



**Basic IPA Vowels and Characters with English Translations**  
(note special consonants)

Vowels	English	Diphthongs	English	Consonants	English
a	Father	eɪ	Day, Pain	tʃ	Chair, Nature, Teach
ɪ	Sit	aɪ	My, Wise	dʒ	Joy, Edge
i	See	ɔɪ	Boy	θ	Thing, Teeth
e	Say	oʊ	No, Tow	ð	This, Breathe
ε	Bed	aʊ	Now	ʃ	She, Sure, Rmotion,
ɜ̃	Bird	ɪɪ	Near, Here	ʒ	Pleasure, Beige
æ	Had	εɪ	Hair, There	ŋ	Singer, Ring
ʌ	Run, Enough	ʊɪ	Tour	ɹ	Run, Very
ɑ	Not, Wasp	ju	Pupil	j	Yes
ɔ	Law				
ʊ	Put, Look				
u	Soon, Through				
ə	About				
æ	River				