

Tape Script - PR 23

Ef /f/ (*fine*)

(old symbol: Ef -f-)

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PR Tape 23 Listening practice for the consonant sound -f- (/f/ Ef)

Part 1: Listen to these words with the -f- (/f/) sound:

face	family	if
find	coffee	safe
free	before	life
	refuse	

Part 2: Answer “same” or “different” for each pair of words. Say “same” or “different.” Begin:

Part 3: Tell which word has the -f- sound (/f/) – the same sound you hear in *find* and *family*. Say “1” or “2.” Begin:

This is the end of PR Tape 23.

(Please wait - the second part of the tape follows a long delay)

PR 23-C Pronunciation practice for the consonant sound -f- (/f/ Ef)

Part 1: Repeat:

fill
forms
fill out the forms
for
yourself
You’ll have to fill out the forms for yourself.

office
professor
the professor’s office

information

We went to the professor's office for some information.

coffee

half

half a cup of coffee

enough

Half a cup of coffee is enough for me, thanks.

traffic

freeway

freeway traffic

California

California freeway traffic

foreigners

afraid

Many foreigners are afraid to drive in California freeway traffic.

Part 2: Repeat the words in the box:

fix	fortunate	brief
famous	confident	grief
furnish	sufficient	tariff
	significant	

Now, say the word from that box which is a synonym for what you hear.

Begin:

short

sure

repair

enough

lucky

well-known

important

provide

sorrow

tax

Part 3: Repeat the phrases in each box:

The CALIFORNIA HOTEL offers

- ! elegant & comfortable furnishings
- ! a fast, efficient staff
- ! a world-famous French restaurant
- ! helpful tourist information
- ! thief proof locks in all rooms

The SAN FRANCISCO HOTEL offers

- ! free coffee in every room
- ! a friendly staff
- ! the world's finest chef
- ! fun for the entire family
- ! prices to fit your finances

Now, tell which hotel offers each thing you hear. Say complete sentences.

Example: free coffee in every room

The San Francisco Hotel offers free coffee in every room.

Repeat: The San Francisco Hotel offers free coffee in every room.

Begin: a world-famous French restaurant
helpful tourist information
a friendly staff
elegant & comfortable furnishings
prices to fit your finances
fun for the entire family
a fast and efficient staff
the world's finest chef
thief-proof locks in all rooms
free coffee in every room

This is the end of PR Tape 23-C.