

Outcomes	Elementary – Pronunciation 1
	Sounds in English

A 🎧 Listen and repeat the words and consonant sounds.

/θ/ south	/f/ free	/p/ pen	/t/ take	/tʃ/ chat	/s/ sit	/ʃ/ she	/k/ car
/ð/ the	/v/ live	/b/ big	/d/ bed	/dʒ/ job	/z/ trees	/ʒ/ Asia	/g/ go
/h/ he	/m/ man	/n/ nice	/l/ like	/ŋ/ long	/r/ read	/w/ walk	/j/ yes

B Work in pairs. Say each word and consonant sound again. Circle the sounds that you think you have in your language.

C Work in pairs. Say the sounds with a circle again. Do you use your tongue, lips or the top of your mouth to make each sound?

Vowel sounds

There are **twelve** single vowel sounds and **eight** vowels with two sounds. All are in the first units of this book, except one.

D 🎧 Listen and repeat the words and vowel sounds.

/i:/ eat	/ɪ/ fit	/ʊ/ good	/u:/ food
/e/ bed	/ə/ river	/ɜ:/ work	/ɔ:/ sport
/æ/ bad	/ʌ/ fun	/ɑ:/ art	/ɒ/ boss
/eɪ/ great	/aɪ/ write	/ɪə/ here	/eə/ where
/aʊ/ town	/ɔɪ/ boy	/əʊ/ go	/ʊə/ pure

E Work in pairs. Try to say these words.

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| 1 /pɑ:k/ | 5 /bɔ:d/ | 9 /mʌðə/ |
| 2 /ʃɒp/ | 6 /lʌŋʃ/ | 10 /bɪzɪ/ |
| 3 /mi:t/ | 7 /nju:z/ | 11 /rɪlæks/ |
| 4 /waɪf/ | 8 /brekfəst/ | 12 /steɪfnz/ |

F 🎧 Listen and check.