

International Phonetic Alphabet Symbols

Vowels

/ɪ/	pin, English, business	/ʌ/	cut, come, mother
/e/	bed, head, bury, exit	/ɜ:/	girl, burn, word, heard
/æ/	cat, bag, apple, black	/ɑ:/	car, art, heart, half
/ə/	the, a, woman, banana	/ɔ:/	or, board, door, small
/ʊ/	look, put, could, cushion	/ɪ:/	sea, bee, people, receive
/ɒ/	clock, what, because	/u:/	too, blue, fruit, fool

Diphthongs

/eɪ/	take, pay, wait, ballet	/aʊ/	round, renown, doubt
/aɪ/	five, sigh, height, buy	/ɪə/	here, deer, dear, fierce
/ɔɪ/	noise, boy, lawyer	/eə/	care, air, mayor, prayer
/əʊ/	no, road, sew, broken	/ʊə/	poor, insure, tour, moor

Consonants

/p/	play, stop, speak, power	/ʒ/	genre, measure, vision
/b/	bad, baby, big, object	/h/	hot, hair, whole, whose
/t/	ten, later, little, pot	/m/	moon, lamp, lamb
/d/	day, advice, bed	/n/	can, snow, pneumonia
/k/	character, quick, taxi	/ŋ/	string, singer, tongue
/g/	got, exam, ignore, finger	/tʃ/	chair, match, future
/f/	food, laugh, telephone	/dʒ/	just, general, age, soldier
/v/	vain, over, Stephen	/l/	look, small, bottle, isle
/θ/	thin, earth, method, both	/r/	real, train, wrong, write
/ð/	they, father, breathe, with	/j/	yes, Europe, university
/s/	small, since, scene, psalm	/w/	window, twin, quick, why
/z/	zoo, goes, xenophobe		
/ʃ/	shell, nation, machine		