

Pronunciation

Word Stress 7

Activity 1: Put the words into the correct columns. Look at the examples first.

(□□□ = stress on first syllable in a three-syllable word, □□□ = stress on last syllable in a three-syllable word)

studying afternoon cigarette desperate disagree fortunate impolite introduce
 magazine manager medical millionaire overweight poisonous possibly
 questionnaire recipe recommend refugee shopkeeper questioning totally
 unemployed uniforms

Column 1	Column 2
□□□	□□□
<i>studying</i>	<i>afternoon</i>

Activity 2: Practise saying the words in Column 1, then Column 2.

Activity 3: Practise saying these phrases.

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| 1. unemployed manager | 8. introduce uniforms |
| 2. fortunate millionaire | 9. poisonous cigarette |
| 3. desperate refugee | 10. disagree totally |
| 4. possibly overweight | 11. recommend studying |
| 5. magazine recipe | 12. medical questionnaire |
| 6. impolite shopkeeper | 13. impolite millionaire |
| 7. fortunate refugee | 14. possibly unemployed |