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aingeal (angle)



arán (a-rawn)



ainmhithe (an-vi-ha)



airgead (aar-ig-id)



aibítir (a-beeter)



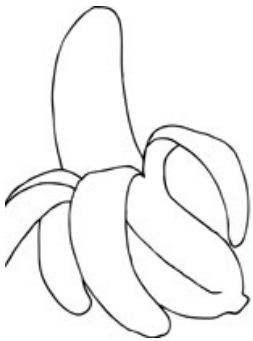
amach (a-mock)

Aistriúcháin:

aingeal: angel
arán: bread
ainmhithe: animals
airgead: money
aibítir: alphabet
amach: out

An litir b

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banana



buicéad (buck-aid)



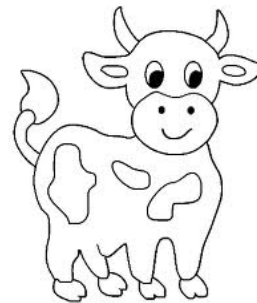
bád (baw-d)



bábóg (baw-bowg)



bus



bó (bow)

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Cóta (coat - a)



Cat (cot)



Cathaoir (caw - here)



(cup-awn)

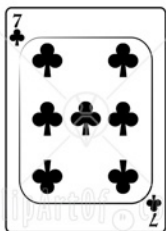
Crián (cree-awn)



Cáca (caw-ca)



Cupán



Cárta (court-a)



Camall (camel)

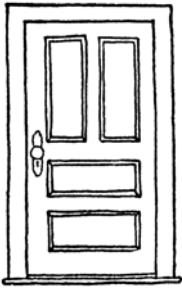


clog (clug)

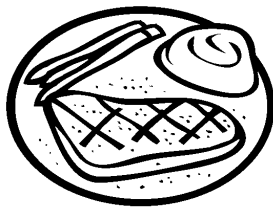
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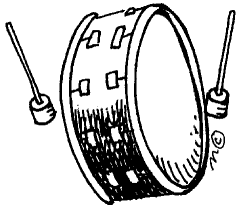
doras (dur-as)



dinnéar (din-air)



dubh (dub)



druma (druma)



dochtúir (duck-tour)



dó (doh)



Damhsa (Dow-sa)



doirteal (dirt-al)



dísle (deesh -la)

Aistriúcháin: doras - door,
druma - drum,
damhsa - dancing,

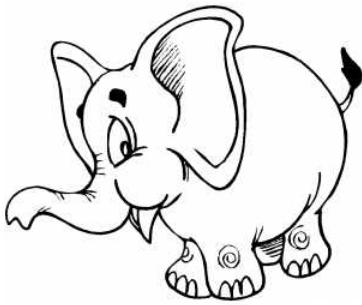
dinnéar - dinner,
dochtúir - doctor,
doirteal - sink,

dubh - black,
dó - two,
dísle - dice.

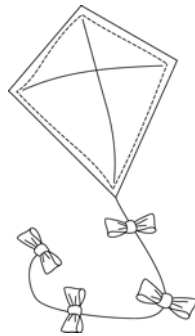
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eilifint (elephant)



eitleog (et-low-g)



eitleán (et-lawn)



eireaball (err-a-bal)

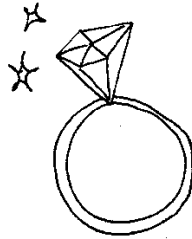
Aistriúcháin: eitleog - kite, eitleán - aeroplane, eireaball - tail

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frog (frug)



fáinne (fawn -ya)



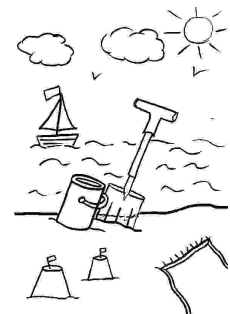
féiliceán (fail-ic-awn)



forc (fork)



fón (phone)



farraige (far-ig-e)

An litir g

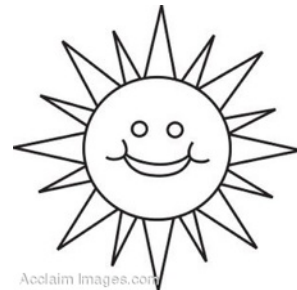
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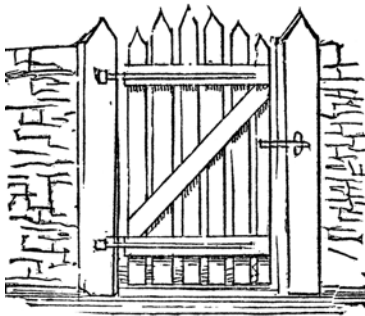
gúna (goo-na)



geansaí (gan-zee)



grian (gree-an)



geata (gat -a)



gruaig (grew- ig)



garda

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hamster (hamster)

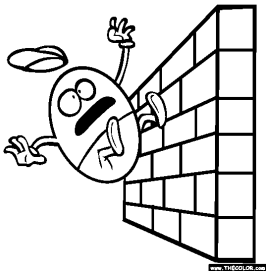


hata (hot-a)



hó hó hó

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Humptáí Dumptáí



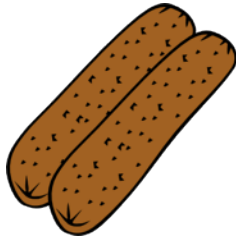
há há há

An litir i

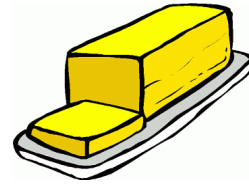
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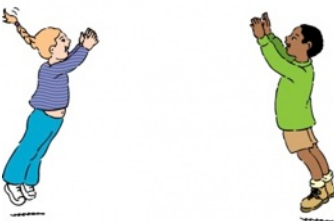
ithe (i-ha)



ispíní (ish-pee-nee)



im (im)



iománaíocht (im-aw-nee-oct)

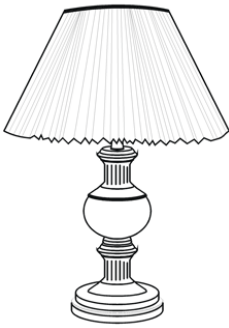


instealladh (inch-tala)

imirt (im-urt)

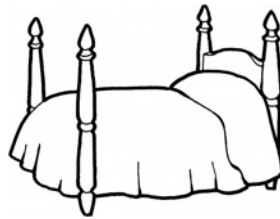
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lampa (laum-pa)



leaba (lab-a)



leabhar (lauw-er)



lacha (lock-a)



líreacháin (leer-a-cawn)

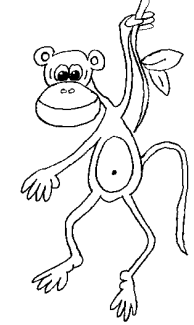


luch (luck)

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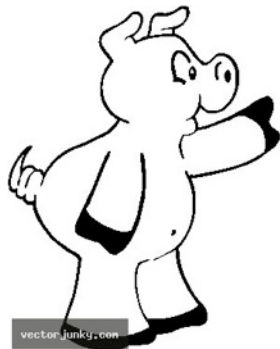
Moncaí (monkey)



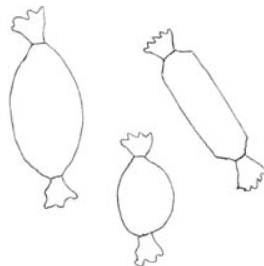
mála (maw-la)



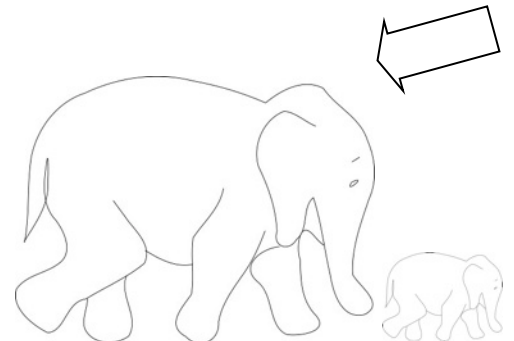
madra (mod-ra)



muc (muck)



milseáin (mill-shawn)



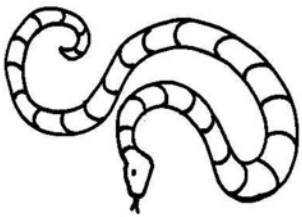
mór (moor)

Aistriúcháin: moncaí - monkey, mála - bag,
muc - pig, milseáin - sweets,

madra - dog,
mór - big

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nathair (na -hir)



naprún (nap-roon)



nuachtán (noo-ach-tawn)



nóinín (no-noon)



ní (nee)



nead (nee-yad)



naoi (nay)



nóid (noy -eed)

Aistriúcháin:

nathair - snake,
nead - nest,

naprún - apron,
naoi - nine ,

nuachtán - newspaper,
nóid - zero.

nóinín - daisy,

ní - wash,

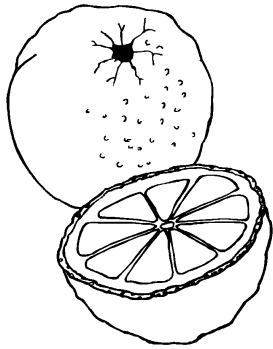
An litir o

N.B

- Déanann an litir o **fuaim difriúil** sa Ghaeilge ná sa Bhéarla. I nGaeilge, is ionann an fhuaim o agus an fhuaim u (cuir i gcás, ullchabhán agus uncail)
- Má thugann do pháiste faoi deara focail Béarla a thosnaíonn leis an litir u, mínigh dó/di go bhfuil litir difriúil i gceist as Béarla.

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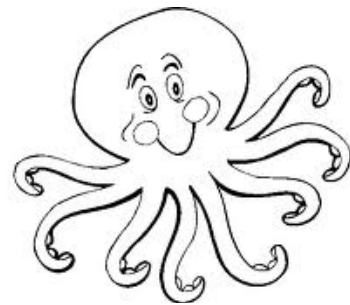
- Please note that the letter o makes a **different sound** in Irish than it does in English. In Irish, the letter o makes the sound that the letter u makes at the start of the words up and umbrella.
- If your child notices English words that start with u which sound similar (umbrella, under, uncle etc.) please explain that although they start with **the same sound**, they start with **a different letter**.



Oráiste (ur-aw-shta)



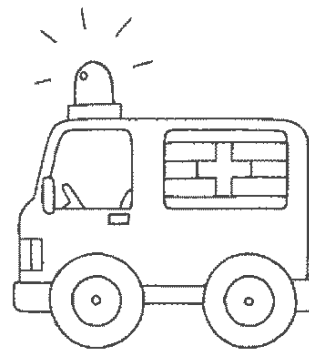
ollphéist (ul-fay-scht)



ochtopas (uc-ta-pas)



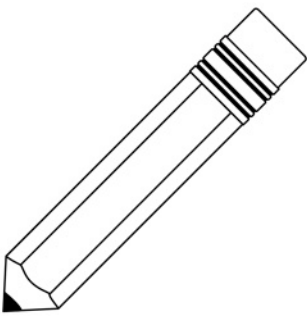
ordóg (ur-dogue)



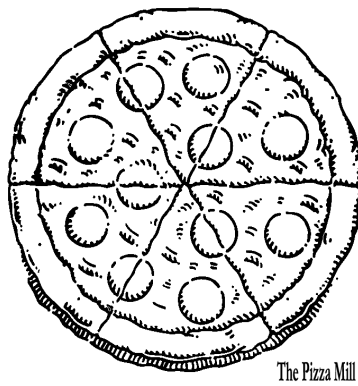
otharcharr (uher-cor)

An litir p

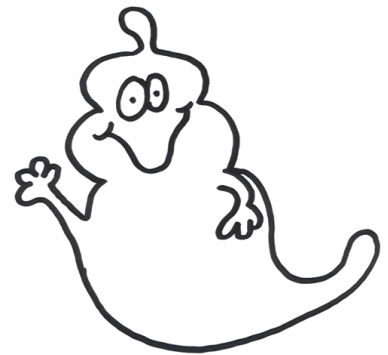
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Peann luaidhe



pizza



púca (poo-ca)



panda



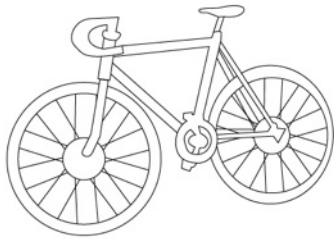
picnic



páistí (paw -shti)

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rothar (ru-her)



rópa (rope - a)



rósanna (rose-anna)



Rith (ri)



rás (raw -s)

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súil (sool)



sorcas (circus)



sáspan (saucepan)



sábh (saw -v)



solas (sull - as)



subh (suv)

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teidí (teddy)



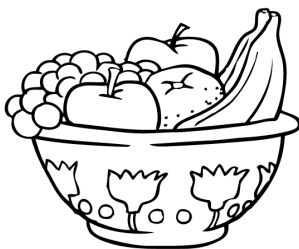
tuáille (two-all-a)



tarracóir (tarra-core)



tuirse (tear-sha)



torthaí (tur-hee)



tairne (thorn-a)



tolg (tull-ag)



tua (two-a)

Aistriúcháin:

tuáille - towel,
Tairne - nail,

tarracóir - tractor,
tolg - couch,

tuirse - tired,
tua - axe,

torthaí - fruit,

An litir u

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ulchabhán (ul-cav-awn)



ubh (uv)

Aistriúchán:

ulchabhán – owl,
ubh - egg

An litir v

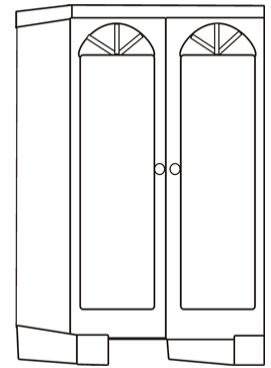
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veain (van)



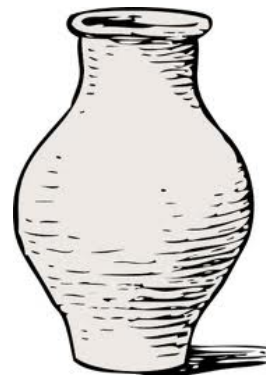
vaimpír (vamp - eer)



vardrús (vard- roos)



veist (vesh-t)



vása (vausa)