



WORDS YOU MISPRONOUNCE

VOCABULARY LESSON

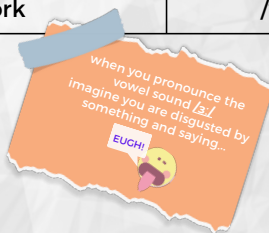


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Would you like to sound more native when you speak English? Well, then, you should definitely keep this PDF handy. This lesson will focus on how to pronounce words you most likely mispronounce. There will also be some tips to help you pronounce these words perfectly every time!

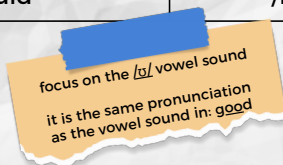
WORD, WORLD, WORK

Word	Pronunciation
word	/wɜːd/
world	/wɜːld/
work	/wɜːk/



WOULD, SHOULD, COULD

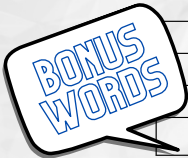
Word	Pronunciation
would	/wʊd/
should	/ʃʊd/
could	/kʊd/





WORDS WITH A SILENT "L"

Word	Pronunciation
salmon	/ˈsæmən/



almond	/ˈɑːmənd/
half	/hɑːf/
talk	/tɔːk/
walk	/wɔːk/

WORDS WITH HIDDEN SYLLABLES

Word	Pronunciation
vegetable	/ˈvedʒtəbl/
chocolate	/ˈtʃɒklət/
comfortable	/ˈkʌmftəbl/
library	/ˈlaɪbri/
jewellery	/ˈdʒuːəlri/ /ˈdʒuːlri/
parents	/ˈpeərənts/

focus on extending the /əə/ vowel sound
similar to:
hair, share, care, fair

business	/ˈbɪznəs/
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STUDY TIPS!

1. Practise today's pronunciation lesson by repeating the words in front of a mirror to see the shape of your mouth when pronouncing each vowel sound.
2. Record yourself speaking each word and listen back to my pronunciation.
3. Create sentences with each of the words and practise saying them aloud.



Quiz

1) Which word has the same vowel sound as: would

- a. could
- b. called
- c. food

2) Replace the underlined pronunciation transcript in the sentence with the correct word.

I can't go to the beach tomorrow because I have to go to /wɜ:k/.

- a. walk
- b. word
- c. work

3) Choose the correct pronunciation transcription for the underlined word.

She loves chocolate. She eats it every day!

- a. /vedʒtəbl/
- b. /tʃɒklət/
- c. /kʌmftəbl/

4) Which word has the same vowel sound as: word

- a. would
- b. could
- c. world

5) Replace the underlined pronunciation transcript in the sentence with the correct word.

Would you like to eat /sæmən/ for dinner tonight?

- a. salmon
- b. almond
- c. vegetable

6) Choose the correct pronunciation transcription for the underlined word.

Kristen will start a business when she graduates.

- a. /ɑ:mənd/
- b. /wɜ:k/
- c. /bɪznəs/

7) Which word has the same vowel sound as: talk

- a. work
- b. walk
- c. tell

8) Replace the underlined pronunciation transcript in the sentence with the correct word.

They /ʊd/ be on the desk in the study.

- a. would
- b. could
- c. should

1) a 2) c 3) b 4) c 5) a 6) c 7) b 8) c

The End