

Exceptions In ENGLISH



Australia	The "i" is dropped	"ahs TRAIL yuh" /as'treiljə/
Behavior	The "or" is pronounced as "er"	"buh HAY vyer" /bə'heivjə/
Billion	The "ion" pronounced as "yun"	"BILL yun" /'bɪljən/
Business	The "l" is dropped	"BIZ nuss" /'bɪznəs/
Camera	The "e" is dropped	"KAM ruh" /'kæmrə/
Choir	The "ch" is /k/ and "oir" is "wire"	"KWY yer" /'kwaijə/
Christian	The word is just plain different	"KRISH chin" /'krɪʃtjən/
Comfortable	The word is just plain different	"CUMF ter bull" /'kʌmftəbəl/
Controversial	The word is just plain different	"con truh VER shuhl" /kəntrə'vɜːʃəl/
Diamond	The "a" is dropped	"DY mund" /'daɪmənd/
Diaper	The "a" is dropped	"DY per" /'daɪpə/
Drawer	The word is just plain different	"JROW er" /'dʒrə/
Efficiently	The word is just plain different	"uh FISH unt lee" /ə'fɪʃən?li/
Environment	The "o" is dropped	"en VY ern ment" /ən'vaɪənmən?/
Evening	The "e" is dropped	"EEV ning" /'ivnlɪŋ/
Eventually	The "u" is dropped	"uh VEN chuh lee" /ə'ventʃəli/
Favorite	The "o" is dropped	"FAVE ruht" /'feivrə?/
Flood	The "oo" is pronounced "uh"	"FLUD" /flʌd/
Gardening	The "e" is dropped	"GARD ning" /'gɑːdnɪŋ/
Genius	The word is just plain different	"JEEN yus" /'dʒɪniəs/
Iron	The "o" is dropped	"EYE yern" /'aɪjən/
Jewel	The "e" is dropped	"JOO wul" /'dʒuəl/
Liaison	The "ai" rhymes with "day"	"lee AY zon" /li'jeɪzən/
Jeopardy	The "o" is dropped	"JEH per dee" /'dʒɛpədi/
Leopard	The "o" is dropped	"LEH perd" /'lɛpəd/
Mansion	The word is just plain different	"MAN chun" /'mʌntʃən/
Marriage	The "a" is dropped	"MARE uj" /'meɪrədʒ/
Million	The "ion" pronounced as "yun"	"MILL yun" /'mɪljən/
Miscellaneous	The word is just plain different	"miss uh LANE ee us" /mɪsə'leɪniəs/
Module	The word is just plain different	"MAH jool" /'mɑːdʒul/
Nausea	The "e" is dropped	"NAH zhuh" /'nɑːʒə/
Ocean	The word is just plain different	"OH shin" /'oʃən/
Official	The word is just plain different	"uh FISH uhl" /ə'fɪʃəl/
Onion	The "ion" pronounced as "yun"	"UN yun" /'ʌnjən/
Opinion	The "ion" pronounced as "yun"	"uh PIN yun" /ə'plɪnjən/
Pneumonia	The word is just plain different	"nuh MOAN yuh" /nə'monjə/
Powerfully	The "u" is dropped	"POwer flee" /'paʊwəfli/
Restaurant	The "au" is dropped	"REST ront" /'rɛstrən?/
Sophomore	The "o" is dropped	"SOF more" /'sɑːfmɔːr/
Surprise	The /r/ is dropped	"suh PRIZE" /sə'praɪz/
Tuition	The word is just plain different	"too WISH un" /tuwɪʃən/
Usually	The "a" is dropped	"YOO zhuh lee" /'juːzəli/
Uncomfortable	The word is just plain different	"un KUMF ter bull" /ʌ'n'kʌmftəbəl/
Vegetable	The "e" is dropped	"VEJ tuh bull" /'vɛdʒtəbl/
Visualization	The word is just plain different	"vih zhuh ly ZAY shun" /vɪʒəlaɪ'zeɪʃn/
Wednesday	The /d/ is silent and "e" is dropped	"WENZ day" /'wɛnzdeɪ/
Gigantic	The 1st "g" is pronounced with "j"	"jy GAN tic" /dʒaɪ'gæntək/



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