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Beginning Sounds

Every letter is a consonant except *a, e, i, o, u* and sometimes *y*.
The first letter in each of these words is a consonant.

- **b** as in **band** and **bag**
- **m** as in **men** and **mad**
- **n** as in **next** and **neat**
- **p** as in **pan** and **pat**
- **r** as in **rest** and **real**

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Here are consonant letters that begin words.

- **t** as in **tell** and **ten**
- **d** as in **dear** and **does**
- **f** as in **fit** and **felt**
- **v** as in **very**
- **w** as in **went** and **woman**
- **y** as in **your**