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Bud, Not Buddy

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Word	Grade Level	Pronunciation	Definition
alias	7	ā' lē-əs	a false or assumed name
apologize	5	ə-pŏl' ə-jīz	to express regret for having done something wrong; to acknowledge one's faults; to say one is sorry
depression	8	dī-prēsh' ən	an economic condition in which many people are out of work, prices are low, and business is slow
grateful	5	grāt' fəl	thankful; appreciative; pleased
kin	7	kĭn	relatives; a group of people related by blood or marriage
mission	5	mĭsh' ən	a place established by a religious organization to provide food, shelter, and spiritual guidance for the poor; a settlement; a community run by people who teach religion
orphanage	6	ŏr' fə-nĭj	an institution for the care of children who have no parents; a place where children who have no parents live and receive care
reputation	5	rĕp-yə-tā' shən	the general opinion or view with which the public views a person, place, or thing; a feature or characteristic for which one is well-known; notoriety for a particular feature or characteristic
revenge	6	rĭ-vĕnj'	the act of or a way of getting even or paying back; the act of punishing in return for an injury or wrongdoing; retaliation or redress; justice accomplished by getting even
union	6	yŏon' yən	an organization of employees with similar interests that bargains with the employer for improvements and changes; a consolidated body

Pronunciation Guide

Examples	Examples	Examples
b bed	t toy, debt, thyme, receipt	ĭ sit, dessert
ch chalk, catch, question	th think	i slide, pie
d drawer, could	th than	ĭr pier, hear, miracle
f fish, rough, graph, calf	v savage	ŏ hot, conscious
g great, guest	w with, while	ŏ hope, boat, row
h happy	y yes	ŏ/ŏr caught, raw, for, war
hw where	z zebra	oi noise, boy
j jump, giraffe, bridge	zh leisure, genre	ŏŏ book
k ankle, cat, rack, chasm, quiche	sh shut, motion, chandelier, issue	ŏŏ tool
l lemon, needle	ă bad	ou found, how
m rhyme, hymn, tomb	â hate	ŭ cup, rummage
n nice, know, gnat	âr care, hair, wear	ŭr fur, heard
p pet	ä father, are	yŏŏ cute, beautiful
r red, wrist, rhyme	ĕ fetch, head	ə afar, capable, us
s sister, cent, psalm, science	ĕ be, seat, receive	ər father, fir