



# Speak To Me

## Speech Sounds Screening Test

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Target Sound	Initial	Medial	Final
P	<u>p</u> en	hip <u>p</u> o	ma <u>p</u>
B	<u>b</u> ag	ro <u>b</u> ot	crab <u>b</u>
T	<u>t</u> oys	bu <u>t</u> ton	ba <u>t</u>
D	<u>d</u> eer	bo <u>d</u> y	sa <u>d</u>
K	<u>c</u> ar	ro <u>k</u> et	boo <u>k</u>
G	<u>g</u> ame	ti <u>g</u> er	lo <u>g</u>
F	<u>f</u> ire	mu <u>ff</u> in	roo <u>f</u>
V	<u>v</u> et	bea <u>v</u> er	ca <u>v</u> e
M	<u>m</u> an	le <u>m</u> on	ha <u>m</u>
N	<u>n</u> ap	bun <u>n</u> y	o <u>n</u> e
L	<u>l</u> ime	ba <u>ll</u> oon	
H	<u>h</u> ot		
S	<u>s</u> and	pen <u>c</u> il	hor <u>s</u> e
Z	<u>z</u> oo	mu <u>s</u> ic	key <u>s</u>
SH	<u>sh</u> ampoo	o <u>ce</u> an	fi <u>sh</u>
CH	<u>ch</u> ease	ki <u>tc</u> hen	bea <u>ch</u>



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J	giraffe	magic	bridge
TH (voiceless)	<u>th</u> under	tooth <u>th</u> brush	mouth <u>th</u>
TH (voiced)	<u>th</u> at	bro <u>th</u> er	
R	<u>r</u> ain	fair <u>r</u> y	
W	<u>w</u> ater		
Y	<u>y</u> oga		
NG		ring <u>ng</u>	king <u>ng</u>

PR (R-blend)	present	DR (R-blend)	dragon
KR (R-blend)	cry	GR (R-blend)	grapes
BR (R-blend)	bread	FR (R-blend)	fruit
TR (R-blend)	tree	BL (L-blend)	block
PL (L-blend)	plant	KL (L-blend)	cloud
GL (L-blend)	glue	FL (L-blend)	fly
SL (L-blend S-blend)	sleep	SW (S-blend)	swim



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SM (S-blend)	smile	SN (S-blend)	snake
SP (S-blend)	spoon	SK (S-blend)	skate
ST (S-blend)	stop	SPR (S-blend)	spring
STR (S-blend)	string	SKR (S-blend)	screw
SKW (S-blend)	squash		



# Speak To Me Articulation Norms

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Approximate age	Sounds	Example
3;0	h	Hi
3;0	y	you
3;0	w	wow
3;0	ng	sing
3;0	m	me
3;0	n	no
3;0	p	pig
3;0	b	bat
3;0	k	car
3;0	g	go
3;0	t	teddy
3;0	d	door
3;6	f	food
4;0	l	light
4;0	sh	shoe
4;0	ch	chicken
4;6	s	sun
4;6	z	zoo
4;6	j	jam
5;0	r	red
6;0	v	van
6;0	blends (r, s, l)	present, snake, blue
8;0	th	that
8;0	th	thin



# Speak To Me Phonology Norms

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What sounds are substituted by other sounds and when does it resolve?

Phonological process	Example	Resolved at approximate age
Context sensitive voicing: A voiceless sound is replaced by a voiced sound.	Pig = big	3;0
Word final de-voicing: A final voiced consonant is replaced by a voiceless consonant.	Red = ret	3;0
Final consonant deletion: The final consonant in a word is omitted.	Duck = du	3;3
Fronting: When a consonant is replaced with a sound made in the front of the mouth.	Cat = tat	3;6
Consonant harmony: Pronunciation of a word is influenced by a particular sound in the word.	Dog = gog	3;9
Weak syllable deletion: Weak syllables are omitted from the word.	Butterfly = bufly	4;0
Cluster reduction: Part of the cluster is omitted from the word.	Spider = pider	4;0
Gliding of liquids: Liquid consonants are replaced by /w/ or /j/.	Rabbit = wabbit	5;0
Stopping /f/: A fricative or affricate consonant is replaced by a stop consonant.	Fun = pun	3;0
Stopping /s/: A fricative or affricate consonant is replaced by a stop consonant.	Sing = ding / ting	3;0
Stopping /v/: A fricative or affricate consonant is replaced by a stop consonant.	Van = ban	3;6

Stopping /z/: A fricative or affricate consonant is replaced by a stop consonant.	Zoo = doo	3;6
Stopping /sh/: A fricative or affricate consonant is replaced by a stop consonant.	Shoe = do	4;6
Stopping /j/: A fricative or affricate consonant is replaced by a stop consonant.	Jump = dump	4;6
Stopping /ch/: A fricative or affricate consonant is replaced by a stop consonant.	Chair = tair	4;6
Stopping voiceless /th/: A fricative or affricate consonant is replaced by a stop consonant.	Thing = ting	5;0
Stopping voiced /th/: A fricative or affricate consonant is replaced by a stop consonant.	Them = dem	5;0

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