

WORDS WITH /K/

What are the sounds of k?

The letter k is the sound you hear when you say kiss, kid, and kind. Many words begin or end with the letter k. But the sound of /k/ is written in some different ways.

When the letter c has a hard sound it sounds like k. Look at these words: can, carry, cap, cone, cot, couch, cup, cut, cute. When the letter c is followed by a, o, or u, it has the hard sound.

Sometimes ck comes together in a word and makes one sound. Together they sound like k. Look at these words: back, neck, trick, clock, duck, pick





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