

English Pronunciation: The Sound /n/

Pronunciation Exercise: The Sound /n/

Step 1: Watch and Observe

- Watch the pronunciation video for the sound /n/.
- Take notes on any important tips or explanations.
- Draw a diagram showing:
 - Mouth position
 - Tongue placement (touches the alveolar ridge just behind your upper front teeth)
 - Any other physical detail mentioned
- Note if the sound is voiced (yes, it is!) and nasal (air flows through the nose).

✓ **Step 2: Listen and Practice Vocabulary**

- Practice saying each word clearly.
- Translate the words into Spanish.
- Watch the video again and write the IPA (International Phonetic Alphabet) symbols for each word in the blank space provided.

Pronunciation Exercise 1

English Word	Spanish Translation	IPA (Student Fills In)
name	nombre	
navy	marina	
near	cerca	
neat	ordenado	
neck	cuello	
need	necesitar	
new	nuevo	
next	siguiente	
nose	nariz	
note	nota	
dawn	amanecer	
done	hecho	
lane	carril	
lawn	césped	
open	abrir	
oven	horno	
sign	señal	
soon	pronto	
when	cuándo	
wine	vino	

Pronunciation Exercise 2

English Word	Spanish Translation	IPA (Student Fills In)
nine	nueve	
none	ninguno	
noon	mediodía	
noun	sustantivo	
known	conocido	
linen	lino	
onion	cebolla	
union	unión	
anyone	cualquiera	
cannon	cañón	
canyon	cañón	
engine	motor	
napkin	servilleta	
nation	nación	
lantern	linterna	
mention	mencionar	
opinion	opinión	
tension	tensión	
unicorn	unicornio	
nineteen	diecinueve	