

SOUND BEGINNINGS AND ENDINGS

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This is all to do with the pronunciation of the beginnings and endings of words. For the beginnings, I chose the letters A to Z as they are pronounced when reciting the alphabet (using Z = zed, not zee). For each of these alphabetical beginnings, I attempted to find 5 words with endings A, E, I, O and U respectively again as pronounced in the alphabet. The beginnings and endings of the words are phonetically accurate and most of the words can be found in the Oxford English Dictionary, 2nd Ed.

AA ELYSÉE	AE ALIENEE	AI APRICOT-PIE	AO AGIO	AU AGUE
BA BELAY	BE BEEVEEDEE	BI BEATIFY	BO BISTRO	BU BEAN-STEW
CA SEAWAY	CE CESARE	CI SEA-PIE	CO SEGO	CU SEAMEW
DA DELAY	DE DEPORTEE	DI DENITRIFY	DO DEFOE	DU DEVALUE
EA EASTER-DAY	EE EMU-TREE	EI ELI	EO EGO	EU EMU
FA EFFARÉ	FE	FI	FO	FU
GA	GE GEE-GEE	GI GENII	GO GINO	GU GENU
HA	HE AITCH-FREE	HI	HO	HU
IA ISLAY	IE ISAGOGE	II IDENTIFY	IO IDAHO	IU ICE-BLUE
JA	JE JAYCEE	JI JAY-PIE	JO JAJO-shop in Wales	JU JADE-BLUE
KA CABLE-WAY	KE CAVE	KI KALI	KO KAYO	KU
LA ELMAY	LE ELCHEE	LI ELHI	LO ELBOW	LU L.B.W!
MA EMIGRÉ	ME EMPLOYEE	MI	MO EMBRYO	MU EMMEW
NA ENTRY-WAY	NE ENGAGEE	NI ENSKY	NO ENAMORADO	NU ENSUE
OA OVERLAY	OE OVERSEE	OI OVERLIE	OO OVERGO	OU OVERDUE
PA PIQUE (insect)	PE PEE-PEE	PI PEAI	PO PIANISSIMO	PU PEACOCK-BLUE
QA QUEUÉ	QE CUCUMBER-TREE	QI CUBIFY	QO CUPIDO	QU
RA ARCHWAY	RE ARCH-SEA	RI ARGENTIFY	RO ARPEGGIO	RU ARGUE
SA ESSAY	SE ESCAPEE	SI ESSENCIFY	SO ESPRESSO	SU ESSUE
TA TIARE	TE TEEPEE	TI	TO TIO	TU TEOCHEW
UA ULAY	UE UKULELE	UI UNIFY	UO UNIFLOW	UU EWE-STEW
VA VEEJAY	VE VENÆ	VI VITÆ	VO VETO	VU
WA	WE	WI	WO	WU
XA EXPRESSWAY	XE EXPLOITEE	XI EXEDIFY	XO EXPO	XU EXCHANGE-VALUE
YA WIREWAY	YE WAIKIKI	YI WI-FI	YO WINO	YU WYDUE or WYDEW (widow)
Z none				