



































































































































Sounds	simple code	complex code						
/oa/	oa  oak	ow  bow	o  yo-yo	-oe  oboe	o-e  rope	-ough  dough	eau  plateau	
/igh/	-igh  night	-ie  tie	i  behind	-y  fly	i-e  bike	ei  eider duck	eye  eye	
/ee/	ee  eel	ea  eat	e  emu	e-e  concrete	-ey  key	-ie  chief	-ine  sardines	
between /i/ & /ee/	-y  sunny	-ey  monkey	-ie  movie					
/or/	or  fork	oar  oars	-oor  door	ore  snore	-our  four	war  wardrobe	quar  quarter	wa  water
or /aw/	aw  dawn	au  sauce	-al  chalk	-augh  caught	ough  thought			
/z/	z  zebra	-zz  jazz	-s  fries	-se  cheese	-ze  breeze			
/ng/	-ng  gong	-n  jungle		/ngk/	-nk  ink	-nc  uncle		
/v/	v  violin	-ve  dove						
short /oo/	-oo  book	-oul  should	-u  push					
long /oo/	oo  moon	-ue  blue	u-e  flute	-ew  crew	-ui  fruit	-ou  soup	-o  move	-ough  through
/ks/	-x  fox	-ks  books	-cks  ducks	-kes  cakes		/gz/	-x  exam	-gs  pegs
/ch/	ch  chairs	-tch  patch		/chu/	-ture  picture			
/sh/	sh  sheep	ch  chef	-ti  station	-ci  magician	-ssi  admission			
unvoiced /th/	th  thistle		voiced /th/	th  there				
/kw/	qu  queen							
/ou/	ou  ouch	ow  owl	-ough  plough					This chart is not definitive. You may find further code.
/oi/	oi  ointment	oy  toy						
/yoo/	-ue  statue	u  unicorn	u-e  tube	ew  new	eu  pneumatic			
/er/	er  mermaid	ir  birthday	ur  nurse	ear  earth	wor  world			Grey dashes indicate that the particular letter/s-sound correspondence is unlikely to begin a word.
schwa /er/ 'uh'	-er  mixer	-our  humour	-re  theatre	-ar  collar	-or  sailor			
/ar/	ar  artist	a  father	alm  palm	-alf  half	-alves  calves			
/air/	air  hair	-are  hare	-ear  bear	-ere  where				Hollow letters alert the reader to various possible pronunciations.
/eer/	eer  deer	ear  ears	-ere  adhere	-ier  cashier				
/zh/	-si  television	-s  treasure	-z  azure	g  courgette	-ge  collage			
								by Debbie Hepplewhite

The complexities of the English Alphabetic Code:

- One sound (phoneme) can be represented by one, two, three or four letters: e.g. /a/ a, /f/ ph, /igh/ igh, /oa/ ough
- One sound can be represented by multiple spelling alternatives (graphemes): e.g. /oa/: o, oa, ow, oe, o-e, eau, ough
- One grapheme can represent multiple sounds: e.g. ough: /oa/ though, /or/ thought, long /oo/ through, /ou/ plough, /u/ thorough

The English Alphabetic Code

Sounds	simple code	complex code	Graphemes, or spelling alternatives, which are code for the sounds					
/s/	s snake 	-ss glass 	-ce palace 	-se house 	c e i y city 	sc scissors 	-st- castle 	ps pseudonym 
/a/	a apple 							
/t/	t tent 	-tt letter 	-ed ripped 	-bt debt 				
/i/	i insect 	-y cymbals 						
/p/	p pan 	-pp puppet 						
/n/	n net 	-nn bonnet 	kn knot 	gn gnome 	-ne engine 			
/k/	k kit 	c cat 	-ck duck 	ch chameleon 	qu bouquet 	que plaque 		
/e/	e egg 	-ea head 	-ai said 					
/h/	h hat 	wh who? 						
/r/	r rat 	-rr arrow 	wr write 	rh rhinoceros 				
/m/	m map 	-mm hammer 	-me welcome 	-mb thumb 	-mn columns 			
/d/	d dig 	-dd puddle 	-ed rained 					
/g/	g girl 	-gg juggle 	gu guitar 	gh ghost 	-gue catalogue 			
/o/	o octopus 	wa watch 	qua qualify 	alt salt 				
/u/	u umbrella 	o son 	-ou touch 	-ough no thoroughfare 				
/l/	l ladder 	-ll shell 						
/ul/	-le kettle 	-il pencil 	-al hospital 	-el camel 				
/f/	f feathers 	-ff cliff 	ph photograph 	-gh laugh 				
/b/	b bat 	-bb rabbit 	bu building 					
/j/	j jug 	-ge cabbage 	g e i y giraffe 	-dge fridge 				
/y/	y yawn 							
/ai/	ai first aid 	-ay tray 	a table 	-ae sundae 	a-e plate 			
	-ey prey 	-ea break 	eigh eight 	-aigh straight				
/w/	w web 	wh wheel 	-u penguin 			vowel sounds in red /a/ /ee/ /or/ consonant sounds in blue /s/ /ch/ /ng/		