

THE GAME

—OF—

**PRONOUNCIT**  
BOOK OF  
INSTRUCTIONS.

marks used for indicating the sounds of the letters.

The game is designed especially for the use of teachers, reading circles, socials, and the home.

DIRECTIONS FOR PLAYING  
THE GAME.

SELECT the best orthoëpist in the company to hold the "Key" and act as referee. Distribute the cards, one or more, to each member of the company. The referee directs a member to announce the number of his card and begin by spelling aloud and pronouncing. He pronounces the ten words without interruption. If, in the judgment of the referee, the words have been pronounced correctly, the player lays the card aside as one card won. If errors have been made, the referee, without comment, orders the card to the next, who pronounces all the words

KEY.

TO  
"Pronouncit"

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PREFACE.

IN compiling this list care has been exercised in selecting only such words as are in common use, and most likely to be mispronounced,—thus making the game a real help and education, rather than a mere chance to display an acquaintance with the unusual words found in some lists of similar scope.

Webster's International Dictionary has been followed both in pronunciation and in the diacritical

again, and so on until some member wins the card. If, after all have had a trial, the card remains untaken, start it again, and as soon as a word is mispronounced the referee orders the card passed to the next, who begins with the first word as before, and so on until the card is won. All remain in the game while there are cards untaken. Ties may be declared off by another contest, with the tied members only as contestants. The member holding the most cards wins the game.

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THE following words will serve to indicate the sounds of the marked letters:

äle	senäte	care	äm		
ärm	äsk	final	all		
öve	övent	ënd	fërn	recent	
ice	idea	ëll			
öld	öbey	örb	ödd		
üse	ünite	rüde	full	üp	ürn
pity	foöd	foöt	out	oil	
chair	go	sing	ink		
then	thin	bon	zh = z in azure		

1

4  
1. gū'gā  
2. hū'mēr  
3. tī'n'sēl  
4. āk-sēnt'  
5. flō'r'ld  
6. sām  
7. gāl-kānt'  
8. fā-teg'  
9. māg'ā-zēn'  
10. wūst'ēd

2

5  
1. dīs-kōrs'  
2. dī-lūt'  
3. mās-tēr  
4. wār'y  
5. nār  
6. hā'nūs  
7. lērn  
8. ēr'lī  
9. kwō'an-tēn'  
10. dē-fēkt'

3

6  
1. dīj'jēst  
2. mēs'īng  
3. mēr'āzīl'  
4. kūn'gwāj  
5. kryb  
6. rīz  
7. pōz-dōs'īv  
8. kāz'm  
9. ēs-kwir'  
10. brēch

25

28  
1. nū-mō'nī-ā  
2. ār'īd  
3. kūl'bērd  
4. vēr'shūn  
5. rēu'dē-vōo  
6. pā-pū'  
7. gī'sēr  
8. prō'grām  
9. sēd'ā-tīv  
10. gīls'ēr-Yu

26

29  
1. vēl-lā'shūn  
2. wōnt  
3. wūnt  
4. mūn'grēl  
5. bē-trōth'  
6. prō'fēs  
7. dōr'īl  
8. grēl-unās'  
9. fōr'ēd  
10. dōn'ky

27

30  
1. gōn'dō-lā  
2. kōn'ver-sant  
3. īl-kōp'ā-thī  
4. fōl-tōg'rā-tī  
5. frōn'tēr  
6. mīs'chē-vūs  
7. pā'trī-tōl-Yz'u  
8. fōr'tnūt'  
9. yōlk  
10. trū'kū-lent

4

7  
1. hōs'tll  
2. hōs'tāj  
3. prē-sis'  
4. kīlēk  
5. pē'kānt  
6. kō-kēt'īsh  
7. plāt  
8. vēr  
9. kōm'pēn-sāt  
10. dī-lēm'mā

8

11  
1. swēt  
2. ē-rā'zhūr  
3. krē'tūr  
4. ēg'z-ast'  
5. bēn'zln  
6. slūv'en  
7. ānt  
8. ānt  
9. dē'tāl  
10. īl-bu'mēn

9

12  
1. gā-dā'shūs  
2. tē-nā'shūs  
3. spē'shēz  
4. trūths  
5. hāvz  
6. bwoiz  
7. bē'l'ūs  
8. īp-pā-rā'tūs  
9. ris  
10. riz

31

34  
1. kōm'pā-rā-b'l  
2. lām'ēn-tā-b'l  
3. plā-kārd'  
4. rō-māns'  
5. prē-kō'shūs  
6. lē-lūs'trāt  
7. ēk-sēs'  
8. dē-fūnkt'  
9. kā-nīn'  
10. rē-lā'

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35  
1. lī-sē'ūm  
2. mū-zē'ūm  
3. āk-klī'māt  
4. glā-dī'ō-lūs  
5. kōk'ā-līn  
6. Ir-rēp'ā-rā-b'l  
7. Ir-rēv'ā-kā-b'l  
8. kō'mā-tōs'  
9. In-tēs'īn  
10. Im'pl'ūs-lý

33

36  
1. pōlō-nāz'  
2. mūnk  
3. akt'īr  
4. gwā'ūd  
5. ē-klā'  
6. dēz-zērt'  
7. thēr'tēn'  
8. tā'pls  
9. prē'sēpt  
10. mēr'kān-tll

10

13  
1. strā'tā  
2. ērb'āj  
3. dī-ōs'-san  
4. pā'trūn  
5. fūn'ji  
6. īks'īr  
7. rūf'yan  
8. mās-sā-kēr  
9. skā'gwīn  
10. vēr-bā'īn

14

16  
1. rāp'īn  
2. drī'ūmā  
3. dā'tā  
4. īl-tēr'nāt  
5. bā-nā'nā  
6. skwā'lōt  
7. kā'ret  
8. grā'tīs  
9. trā'kē-ā  
10. gūm'ār'bīk

15

17  
1. ār'āb  
2. ār'īl-kād'  
3. sēn'ē-tēr-y  
4. jīn-nāzī-lūm  
5. rīnd  
6. glā'noōr  
7. ā-gāst'  
8. ā-prīl-kōt  
9. chāst'tīz-ment  
10. shī-kān'ēr-y

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18  
1. ā-dāl't  
2. bī'ōō  
3. kōu'strū  
4. nā'zal  
5. brouz  
6. lē'ēnd  
7. kā'ōs  
8. sēr-kā'ī-tōtūs  
9. kīlān-lēs'tlū  
10. kīlō'lōr'd

40

43  
1. plā'z'ā  
2. lāl'īl'k  
3. sī'nē-kūr  
4. brōn-kī'īs  
5. kā-nī'hī-lāt  
6. dō-mān'  
7. zō-dī'ā-kal  
8. mēn'īn-jī'īs  
9. mā-nī'ā-kal  
10. īks-kūr'shūn

41

44  
1. kōl'īl'ā  
2. kōm'rād  
3. rē'āl'īd  
4. trī'ō  
5. tī-rād'  
6. lī'kēn  
7. pēr-sīst'  
8. spik'nārd  
9. kōn'strū  
10. kīd-shā'

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45  
1. rē-kōrs'  
2. pī'ān'ā  
3. dē-wī'sl'v  
4. pū'ēr-līl  
5. sū'īt'līl  
6. sūt'īl  
7. kīl'īl'ī  
8. kōw'ēz'ā  
9. vīk'ēr  
10. īs-pīr'ānt

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46  
1. pā-lā'vēr  
2. kā-kā'shan  
3. sīl'ōō-ēt'  
4. īs-thēt'īl'k  
5. sēn'īl-pēd  
6. tā-rān'tū-lā  
7. lā-pēl'  
8. īm-unō'nī-ā  
9. grā'tīs  
10. lē'ēr'ī

47

48  
1. mān'yūn-ēt'  
2. bōl'īl-gā-tō-r'y  
3. rē-vāl'yā  
4. fl-zēk'  
5. īks-chān'ī  
6. nīkō'thīn  
7. pā-lāb'īn-ēr  
8. bōr'ē-ā'līs  
9. bērd  
10. prē-tēns'

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49  
1. kōr'āl'ī  
2. kāf'āl'ī  
3. kē'vē'  
4. kāt'īl'ān  
5. skō'lūp  
6. īn'glīsh  
7. kōm'pōund  
8. rā'ūshūn  
9. rēth  
10. rēthz

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50  
1. mē-lōo'rī  
2. vēr-jīn'ī-ā  
3. nē-vādā  
4. kān'īmās  
5. nē-brās'ā  
6. kāl'īl-fōr'nī-ā  
7. jōr'jī-ā  
8. īt'kōm-sā'  
9. kōl'īl-rā'dō  
10. bō'ōn'

16

19  
1. pēr'ūm  
2. mūs-tāsh'  
3. drout  
4. gōoz'bōr-r'y  
5. jū'vē-nīl  
6. dē-kō'rūs  
7. kāt'ā-lāl'ī  
8. dī-rēkt'  
9. rān'āk  
10. shōrt'līvd'

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23  
1. kōn'bāt  
2. In-vēn-tō-r'y  
3. rē'āl-rā-b'l  
4. prō'lē-sy  
5. gōd  
6. gad  
7. bēl'īzīn  
8. sēn'sēz  
9. dāns  
10. dants

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24  
1. rē-vōl'tīng  
2. bī'ōō  
3. rāz'bēr-r'y  
4. pūn'p'īn  
5. vēn'īl'z'ūn  
6. dī-ōn'ēst  
7. sū-pēn'ūlīs  
8. kōm'mū-nīst  
9. dī-ās'ītēr  
10. dōm'ī-sīl