

Answers to Lessons 3

Exercise 1

The words containing the sound /p/ are:

painter, sprayed, pink, paint, puzzle, polish, pronunciation, practise, patiently, sip, soup, cup, Peter, lips, please, pack, pound, potatoes, Polly, prize, triple, hopping, skipping, jumping

Exercise 2

The letter 'p' is silent in these words: cupboard, receipt.

Exercise 3

The words containing the sound /b/ are:

baby, blocks, beautiful, building, buy, bottle, black, bazaar, borrow, books, buy, baked, beans, bread, breakfast, club, members, bills, by, February.

Exercise 4

The sound /t/ is produced by letters 't', 'tt' and 'ed'.

Exercise 5

The words containing the sound /t/ are:

at, time, must, tense, tattered, coat, took, twenty, minutes, to, stitched, it's, time, set, out, tour, Fatty, Twinkle, Teddy, favourite, toy, put, it, past, perfect, tense, don't, try, to, touch, hot, pot, laughed, talked, watched, together, pretty, teenager, attracted, lot, attention, at, party.

Exercise 6

The sound of /t/ is silent in the following words: castle, Christmas, whistle, fasten

Exercise 7

The words ending with the sound /d/ are: bad, pod, sad, bread, blade, behind, hand, pleased, ground, called, sinned and shrugged.

Exercise 8

Words ending with sound /t/	Preceding consonant	Word ending with sound /d/	Preceding consonant
asked, helped, attacked talked, watched wished, slipped, laughed, missed	k, p, ch, sh, gh (f), s	begged, filled, shared, bathed, dragged, rubbed kneeled, loved judged hummed, pinned	g, l, r, th, b, v, dg, m, n

Exercise 9

The words containing the sound /d/ are:

He'd, dried, dahlia, and, dog, seeds, garden, don't, add, dollars, pounds, directly, dye, dress drip, dry, shade, do dance, Fridays, I'd, bad, day, Delhi, yesterday.

Exercise 10

The different spellings of the sound /k/ are: k, c, ch, q, cc, ck.

Exercise 11

In these words the sound /k/ is silent.

It is so when the letter 'k' is followed by the letter 'n'.

Exercise: 12

The words containing the sound /k/ are:

quality, cakes, bakery, quite, strikers, work, factory, can't, drink, cold, coffee, because, caught, Kamal, kicked, back, court, cut, cabbages, cauliflowers, carrots, capsicum, baked, cricket, cup, attracted, controversy, keep, quiet, calm, class, discussion.

Exercise 13

Word containing the letter 'g' pronounced as /g/	Word containing the letter 'g' pronounced as /dʒ/
girl, gun give, glass guest, gaze, gate, gallant, game, gain, God, Geography, sag, guard jungle, dagger.	ginger, gym, gingerbread, giraffe gesture, general, generation, gem, gene suggest, budge, George, Geography.

Exercise 14

Words which contain /g/ sound are:

holding, long, string, get, grass, goat, beggar, gave, luggage, got, bag, great, struggle, garbage, garnished, garlic.

The words which contain the letter 'g' which it is pronounced as /dʒ/ are: George, luggage, garbage, ginger.

Exercise 15

a. The sound 'ch' occurs of in the beginning of the following words: chair, chain, chew, choose, chick, cheese, charming, cheerful.

b. The sound 'ch' occurs in the middle of the words in the following words: feature, reaching, riches, archery, watchman, furniture, nature, picture, suggestion, question.

c. The sound 'ch' occurs at the end of the words in the following words: catch, watch, match, peach, bench, march, research, teach, speech.

Exercise 16

The letters used to produce the consonant sound /tʃ/ are: ch, tu, tch, tio.

Exercise: 17

The words containing the sound /tʃ/ are:

children, choose, chips, sandwiches, ketchup, chapatti ,chutney, watchdog, cheerfully, charming,

speech, researcher, chased, chickens, bench, chairperson, cherry, question, furniture, match, teacher, watched, children, beach

Exercise 18

In the words of set 1 the consonant sound /dʒ/ occurs in the beginning.

In the words of set 2 the consonant sound /dʒ/ occurs in the middle.

In the words of set 3 the consonant sound /dʒ/ occurs at the end.

Exercise 19

The letters 'j, g, dg, d' are used to produce the sound /dʒ/.

Exercise 20

The words containing the sound /dʒ/ are:

jam, ginger, fridge, Janki, Geography, January, soldier, juice, gentleman, joined, jumped, bridge, gorgeous, orange, jacket.

Exercise 21

The spellings which are used to produce the sound /f/ are: f, ph, gh.

Exercise 22

The words which contain the sound /f/ are: 1955, flora, fauna, of, wildlife, finest, photographs, forests, life, fodder, for, fuel, fresh, fruits, food, floods, rough.

Exercise 23

The words which contain the sound /v/ are:

vegetables, every, veins, very, visitors, visit, votes, revolution, given, five, expensive, vases, vision

Exercise 24

The words containing the /f/ sound are: fridge, roof, fur, raft, refresh, half, enough, laugh, photo.

The words containing the /v/ sound are: voice, level, victory, revolution, vision, love, behaviour, five.

Exercise 25

The words containing the /θ/ sound are: thermometer, mouth, teeth, thread, thumbs, health, three, months, theatre, birth, panther, athlete, breath, through, thick.

Exercise 26

The words containing the /ð/ sound are: the, father, with, leather, this, that, although, weather, they, feathers, bathing, brothers, without.

Exercise 27

The words containing the /θ/ sound are: thank, thought, through, three, think, thin, breath, faithful, toothless, authority.

The words containing the /ð/ sound are: the, this, with, those, brother, these, though, there, breathing, without, mother.

Exercise 28

The words containing the /s/ sound are: keeps, utensils, sink, seal, sea, circle, soup, steaming, postman, parcel, policeman, crossing, whistle.

Exercise 29

The different letters producing /s/ sound are: s, x, ss, c, and sc.

Exercise 30

The words containing /z/ sound are: zebra, enclosed, cages, zoo, rose, flowers, cloves, always, hands, meals, rising, hills, bazaar, closed, Tuesdays.

Exercise 31

The words containing the /s/ sound are: sign, slow, price, cats, sweet, sleep, peace, fence, niece, lacy, ice, false.

The words containing /z/ sound are: rings, rise, bags, lungs, peas, fans, knees, lazy, eyes, falls, buttons, bottles.

Exercise 32

The different combinations of letters used for the sound /ʃ/ are: 'sh', 'ss', 'ti', and 's'.

Exercise 33

The words containing /s/ sound are: school, case, bus, box, pass.

The words containing /ʃ/ sound are: shoe, shine, flash, permission, cash, mission.

The words containing /z/ sound are: breeze, easy, closes, pauses.

Exercise 34

The words containing the /s/ sound are: caps, pets, kicks, puffs, berths, deaths.

The words containing the /z/ sound are: pens, dams, songs, crabs, beds, mugs, wolves, breathes, clothes, bathers.

The words containing the /iz/ sound are: watches, judges, clutches, bridges.

We pronounce 's' as /s/ when it comes after voiceless sounds, /z/ when it comes after voiced sounds and /iz/ when it is followed by 'ch' or 'dʒ' sound.

Exercise 35

The words which contain the sound /ʒ/ are: decision, erosion, vision, garage, division, treasure, barrage.

Exercise 36

The words which contain the sound /h/ are: who, has, his, hat, hall, racehorse, behind, hedge, have, hoarding, hill, hunting, prohibited, Bihar, perhaps, happy, Haryana.

Exercise 37

The words which contain the sound /l/ are: Lalit, fell, lorry, badly, liver, vital, lift, bundle, table, planting, helps, lower, pollution, level, village, life, still, simple, healthy, Leela, blessed, long, healthy, life, blow, flame, lightly, calmly, till, lights.

Exercise 38

The words containing /r/ sound are: cricket, crazy, driver, red, braked, traffic, acrobat, around, trapeze, through, ring, greeting, three, hundred, rupees, remember, bring, crate, drinks, wrong, ring, reading, writing, arithmetic, R's, primary, red, roses.

Exercise 39

The words which contain the sound /m/ are: months, must, maximum, marks, him, most, team, money, makes, mare, temperature, metric, thermometers, measure, map, Mumbai, mangroves.

Exercise 40

The words containing the sound /n/ are: many, men, wanted, win, fun, sun, shine, raining, appointed, nine, new, nurses, new-borns, man, can, nose, new, anywhere, an, instrument, blown, nose, nitrate, enrich, eleventh, month, November.

Exercise 41

Words containing the sound /ŋ/ in the middle are:

singing, jungle, bangle, triangle, singer, uncle, swinging.

Words containing the sound /ŋ/ at the end are:

singing, among, song, string, tongue, wrong, hang, crying, swinging.

Exercise 42

Words containing the /ŋ/ sound are: something, wrong, long, jungle, drinking, rung, gardening, cooking.

Exercise 43

- a. Words containing the /m/ sound are: Map, more, mole, monkey.
- b. Words containing the /n/ sound are: New, knew, nose, button, night, knob.
- c. Words containing the /ŋ/ sound are: Bring, sting, blink, ring, sling, monkey.

Exercise 44

The sound /w/ occurring in the beginning of the words are: week, weather, worse, woman, wailed, wallet, William, was, Wednesday, wore, woollen, warm, women, were, wedding, walnut, wine, walked, woods, which, why, was, weary.

The sound the /w/ occurring in the middle of the words are: twenty, sweet, railway, towards, quiet, queen.

Exercise 45

Words in which the sound of 'w' remains silent are: write, wrestler, wrong, wring, wrinkle, wrap.

Words in which the sound of 'w' is heard are: worth, swallow, sweater, twig, whisky, would, whims, switch, swing.

Exercise 46

Words containing /v/ are: visited, veils, vests, everyone, driver, avoided, voted, vice, lived, village, valley, reviewed.

Words containing /w/ twice, week, was, wearing, while, went, without, woollen, wait, everyone, square, swiftly, we, acquitted.

Exercise 47

Words containing the sound /v/	Words containing the sound /w/
advertised, vacancies, vacancy, vacant, interviews, cv, evening,	working, waiter, waitress, warden, week, Wednesday, we'll.

Exercise 48

Words containing /j/ in the beginning	Words containing /j/ in the middle
yellow, you, used, yoke, union, usual, Europe, yesterday	huge, New York, Tuesday, queue, tunes, cure, future.