

## ***Eliciting sh, ch, j (jump) Sounds***

### **Eliciting `sh` Sound**

An easy way to produce the `sh` sound is to round the lips, place the tongue to the front of the mouth, slightly depressed in the middle and just behind the top front teeth. Making the `quiet signal` helps (pointer finger to the rounded lips).

### **Initial `sh` words**

chef	sharp	shelf	shoe
shade	she	shell	shop
shake	shears	shine	shore
shape	sheep	ship	show
shark	sheet	shirt	shut

\*\*\* "Shhh" is good practice to begin saying `sh` words.

### **Final `sh` words**

ash	crash	flash	leash
blush	crush	flush	mash
brush	dash	gush	push
bush	dish	hash	smash
cash	fish	hush	splash

### **Eliciting `ch` Sound**

`Ch` and `j` sounds are made exactly the same way, except that `j` is made by forcing more air through the mouth (a voiced sound vs. the unvoiced `ch`). `Ch` is comprised of `t` and `sh` sounds quickly placed together, therefore this is an easy place to start producing the sound. Make the individual sounds right after each other then slowly decrease the amount of space between the two sounds.

### **Initial `ch` words**

chain	chase	cheese	chin
chair	chat	chest	chip
chalk	check	chew	chop
change	cheek	chick	chow
charge	cheer	child	church

\*\*\* "Cheese" is sometimes an early food word.

### **Final `ch` words**

batch	catch	fetch	match	reach
beach	couch	hatch	munch	splotch
bench	crouch	hitch	ouch	touch
branch	crunch	itch	peach	watch
bunch	ditch	lunch	pooch	witch

### Eliciting 'j' ('jump') Sound

'J' can be produced the same way with the combination of sounds being 'd' and 'z' (as in azure) or 'g' (as in beige). Follow the same guidelines above.

### Initial 'j' words

gee (G)	jam	jeep	joy
gel	jar	jet	jug
gem	jaw	jig	juice
gym	jay	jog	jump
jack	jeans	join	junk

\*\*\* "Juice" is an early drink request.

### Final 'j' words

badge	cage	hedge	ridge
bridge	dodge	huge	sage
budge	edge	ledge	stage
bulge	fudge	page	wedge

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