

Rozwiązania zadań z etapu pierwszego I Międzyszkolnego Konkursu Fonetycznego:

1. **Tomato** – the second syllable is stressed; all the remaining words (cabinet, dentistry, diagram) have the first syllable stressed.
2. **Dozen** – it should be pronounced /'dʌzn/, not/'dəʊzn/; the remaining ones (column /'kɒləm/, further /'fɜːðə(r)/, southern /'sʌðən/) were correct.
3. The right homophone match was:
 - Key – quay /kiː/
 - Cue – queue /kjuː/
 - You – ewe /juː/
 - Core – corps /kɔː(r)/
4. Words with the same vowel in the stressed syllable were:
 - Cut, muggle – thoroughly /ʌ /
 - Nurse, work – colonel / ɜː /
 - Thought, corner – water / ɔː /
 - Go, blow – though / əʊ /
5. More homophones to match:
 - Here – hear /hɪə(r)/
 - Hair – hare /heə(r)/
 - Hay – hey /heɪ/
 - Hi – high /haɪ/
6. The correct way to pronounce **duplication** is /'djuːplɪ'keɪʃn /.
7. The correct way to pronounce **pizza** is /'piːtsə/, not /'pɪtsə/; the remaining ones (certain /'sɜːɪtn/, instead /ɪn'sted/ and iron /'aɪən/) were correct.
8. The correct way to pronounce **automobile** is /'ɔːtəməbiːl /
9. The chain of words which was actually uttered was: cow /kaʊ/, come /kʌm/, comb /kəʊm/, came /keɪm/.
10. **Thames** /temz/ doesn't start with / θ /, all the remaining words (theme, thrush, thud) do.
11. **Retry** doesn't contain a mute consonant (one you don't pronounce), all the others (knot /nɒt/, numb /nʌm/, sword /sɔːd/) do.
12. The correct way to pronounce **particular** is /pə'tɪkjʊlə(r)/.