

I. Choose the word that show the –s ending is pronounced.

		/s/	/z/	/ɪz/			/s/	/z/	/ɪz/
1 .	potatoes				8.	reads			
2 .	cooks				9.	messages			
3 .	rub				10 .	laughs			
4 .	rises				11 .	caves			
5 .	length				12 .	plays			
6 .	calculates				13 .	maps			
7 .	rose's				14 .	daniel's			

Exercise 1: Circle the word which has the underlined part pronounced as:

0./s/	chores <u>s</u>	brothers <u>s</u>	shifts <u>s</u>
1./z/	halves <u>s</u>	dates <u>s</u>	kits <u>s</u>
2./s/	speaks <u>s</u>	bags <u>s</u>	days <u>s</u>
3./s/	activities <u>s</u>	parents <u>s</u>	feelings <u>s</u>
4./z/	hours <u>s</u>	projects <u>s</u>	takes <u>s</u>
5./z/	pets <u>s</u>	loves <u>s</u>	laughs <u>s</u>
6./s/	photographs <u>s</u>	stays <u>s</u>	question <u>s</u>

7./z/	weekend <u>s</u>	bast <u>s</u>	month <u>s</u>
8./iz/	problem <u>s</u>	share <u>s</u>	wash <u>es</u>
9./iz/	physic <u>s</u>	watch <u>es</u>	night <u>s</u>
10./iz/	job <u>s</u>	join <u>s</u>	miss <u>es</u>

Exercise 2: Choose the underlined words has pronounced differently from the others.

1. A. explains B. wakes C. phones D. names
2. A. phones B. streets C. books D. makes
3. A. proofs B. regions C. lifts D. rocks
4. A. involves B. believes C. suggests D. steals
5. A. serves B. blocks C. banks D. tourists
6. A. remembers B. cooks C. walls D. pyramids
7. A. miles B. words C. accidents D. names
8. A. sports B. plays C. households D. minds
9. A. makes B. views C. reads D. decides
10. A. albums B. tanks C. shops D. plants
11. A. gets B. loves C. sings D. buys
12. A. collects B. cooks C. swims D. claps
13. A. stamps B. friends C. relatives D. guitars
14. A. envelops B. tunes C. books D. guitarists
15. A. athletics B. participants C. efforts D. skills
16. A. things B. engineers C. scientists D. individuals
17. A. parks B. animals C. planets D. environments
18. A. helps B. provides C. documents D. texts