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What did you say?

THE INTERNATIONAL ENGLISH PHONETIC ALPHABET.

Test your pronunciation

• I used to take the bus for my trips to the mall. But this time, I used my father's car. I was close to the entrance when they said it was time to close the doors. My face turned red, when I read the schedule on the door.

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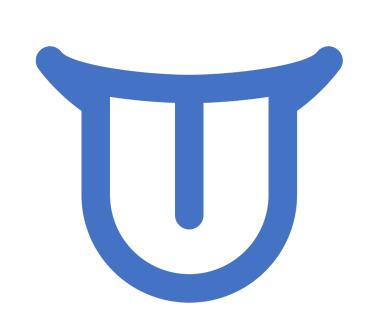
What is I.P.A?

The IPA stands for the **International Phonetic Alphabet.**

It is an alphabet developed in the 19th century to accurately represent the pronunciation of languages.

It is a system of symbols for showing how words are pronounced.

- For example:
- House = /haos/
- Faint=/feint/
- Speak = /spi:k/



What is the I.P.A good for?

- articulating sounds
- pronouncing words accurately
- promoting learner autonomy by giving them confidence when investigating an unknown word.
- addressing pronunciation issues
- distinguishing differences between similar sounds, (e.g. voiced /z/ in 'close the door') and (e.g. unvoiced /s/ in 'I'm close to my mother'.)

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The I.P.A chart

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The 44 phonemes of Standard British English with examples of common spellings.

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Listen to the english sounds

• https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n4NVPg2kHv4

Word Stress Symbols

- In IPA, /'/ indicates that the primary stressed syllable follows and / indicates the secondary stressed syllable follows. Example:
- Newspaper: / nuz pei pər/
- Information: / in fər mei ʃən/
- Economical: / iːkəˈnɑːmɪkl/
- Responsibility: /rɪˌspaːnsəˈbɪləti/

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I.P.A in dictionary entry

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I.P.A quiz

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• https://www.englisch-hilfen.de/en/exercises/languages/phonetic-transcription-body.htm