

The Sound Chart - Example Sentences

EXAMPLE			
Sound	Example Word	My Example Word	Sentence to Highlight the Sound
æ	hand		A2 wash your hands
			B2 don't bite the hand (that feeds you)

1. Word

Identify a word that models each sound. I have given you an example word that models the sound when I say the word. I have an Estuary English accent. If you pronounce that word in a different way you write another word to model the sound in the 'My Example Word' column.

2. Sentence

Write a sample 2- to 5-word expression or sentence for A2 learners and another for B2 learners that includes the word that models the sound. The words used in the A2 sentence should all be common, frequent words for a student in an A2 class. You could use a broader range of language for the B2 sample sentence. See the examples above.

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i:	teeth		A2
			B2
ɪə	ear		A2
			B2
u:	boot		A2
			B2
eɪ	face		A2
			B2
ɪ	chin		A2
			B2
ʊ	foot		A2
			B2
ɔɪ	coin		A2
			B2

eə	<u>hair</u>		A2	
			B2	
e	<u>leg</u>		A2	
			B2	
ʌ	<u>duck</u>		A2	
			B2	
ɜ:	<u>bird</u>		A2	
			B2	
aɪ	<u>bike</u>		A2	
			B2	
æ	<u>hand</u>		A2	
			B2	
ɒ	<u>sock</u>		A2	
			B2	
əʊ	<u>nose</u>		A2	
			B2	
ɑ:	<u>arm</u>		A2	
			B2	
aʊ	<u>cow</u>		A2	
			B2	
ɔ:	<u>fork</u>		A2	
			B2	
p	<u>pen</u>		A2	
			B2	
b	<u>bin</u>		A2	
			B2	
m	<u>man</u>		A2	
			B2	
f	<u>fish</u>		A2	

		B2	
v	<u>v</u> est	A2	
		B2	
t	<u>t</u> oe	A2	
		B2	
d	<u>d</u> oor	A2	
		B2	
n	<u>n</u> ote	A2	
		B2	
θ	<u>th</u> ink	A2	
		B2	
ð	<u>th</u> ere	A2	
		B2	
k	<u>k</u> ey	A2	
		B2	
g	<u>g</u> irl	A2	
		B2	
ŋ	<u>r</u> ing	A2	
		B2	
s	<u>s</u> un	A2	
		B2	
z	<u>z</u> ip	A2	
		B2	
l	<u>l</u> eaf	A2	
		B2	
r	<u>r</u> at	A2	
		B2	
h	<u>h</u> at	A2	
		B2	

ʃ	<u>shoe</u>		A2	
			B2	
ʒ	television		A2	
			B2	
w	<u>watch</u>		A2	
			B2	
j	<u>year</u>		A2	
			B2	
? (tʃ)	<u>button</u>		A2	
			B2	
tʃ	<u>chair</u>		A2	
			B2	
dʒ	<u>jam</u>		A2	
			B2	

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