Exercise 3.0 Phonemes – short versus long vowels, contrasting formant frequencies⁹

Speaker Copy Listener Copy

Instructions from Speaker to Listener

I will say two words, then repeat one of them. Please tell me which one I repeated. (The Speaker chooses which word to repeat.)

theme	thumb	21	port	putt
sharp	ship	22	guard	good
teach	touch	23	doors	does
barn	bin	24	lark	look
leak	luck	25	worn	won
card	kid	26	part	put
neat	nut	27	talk	tuck
harm	him	28	card	could
sheet	shut	29	bored	bud
parch	pitch	30	bark	book
seen	sun	31	court	cut
lark	lick	32	pass	puss
heel	hull	33	stalk	stuck
heart	hit	34	hard	hood
bean	bun	35	torch	touch
part	pit	36	shark	shook
keep	cup	37	torn	ton
park	pick	38	starred	stood
beat	but	39	dawn	done
hard	hid	40	hark	hook
	sharp teach barn leak card neat harm sheet parch seen lark heel heart bean part keep park beat	sharp teach touch barn bin leak luck card kid neat nut harm him sheet shut parch pitch seen sun lark lick heel hull heart hit bean bun part pit keep cup park pick beat but	sharp ship 22 teach touch 23 barn bin 24 leak luck 25 card kid 26 neat nut 27 harm him 28 sheet shut 29 parch pitch 30 seen sun 31 lark lick 32 heel hull 33 heart hit 34 bean bun 35 part pit 36 keep cup 37 park pick 38 beat but 39	sharp ship 22 guard teach touch 23 doors barn bin 24 lark leak luck 25 worn card kid 26 part neat nut 27 talk harm him 28 card sheet shut 29 bored parch pitch 30 bark seen sun 31 court lark lick 32 pass heel hull 33 stalk heart hit 34 hard bean bun 35 torch part pit 36 shark keep cup 37 torn park pick 38 starred beat but 39 dawn

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⁹ Source: Plant, 1984, Commtram, NAL, Australia.