

Speech Sounds in Children

Sounds are learned at different ages depending on how difficult they are to say. The chart below shows the age range during which each sound is learned.

p (pin)	1 ½ to 3 years
m (monkey)	1 ½ to 3 years
h (hat)	1 ½ to 3 years
n (nail)	1 ½ to 3 years
w (wagon)	1 ½ to 3 ½ years
b (ball)	1 ½ to 4 years
k (kite)	2-4 years
g (girl)	2-4 years
d (dog)	2-4 years
t (toe)	2-6 years
ng (wing)	2-6 years
f (finger)	2 ½-4 years
y (yo-yo)	2 ½-4 years
r (rabbit)	3-6 years
l (lamb)	3-6 years
s (sun)	3-8 years
ch (chick)	3 ½-7 years
sh (shoe)	3 ½-7 years
z (zipper)	3 ½-8 years
j (juice)	4-7 years
v (vase)	3-8 years
th (thumb)	4 ½-7 years
th (feather)	5-8 years
zh (treasure)	6-8 ½ years