	𐌚	kIt	ɪ
IA	𐌚	YAnk	jæ
IE	𐌚	IAYer	eɪ
O	𐌚	gO	ʊ
R (semi)	𐌚	wORk	ɜː
' (glottal)	ˈ	botT'le	ʔ