## Unit 1 Phonics

## 1. Same Sounds

## Practice

1. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first one is done for you.
1) 


2)

3)

| EAT : | A. see <br> B. great <br> C. cat <br> D. play |
| :--- | :--- |

4) 


5)

6)

| BOTTLE : $:$ | A. model <br> B. hotel <br> C. little <br> D. puddle |
| :--- | :--- |

7) 

| BAG : | A. cake <br> B. bake <br> C. hat <br> D. tea |
| :--- | :--- |

8) 

| LOVE : | A. mop <br> B. show <br> C. mouth <br> D. plug |
| :--- | :--- |

9) 

| YOU : $:$ | A. laugh <br> B. box <br> C. bought <br> D. shoe |
| :--- | :--- |

10) 

|  | A. move <br> CLOCK : rock <br> C. hope <br> D. show |
| :--- | :--- |

2. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first one is done for you.
1) 

| PAIN : | A. pan <br> B. same <br> C. man <br> D. talk |
| :--- | :--- |

2) 

| BAKE : | A. steak <br> B. cat <br> C. pack <br> D. tea |
| :--- | :--- |

3) 

| KNIFE : | A. kid <br> B. catch <br> C. name <br> D. play |
| :--- | :--- |

4) 

|  | A. sink |
| :--- | :--- |
| LIKE: $:$ | B. think <br> C. sick <br>  <br> D. night |

5) 

| RUN : | A. gone <br> B. own <br> C. done <br> D. phone |
| :--- | :--- |

6) 

| PLAN : $:$A. can <br> B. sad <br> C. cake <br> D. mad |
| :--- | :--- |

7) 

| SOUND : | A. bone <br> B. loan <br> C. town <br> D. donate |
| :--- | :--- |

8) 

| GO : $:$A. snow <br> B. move <br> C. ball <br> D. mop |
| :---: | :--- |

9) 

| CHOOSE : | A. cruise <br> B. rose <br> C. owes <br> D. please |
| :--- | :--- |

10) 

| CUTE : $:$ | A. cut <br> B. quiet <br> C. cool <br> D. cucumber |
| :--- | :--- |

3. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first on is done for you.
1) 

| WHO : $:$ | A. pot <br> B. both <br> C. put |
| :---: | :--- |
| D. lose |  |

2) 

| WOMAN : | A. push <br> B. move <br> C. grow <br> D. fool |
| :--- | :--- |

3) 

| GLUE : $:$ | A. new <br> B. run <br> C. toe <br> D. look |
| :--- | :--- |

4) 

| BOAT : $:$A. cake <br> B. pot <br> C. soap <br> D. note |
| :--- | :--- |

5) 

|  | A. eye <br> SIT : |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | B. hit <br> C. sink <br> D. think |

6) 

| OWN : | A. home <br> B. mouth <br> C. phone <br> D. road |
| :--- | :--- |

7) 

| Mow : | A. cow <br> B. power <br> C. bone <br> D. join |
| :--- | :--- |

8) 

|  | A. neck <br> TELL : |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | B. peal |
| C. ball |  |
| D. blink |  |

9) 

| WORK : | A. pork <br> B. jerk <br> C. bark <br> D. argue |
| :--- | :--- |

10) 

| TELEVISION : | A. cut <br> B. real <br> C. peek <br> D. me |
| :--- | :--- |

4. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first one is done for you.
1) 

| TROUBLE : | A. put <br> B. out <br> C.mud <br> D. cold |
| :--- | :--- |

2) 

| NOSE : | A. stop <br> B. pass <br> C. maps <br> D. cheese |
| :--- | :--- |

3) 

|  | A. written <br> LITHLE $:$ <br> B. middle <br> C. eaten <br> D. cripple |
| :--- | :--- |

4) 

| DOES: $:$ | A. fuss <br> B. buzz <br> C. rust <br> D. crush |
| :--- | :--- |

5) 

| PEOPLE : | A. eat <br> B. cat <br> C. pot <br> D. pen |
| :--- | :--- |

6) 

|  | A. coffee <br> DAUGHTER : |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. pound |  |
| C. prove |  |
| D. laugh |  |

7) 

|  | A. played <br> TALKED $:$ |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | B. needed <br> C. finished <br> D. listened |

8) 

| ROUND : | A. now <br> B. ball <br> C. show <br> D. although |
| :--- | :--- |

9) 

|  | A. work <br> DIRT : |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | B. clear <br> C. steer <br> D. part |

10) 

| WATCH : | A. crash <br> B. attack <br> C. wash <br> D. patch |
| :--- | :--- |

5. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first one is done for you.
1) 

| LIGHT : | A. get <br> B. sit <br> C. pick <br> D. time |
| :--- | :--- |

2) 

| BOUGHT : | A. hot <br> B. note <br> C. broke <br> D. boat |
| :--- | :--- |

3) 

| THINK : | A. three <br> B. there <br> C. these <br> D. they |
| :--- | :--- |

4) 

|  | A. buy <br> T. <br> B. sit <br> C. pot <br> D. see |
| :--- | :--- |

5) 

|  | A. rude <br> RUST : |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | B. move <br> C. cute <br> D. done |

6) 

| BASIC : | A. plastic <br> B. damage <br> C. radio <br> D. rat |
| :--- | :--- |

7) 

|  | A. sit |
| :--- | :--- |
| IDEA : | B. pie |
|  | C. pill |
|  | D. fit |

8) 

| OTHER : | A. mop <br> B. grow <br> C. mouth <br> D. bug |
| :--- | :--- |

9) 

|  | A. go <br> ROAST : |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. box |  |
| C. cow |  |
| D. shoe |  |

10) 

| LAUGH : $:$A. staff <br> B. taught <br> C. ground <br> D. shout |
| :--- | :--- |

6. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first one is done for you.
1) 

| LISTEN : | A. person <br> B. tension <br> C. eaten <br> D. written |
| :--- | :--- |

2) 

EARTH: $:$| A. near |
| :--- |
| B. dirt |
| C. weird |
| D. sea |

3) 

| HEALTH : | A. pull <br> B. steak <br> C. belt <br> D. ball |
| :--- | :--- |

4) 

| COULD : | A. wood <br> B. food <br> C. nervous <br> D. thought |
| :--- | :--- |

5) 

| DANCE : | A. fans <br> B. pants <br> C. tense <br> D. rinse |
| :--- | :--- |

6) 

| LAWW : | A. map <br> B. house <br> C. golf <br> D. cake |
| :--- | :--- |

7) 

|  | A. see |
| :--- | :--- |
| COMPETITION : | B. tie <br> C. think <br> D. shoot |

8) 

| LOW : | A. so <br> B. now <br> C. plow <br> D. yawn |
| :--- | :--- |

9) 

| NEW : $:$ | A. raw <br> B. cool <br> C. well <br> D. shoe |
| :--- | :--- |

10) 

| BUSINESS : | A. must <br> B. race <br> C. sand <br> D. zipper |
| :--- | :--- |

7. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first one is done for you.
1) 

|  | A. map <br> APPLE : |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | B. make <br> C. tank <br> D. rock |

2) 

| TWO : $:$A. new <br> B. put <br> C. won <br> D. wool |
| :--- | :--- |

3) 

WANTED : | A. called |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. stayed |
| C. helped |
| D. needed |

4) 

| SHOULD : | A. wood <br> B. tool <br> C. dangerous <br> D. bought |
| :--- | :--- |

5) 

| WORD : | A. learn <br> B. board <br> C. farm <br> D. born |
| :--- | :--- |

6) 

|  | A. go <br> BROTHER : |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | B. pot <br> C. mud <br> D. move |

7) 

|  | A. think <br> THIS : |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. through <br> C. there <br> D. thick |  |

8) 

|  | A. up |
| :--- | :--- |
| COMPUTER : | B. mute <br> C. put <br> D. room |

9) 

O्IL: | A. hot |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. new |
| C. boy |
| D. shoe |

10) 

| CRISIS: : | A. we <br> B. fit <br> C. night <br> D. free |
| :--- | :--- |

8. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first one is done for you.
1) 

|  | A. man <br> LAMP : |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. run |  |
| C. lake |  |
|  | D. mall |

2) 

|  | A. cook <br> SCOOP : |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | Bote <br> C. move <br> D. boat |

3) 

| HELPED: $:$ | A. talked <br> B. moved <br> C. needed <br> D. wanted |
| :---: | :--- |

4) 

| PICTURE : | A. peak <br> B. pick <br> C. piece <br> D. peas |
| :--- | :--- |

5) 

STICKY : | A. hit |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. ice |
| C. see |
| D. pay |

6) 

| CANDLE : $:$ | A. dale |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. delta |  |
| C. deep |  |
| D. delicious |  |

7) 

ANSWER : | A. swear |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. serve |
| C. swerve |
| D. reserve |

8) 

| IS: $:$ | A. sun <br> B. stay <br> C. soup <br> D. zero |
| :--- | :--- |

9) 

|  | A. fun |
| :--- | :--- |
| TRUCK: $:$ | B. put <br> C. new <br>  <br> D. not |

10) 

| QUICK: $:$A. win <br> B. week <br> C. cut <br> D. cute |
| :--- | :--- |

9. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first one is done for you.
1) 

| BUTTER : | A. mother <br> B. too <br> C. few <br> D. blue |
| :--- | :--- |

2) 

| EAR : | A. feel <br> B. air <br> C. pear <br> D. far |
| :--- | :--- |

3) 

| GENTLEMAN : | A. get <br> B. jet <br> C. wish <br> D. wretch |
| :--- | :--- |

4) 

| PLAYED: $:$ | A. loved <br> B. jumped <br> C. walked <br> D. cooked |
| :--- | :--- |

5) 

|  | A. sit <br> TWIST : <br> B. we <br> C. new <br> D. fight |
| :--- | :--- |

6) 

| CRYSTAL: $:$ | A. cry <br> B. creep <br> C. change <br> D. critical |
| :--- | :--- |

7) 

|  | A. mine |
| :--- | :--- |
| DETERMINE : $:$ | B. main |
| C. moose |  |
| D. minimum |  |

8) 

| BRIGHT : | A. kite <br> B. cute <br> C. fit <br> D. neat |
| :--- | :--- |

9) 

| FIXES : $:$ | A. fizz <br> B. miss <br> C. wrist <br> D. twist |
| :--- | :--- |

10) 

|  | A. wind <br> WRITE : |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | B. wick <br> C. rock <br> D. fight |

10. Circle the word that has the same sound as the underlined part of the example word. The first one is done for you.
1) 

| QUIET : | A. win <br> B. cute <br> C. clean <br> D. under |
| :--- | :--- |

2) 

|  | A. dig <br> DRIVE : <br> B. top <br> C. jet <br> D. gun |
| :--- | :--- |

3) 

| CHROME : | A. rain <br> B. tree <br> C. cheer <br> D. cream |
| :--- | :--- |

4) 

DOUBT: : | A. debt |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. crowd |
| C. rabbit |
| D. shout |

5) 

|  | COMFORTABLE : $:$A. mom <br> B. comb <br> C. thumb <br> D. cool |
| :--- | :--- |

6) 

| ALTHOUGH : | A. tug <br> B. snow <br> C. rule <br> D. now |
| :--- | :--- |

7) 

| COUGH: $:$ | A. off <br> B. laugh <br> C. math <br> D. wrote |
| :--- | :--- |

8) 

|  | A. deer <br> THERE : |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. care |  |
| C. near |  |
| D. steer |  |

9) 

|  | A. box |
| :--- | :--- |
| LOSE: $:$ | B. floss <br> C. nose <br>  <br> D. shoes |

10) 

| ROPE : | A. hot <br> B. rock <br> C. boat <br> D. pot |
| :--- | :--- |

## 15. Homophones

Homophones are words that sound the same but have different spellings and meanings.
Practice 1. Match the word in column A their homophone in column B the first on it done for you

| Column A | Column B |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1. Four | A. Wont |
| 2. Eye | B. Would |
| 3. Air | C. Wait |
| 4. Two | D. Sun |
| 5. Flour | E. Witch |
| 6. Rap | F. Eight |
| 7. Want | G. Know |
| 8. Not | H. Guessed |
| 9. Scene | I. Fined |
| 10. Birth | J. Here |
| 11. There | K. For |
| 12. Son | L. Heir |
| 13. Why | M. Hare |
| 14. Guest | N. Berth |
| 15. Rain | O. I |
| 16. Tail | P. Piece |
| 17. Which | Q. There |
| 18. Pair | R. Seen |
| 19. Ant | S. Rows |
| 20. Wood | T. Paws |
| 21. Hear | U. Wrap |
| 22. Hair | V. Pear |
| 23. Weight | W. Bored |
| 24. Find | X. Too |
| 25. Pease | Y. Reign |
| 26. No | Z. Aunt |
| 27. Knew | BB. There |
| 28. Their | CC. Tale |
| 29. Pause | DD.Knot |
| 30. Board | EE. Flower |
| -_ 31. Rose | FF. New |
| -_ 32. ate | GG. wye |

2. Read the sentences below and write the correct homophone in the blank to complete each sentence.
3. I've had the $\qquad$ since Monday.

Flew
The birds $\qquad$ to their nest.
2. We can see the ocean from $\qquad$ .

Here
Can you $\qquad$ the birds singing?

Hear
3. Snow fell from a $\qquad$ tree.
$\qquad$ protects animals from the cold.
4. A $\qquad$ is one of the pieces in the game of chess.
That $\qquad$ it stormed and then turned cold.
5. I haven't $\qquad$ the book you are talking about.
May I borrow a $\qquad$ pen?
6. The boat set $\qquad$ for New York yesterday.
This house is not for $\qquad$ .
7. He painted the ceiling $\qquad$ . The wind $\qquad$ her hat off.
8. 1 $\qquad$ the moldy apple in the bin.
She looked $\qquad$ the window.
3. Homophones are words that sound the same but have different spellings and meanings. Fill in the blank with the correct homophone.

1. My parents go to the store to buy some $\qquad$ and sometimes they $\qquad$ some friends there. (meat/meet)
2. My eldest brother is left-handed; he can't $\qquad$ properly with his $\qquad$ hand. (right/write)
3. We went to the $\qquad$ in Lofton by bus. The $\qquad$ was not expensive. (fair/fare)
4. The noise we $\qquad$ was a $\qquad$ of buffalo. (head/heard)
5. They used to $\qquad$ to Spain to buy shoes and clothes on $\qquad$ . (sail/sale)
6. The boy was looking $\qquad$ the open window and $\qquad$ the ball to me. (threw/through)
7. My eldest $\qquad$ likes lying on the beach and he doesn't care that the $\qquad$ is very hot. (son/sun)
8. $\qquad$ teacher said the test would take an $\qquad$ . (hour/our)
9. Help me! $\qquad$ have got something in my $\qquad$ . (eye/l)
10. Have you $\qquad$ the book with the $\qquad$ cover? (read/red)

## 16. Stress in nouns and verbs

Practice Underlined the stressed syllables in all the words below. Then circle the answer to the question. The first one in done for you.

1. Which 2 -syllable word has a different stress pattern from the others?
a) Police
b) Mother
c) Student
d) Money
2. Which 2 -syllable word has a different stress pattern from the others?
a) Career
b) Shampoo
c) Balloon
d) Problem
3. Which 3 -syllable word has a different stress pattern form the others?
a) Cinema
b) Saturday
c) Umbrella
d) Manager
4. Which 3 -syllable word has a different stress pattern from the others?
a) Potato
b) Paragraph
c) Computer
d) Professor
5. Which of these adjectives beginning with 'un' or 'in' has the stress on the final syllable?
a) Informal
b) Unhappy
c) Unfriendly
d) Unemployed
6. Which stressed word tells you that John's car is not second hand?
a) John's bought a new car.
b) John's bought a new car.
c) John's bought a new car.
d) John's bought a new car.
7. Which stressed word tells you the speaker knew what animal was nearby?
a) I heard the lion's roar.
b) I heard the lion's roar.
c) I heard the lion's roar
d) I heard the lion's roar.
