

Beginner lessons for Pronunciation

Master English Pronunciation with Simple Beginner Lessons

DEFINITION

Pronunciation is how we say words correctly in English. It involves sounds, stress, and intonation.

KEY CONCEPTS

Vowel Sounds

Vowel sounds are the core sounds in words, like 'a', 'e', 'i', 'o', and 'u'.

Consonant Sounds

Consonants are the sounds made by blocking airflow, like 'b', 'c', and 'd'.

Word Stress

Word stress is the emphasis placed on certain syllables in words, changing their meaning.

Intonation

Intonation is the rise and fall of voice pitch in sentences, indicating questions or statements.

Syllable Division

Syllable division helps break words into manageable parts for easier pronunciation.

EXAMPLES

- cat vs. cut
- record (noun) vs. record (verb)
- photograph vs. photography

MEMORY TIPS