

a

/a/ (apple), /A/
(ape), /ah/ (want)
Added by Mrs.
Thurman: /u/ (was)

e

/e/
(elephant),
/E/ (me)

i

/i / (indian), /I/
(silent)

o

/ah/ (ostrich), /O/
(open), /OO/ (to)
Added by Mrs.
Thurman: /u/ (love)

u

/u/ (up), /U/
(music), /oo/
(put)

c

/k / (cat), /s/
(cent)

g

/g/ (goat), /j/
(gym)

s

/s/ (sock), /z/
(please)

y

/y/ (yellow), /i/,
(gym), /I/ (my)
Added by Mrs.
Thurman: /E/
(baby)

ai

/A/ 2 letter /A/ that
we may NOT use
at the end of
English words
(pail).

ay

/A/ 2 letter /A/ that
we MAY use at the
end of English
words (pay).

ar

/ar/ the /ar/ of
car

au

/aw/ that we may
NOT use at the
end of English
words (fault).

aw

/aw/ that we
MAY use at the
end of English
words (law).

ch

/ch/ (child), /k/
Christmas,
/sh/ (chef)

ci

/sh/ short
/sh/ (facial)

ck

/k/ 2 letter /k/
(duck)

dge

/j/ 3 letter /j/
(fudge)

ea

/E/ (eat), /e/
(head), /A/
(steak)

ear

/er/ the /er/ of
early

ed

/ed/ (started),
/d/ (loved), /t/
(skipped)

ee

/E/ double /E/
always says
/E/ (feet)

ei

/A/ (pail), /E/
(ceiling), /i/ (foreign)-
that we may NOT
use at the end of
English words.

eigh

/A/ 4 letter
/A/ (eight)

er

/er/ the /er/ of
her

ew

/OO/ (flew),
/U/ (few)

ey

/A/ (they), /E/
(key), /i/
(valley)

gn

/n/ 2 letter /n/ used
both at the
beginning and end
of a base word
(gnat)

ie

/E/ (piece), /I/
(pie), /i/
(collie)

igh

/I/ 3 letter /I/
(night)

ir

/er/ the /er/ of
first

kn

/n/ 2 letter /n/
used only at
the beginning
of a base word

ng

/ng/ the nasal /ng/
Added by Mrs.
Thurman: /ang/
/ing/; /ong/; /ung/

oa

/O/ 2 letter /O/ that
we may NOT use
at the end of
English words
(goat)

oe

/O/ 2 letter /O/ that
we MAY use at the
end of English
words (toe)

oi

/oy/ that we may
NOT use at the
end of English
words (coin)

oy

/oy/ that we
MAY use at the
end of English
words (boy)

oo

/OO/ (food),
/oo/ (good),
/O/ (floor)

or

/or/ (for)

ou

/ow/ (house),
/O/ (soul), /OO/
(group), /u/
(country)

ough

/O/ (though); /OO/
(through); /uff/
(rough); /off/
(cough); /aw/
(bough)

ow

/ow/ (plow),
/O/ (snow)

ph

/f/ 2 letter /f/
(phone)

sh

/sh/ (ship)

si

/sh/
(session),
/zh/ (division)

tch

/ch/ 3 letter
/ch/ (patch)

ti

/sh/ tall /sh/
(nation)

ui

/OO/ (fruit)
Remember:
1 sound

ur

/er/ the /er/ of
church

wh

/hw/
(whisper)

wor

/er/ the /er/ of
worships

wr

/r/ 2 letter /r/