

Chapter 1, Lesson 1 Homework

Write the pronunciation out using the International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA) symbols I used in the lesson. They are the symbols put in "quotation marks". This is a list of the rare symbols for quick copy and paste:

Sound	Symbol	If your computer can't read the IPA symbols, use one of these instead.
<u>better</u>	ɛ	3
<u>eye</u>	aɛ	a3
<u>boy</u>	oɛ	o3
<u>fair</u>	ɛr	3r
voiceless letter L	ɬ	l*
voiceless rolled R	ɾ	r*
<u>white</u>	ʍ	w*
<u>belt</u>	ɮ	l,
<u>nothing</u>	θ	0
<u>the</u>	ð	D
<u>sing</u>	ŋ	9
Long vowel marker	'	`
Longer vowel marker	:	:

Show accents by using ":" and "`". For example: The Sindarin word "râd" would be written, "ra:d" and the Sindarin prefix "ú-" would be written, "u`".

When using IPA, don't capitalize letters. They tend to stand for other sounds. The capital R, for example, is used to describe a sound found in French and Arabic. I don't mind the capital "D" I suggested using in the place of "ð" if you can't see the symbol; but please don't capitalize the beginnings of the pronunciations!

All of the words I chose for the homework are one-syllable words. We will study multi-syllable words in the next lesson.

You must have gotten all of the questions correct before you can move onto the next lesson. That way I can make certain you understand the material fully enough that you won't be confused in later chapters.

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Exercises

Sindarin Word	Translation	Pronunciation
Alph	swan	
Bÿr	follower (Elf)	
Bÿr	follower (Man)	
Caw	top	
Dîl	stopper	
Duin	river	
Erch	prickle (Elf)	
Erch	prickle (Man)	
Fîr	mortals	
Gae	dread	
Geil	stars	
Gwing	spray	
Helch	bitter cold (Elf)	
Helch	bitter cold (Man)	
Hoedh	tombs	
Hwîn	giddiness	
Iôn	son	
Limp	wet	
Lhaw	set of ears	
Maur	gloom	
Nûr	sad	
Paich	juice (Elf)	
Paich	juice (Man)	
Raef	net	
Rhoss	whisper	
Sí	now	
Sûl	wind	
Taen	slender	
Talf	hand/palm	
Thent	short	