Phonetics: Exercises

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Intro to Lx
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Write graphically (alphabetically)

- [æksent]
- [kla:s]
- [gruːp]
- [ax(r)]
- [siː]
- ◆ [juːz]
- ◆ [meθəd]

- [duːɪŋ]
- [ga:dn]
- [laːdʒ]
- [big]

• [lpt]

• [meni]

• [hæv]

◆ [SAM]

• [givn]

• [ækʃn]

• [di:1]

• [njuː]

• [di:1]

- [∧p]
- [rpk]
- [∧ðə(r)]
- [bi:n]/ [bɪn]
- [ðeə(r)]

- [wi:k]
- [stron]
- [lɪft]
- [aɪbraʊ]

 Write the number of letters and the number of sounds in these words:

- tough
- physical
- Pneumonia
- wring
- lecture
- wreck
- signature

- special
- knee
- knigth
- comb
- wrap

Transcribe phonetically

a. something

b. known

c. thief

d. person

e. people

f. form

g. planet

h. light

i. sun

j. star

k. gas

1. air

m. we

n. job

a.	Someting:	[samuin]	h.	Light:	[laɪt]
b.	known:	[nəʊn]	i.	Sun:	[SAN]
c.	Thief:	$[\theta i:f]$	j.	Star:	[stax(r)]
d.	Person:	[pa:sn]	k.	Gas:	[gæs]
e.	People:	[pi:pl]	1.	Air:	[ea(r)]
f.	form:	[fa:m]	m.	We:	[wiː]
g.	Planet:	[plænɪt]	n.	Job:	[dgpb]

• Using the IPA symbols, provide 1 example for each type of consonants:

•	bil	lal	bial	• • •	• • • •	 	•	•	• •	 •

- alveolar.....
- labio-dental
- palatal
- inter-dental
- glottal
- velar.....

Transcribe the vowels in the following words:

Bring, strong, car, port, allow, appear, company, bomb, day, shout, fire, purple, face, turn, move, chair, seat, leg, sit, cream, men, best, was, end, meet, hear, part, hear, could

Group these words following the place of articulation of their initial consonants.

• Flood, yoga, plane, yield, church, ground, cook, jug, train, crime, job, root, charming, yeast, slim, pray, night, yearly, mild, ginger, Latin, throne, queen, ceremony, file, dictionary.

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What is the nature of the diphthongs in the following words?

Boy, fear, care, coat, dry, count, advise, take, buy, arrow, ally, annoy, hair, poor, size, year, power, proud, pure, duty, eye, bear, cure, scarce, fierce, voice, time, pain, house, loud, home, private, space, proud, air, nice, near, here, stay, fly, die.

Write the IPA symbol for the initial sound in each of the following words:

• psychology	◆ knee
knowledge	• pseudonyme
◆ honest	◆ though
• chemistry	• wrong
♦ physics	• Wrap

- * Transcribe the following words and group them into classes following their vowels.
- Word cup how said hear sea float ash foot blow first glance dare wash pool sign cream walk pill

- Are there any similarities between:
- [a] & [a]
- [aɪə] & [aʊə]
- ◆ [1] & [J]
- [?] & [h]
- [tʃ] & [dʒ]
- [m] & [p]