

Rules of reading of consonants
(правила чтения согласных)

1	bt → [t]	debt, doubt
2	c → [s] перед e, y, i	face, city, cinema, cycle, ice, center, а в остальных случаях cap, cat, come, cut
3	c → [ʃ] перед безударной гласной	ocean, social, special, musician, ancient
4	cc → [ks] перед e, y, i	accept, success, accent, accident, а в остальных случаях → [k] occur, according, occasion,
5	ch, tch → [tʃ]	chess, rich, cheese, much, kitchen, watch

6	ch → [k] только в словах греческого происхождения	school, chemistry, architect, character, technical, но исключение: machine
7	ck → [k]	black, sick, neck, check
8	d → [-] не произносится перед согласными	grand <u>d</u> mother, hand <u>d</u> some, hand <u>d</u> kerchief
9	dg → [dʒ]	bridge, knowledge, judge, sledge
10	ften → [fn]	often, soften

11	g → [dʒ] перед e, i, y	page, change, а в остальных случаях: go, get ,give,girl
12	gh → [-] не произносится	weigh, weight, eight, bought
13	gh → [f] после au, ou	laugh, enough, cough
14	gn → [n] в начале и в конце слова	foreign, sign
15	gg → [g]	egg, biggest

16	h → [h] исключение: <u>h</u> our, <u>h</u> onor, <u>h</u> onest, ex <u>h</u> ibition	he, have, husband,
17	k → [k]	keep, king, kitchen, kiss
18	kn → [n] в начале слова	know, knee, knife
19	l → [l]	lake, light, leg
20	l → [-] не произносится перед alm, alf, alk	ta <u>l</u> k, ca <u>l</u> m, ha <u>l</u> f, cha <u>l</u> k

21	mb → [m] в конце слова	climb <u>b</u> , bomb <u>b</u>
22	ng → [ŋ] в конце слова	autum <u>n</u> , colum <u>n</u>
23	ng → [ŋ] в конце слова	sing, song, thing
24	nk → [ŋ k]	drink, bank, ink
25	ph → [f] в словах греческого происхожден ия	phone, physics, phase

26	qu → [kw]	queen, question, quick. queue
27	qu → [k] в словах французского пр-ия	unique, technique
28	s → [ʃ]	sugar, sure
29	s → [z] после звонких согласных	pens, bags, days, girls, boys, please
30	ss → [s]	class, success

31	ss → [ʃ] перед безударным слогом	Russian, Belarussian
32	ssion → [ʃn]	session, discussion, commission
33	ssion → [ʃn] sion → [ʒn] в конце слова	decision, revision, television
34	sure → [ʒə]	pleasure, treasure, leisure
35	sh → [ʃ]	she, ship, fish, shop

36	sc → [s] перед e, l, y	science, scene,
37	sten → [sn]	list <u>en</u> , fast <u>en</u>
38	stle → [sl]	whist <u>le</u> , wrest <u>l</u> ing
39	th → [θ]	<u>th</u> ing, <u>th</u> ank, tooth <u>th</u>
40	th → [ə]	this, those, with, without, weath <u>th</u> er

41	tion → [ʃn]	attention, mention
42	ture → [tʃ ə]	picture, future, culture, feature, nature
43	wh → [w]	when, where, why, what, which, white,
44	who → [h]	who, whom, whole
45	wr → [r]	<u>w</u> rong, <u>w</u> rite, <u>w</u> restling

46	$x \rightarrow [ks]$ в конце слова	box, fox, taxi
47	$x \rightarrow [gz]$ перед ударной гласной	example, exist, exact

And now try to guess the transcription and the spelling of some words:

#	transcription	spelling
1		debt
2	[siti]	
3		ocean
4	[aksept]	
5		rich
6	[kemistri]	
7		black
8	[grənmΛəe]	
9		bridge

And now try to guess the transcription and the spelling of some words:

#	transcription	spelling
10		often
11	[peidg]	
12		weigh
13	[la:f]	
14		sign
15	[eg]	
16		he
17	[ki:p]	
18		knee