

# The phonetic alphabet - consonants

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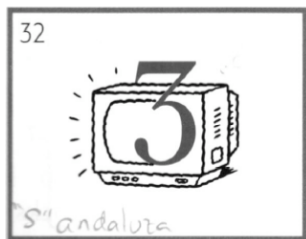
sh – **sh**ower, **s**ugar,  
ma**ch**ine, ac**ti**on,  
pre**ss**ure



ch – **ch**ess, wa**ch**,  
pic**ture**



ng – **ng**, think



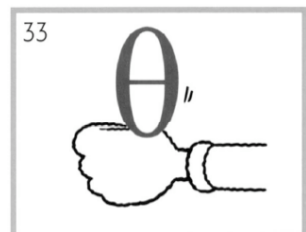
— – tele**t**vision,  
usu**ally**



y – **y**acht, **y**es,  
**use**



j – **j**azz, **ju**st, bri**dg**e, a**ge**



th – **th**umb, **th**ing, **bo**th



th – mo**th**er, **th**e, w**ith**

## 1) Write the phonetic symbol for the sound in bold

1. **she**                      ʃ
2. **joke**
3. **tooth**
4. **teach**
5. **thankyou**
6. **future**
7. **clothes**
8. **uniform**
9. **maths**
10. **weather**
11. **information**
12. **teenager**
13. **revision**

## Answers

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|--------------------|----|------------------------|----|
| 1. <b>she</b>      | ʃ  | 8. <b>uniform</b>      | j  |
| 2. <b>joke</b>     | dʒ | 9. <b>maths</b>        | θ  |
| 3. <b>tooth</b>    | θ  | 10. <b>weather</b>     | ð  |
| 4. <b>teach</b>    | tʃ | 11. <b>information</b> | ʃ  |
| 5. <b>thankyou</b> | tʃ | 12. <b>teenager</b>    | dʒ |
| 6. <b>future</b>   | tʃ | 13. <b>revision</b>    | ʒ  |
| 7. <b>clothes</b>  | ð  |                        |    |