



S Pronunciation Worksheet **Answers**

In order to complete this worksheet, you should watch the pronunciation video about the pronunciation of S in English. You should complete this worksheet at the same time as watching the videos.

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EXERCISE A

What are the two typical situations when a word ends in the letter S?

The typical situations when a word ends in the letter S are:

- 1) Regular plural forms
- 2) Third person singular of the present simple tense

EXERCISE B

What are the three different ways we can pronounce the letter S when it's the final letter in a word?

/s/

/z/

/ɪz/

EXERCISE C

Select the correct options to complete the sentences below.

The sound /k/ is **a voiced** / **an unvoiced** sound.

The sound /h/ is **a voiced** / **an unvoiced** sound.

EXERCISE D

If the penultimate letter in a word is an unvoiced sound, then the pronunciation of the letter S is /s/. These unvoiced sounds are: /p/, /t/, /k/, /f/, /h/ and /θ/.

EXERCISE E

If the penultimate letter in a word is a voiced sound, then the pronunciation of the letter S is /z/. These voiced sounds are: /b/, /d/, /n/, /m/, /j/, /r/, /r/, /v/, /w/, /l/ and /ð/.

EXERCISE F

If the penultimate letter is an exception sound, then the pronunciation of the letter S is /ɪz/. These special sounds are: /tʃ/, /ʒ/, /z/, /ʃ/, /s/ and /tʃ/.