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L-IPA (LĤAANyE INGLISH FEMINIL ALFEBET): M.A. Martelli, 2023-2025
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IPA	L-IPA	IGZAAAMPILZ	examples	L-IPA	IGZAAAMPILZ	examples	
ʌ	A	BLAD	blood	ɔ̃	J	JAM	jam
ɪ	AI	PRAD, BAI	pride, bay	ɔ̃	K	KAT, KWIZ	cat, quiz
ʌ	AY	BAYE	buyer	ɔ̃	L	LAVEN	lion
ʌ	AP	TRAP	trap	ɔ̃	M	MAP	map
ʌ	AA	BAAH	baah	ɔ̃	N	NET, SIN	net, sin
ʌ	AA	STAA	start	ɔ̃	Ń	ANĤE; SĤN	anger, sing
ʌ	AA	MATU; NAO	mat, now	ɔ̃	O	THOOT	thought
ʌ	AA	NAW; ENEV;	now or never	ɔ̃	OO	LOOT	loot
ʌ	AW	BAC	bag	ɔ̃	OI	MO; CH; IMPL	choice, employ
ʌ	CH	CHÉE	chair	ɔ̃	OY	GOOL	goal
ʌ	D	DAD	dad	ɔ̃	P	PIEN	pen
ʌ	DE	WEED	weather	ɔ̃	R	RED, MEYER	red, mayor
ʌ	E	KOME	comma	ɔ̃	S	SHIP	ship
ʌ	EE	LEFE	comma	ɔ̃	SH	SHIP	ship
ʌ	ED	NEES	nurse	ɔ̃	T	TEBIL	table
ʌ	EU	CEUT; SNEU	goat, snow	ɔ̃	TH	THANKS	thanks
ʌ	EW	SNEWINH	snowing	ɔ̃	U	BUL	bul
ʌ	EE	DRES	dress	ɔ̃	UL	MICH; LU	mature, blue
ʌ	EE	SWEE;	square	ɔ̃	UW	GUJS; BLUD	goose, blue
ʌ	EY	FES; PEI	face, pay	ɔ̃	V	VAN	van
ʌ	EP	PEYOF	payoff	ɔ̃	W	WEB	web
ʌ	F	FEON	phone	ɔ̃	Y	YES	yes
ʌ	G	GAP; IGZAAAM	gap, exam	ɔ̃	Z	ZEBRE	zebra
ʌ	H	HAT	hat	ɔ̃	ZH	ZH	z
ʌ	H	KIT	kit	ɔ̃			
ʌ	IB	IBE	near	ɔ̃			
ʌ	II	PIE; HAPI	peako, happy	ɔ̃			
ʌ	IY	HAPIG	happier	ɔ̃			

Optional sounds which are usually not pronounced by native speakers are shown with an apostrophe (')
 Stress is indicated using larger fonts for primary stress, and smaller fonts for unstressed sounds and glides

Table with 5 columns of Station and Grid pairs for the London Underground. Includes stations like Abbey Road, Acton Central, Addison Village, etc., and their corresponding grid codes.

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Pronunciation of Tube Stations

English pronunciation is not simple because of: -Extra vowel sounds: London /LÄNDEN/, Borough /BÄRE/, and Southwark /SÄDHÉRk/ share the same stressed vowel... -Complex Spelling rules: Blackwall /BLAKWOOL/, Star Lane /STAAR LÄIN/, and Mudchute /MÄDSHUÓT/... -Disappearing consonants: Some consonants are always silent, like the <c> in Leicester Square /LESTÉR SKWÆÉR/.

-Conclusion: There is no agreement on the standard pronunciation of Marylebone, with many considered correct. However, there is a consensus that MERILEBÉUN, though it might seem like the most obvious choice, is certainly incorrect.

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