



Frequently Mispronounced Words

A Place the words in the box into the correct columns. Use a dictionary if necessary.

but	done	<u>Monday</u>	some	<u>urgent</u>	were
<u>company</u>	<u>early</u>	<u>money</u>	swap	want	what
cough	first	<u>month</u>	third	was	word
<u>dirty</u>	girls	<u>quality</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	wash	world
does	<u>London</u>	<u>quantity</u>	tough	watch	yacht

/ʌ/ - as in 'nut'

/ɒ/ - as in 'hot'

/ɜː/ - as in 'birth'

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B Now make up some sentences using the words from the box and then read them aloud.

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Answers

/ʌ/ - as in 'nut'	/ɒ/ - as in 'hot'	/ɜ:/ - as in 'birth'
1 but	1 quality	1 dirty
2 company	2 cough	2 early
3 does	3 quantity	3 first
4 done	4 swap	4 girls
5 London	5 want	5 third
6 Monday	6 was	6 Thursday
7 money	7 wash	7 urgent
8 month	8 watch	8 were
9 some	9 what	9 word
10 tough	10 yacht	10 world

