

A B C D E F G

H I J K L M N

O P Q R S T

U V W X Y Z


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? , ' ' ' | 2 3

4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Sounds	Verbal Cue	Visual and Tactile Cues
p b	Put your lips together, then puff Same, but use your voice	/p/ -Make a fist & pop it open forward /b/-Same as p, but use both hands (Boo!)
t d	Tap the tip of your tongue behind your top teeth Same, but use your voice	/t/ make a "T" with hands -timeout /d/ Make a 'd' with index finger beside mouth. Keep thumb and other fingers together. Move finger slightly forward as you make the sound.
k  g	Open mouth, keep your tongue down, make sound in your throat Same, but use your voice	/k/ -Cutting motion with fingers (scissors) or pretend to "cough" into hand arm Touch throat for the /g/ sound-"drinking sound"
f v	Put your top teeth on your bottom lip and blow Same, but use your voice	/f/ -Flutter fingers in front of mouth as you blow /v/ - Make a "V" on your throat
s z	"snake sound" Smile, keep your teeth together, then blow "buzz" sound, teeth together, use your voice.	/s/ -Move index finger down arm to represent continuous flow of air /z/ -Make a Z in the air with you finger Like a bee flying and buzzing
ch j	Pucker your lips, put your tongue behind your top teeth Same as ch sound, but with voice	/ch/ - chug" "chug" with motion for pulling the train whistle /j/ -"Jump" 2 fingers in the palm of your hand
th	Put your tongue between your teeth and blow	Use a mirror Hold up your thumb
sh	"quiet sound" pucker your lips and blow	/sh/ - Index finger in front of mouth Shhhhh
h	open mouth, breath	Hand in front of your mouth (like smelling your breath)
m	"yummy sound" Keep your mouth closed, make the sound in your nose	Touch side of nose Rub tummy
n	Tongue behind teeth, make the sound in your nose	Touch side of nose – feel vibrations
l	Put your tongue behind your teeth. Start the sound in your throat. Do not move your jaw.	Make an "L" with thumb and index finger Start with index finger at throat and rotate wrist forward and up
r	Pull your tongue up and back with voice on (growl sound)	Make claw with hand
w	Pucker your lips, use your voice	Sign for W on chin (Also the sign for water)
y	Make an e sound, then let it go	Make a karate chop motion

Vowels have two sounds.

A

Long "A" sounds like the letter name.

Short "A" – Pretend you are holding an apple and going to take a big bite.

E

Long "E" sounds like the letter name.

Short "E" – Hold open hand to ear and tilt head (like you didn't hear well.)

I

Long "I" sounds like the letter name.

Short "I" – Scratch the back of your hand (Itchy)

O

Long "O" sounds like the letter name.

Short "O" - fist in front of open mouth (like you are holding a microphone)

U

Long "U" – Push away with your hand as if you don't like something

Short "U" – Hit your stomach with your fist