

Tape Script - PR 33

Ar /r/ (*red*)

(old symbol: Ar -r-)

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PR Tape 33 Listening practice for the consonant sound -r- (/r/ Ar)

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

red	rain	receive
right	wrong	remember
read	radio	arrive
	reason	very

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

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

This is the end of PR Tape 33.

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

PR 33-C Pronunciation practice for the consonant sound -r- (/r/ Ar)

Part 1: Repeat:

very
restaurant
a very good restaurant
recommend
Can you recommend a very good restaurant?

rent
room
rather
The rent’s rather expensive for a three-room apartment.

wrong
every
correct
I correct every wrong answer.

interesting
report
an interesting report
radio
I heard an interesting report on the radio.
region
difference
regional differences
regional differences among Americans
I heard an interesting report on the radio about regional differences among Americans.

Part 2: Repeat the words in the box:

rush	rare	recall
rude	ruin	routine
risk	rapid	region
	respond	

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

fast

hurry

habit

unusual

answer

impolite

remember

danger

area

destroy

Part 3: Repeat the phrases:

to respond rudely to a question
to rob rich people
to correct all your roommate's homework
to refuse to help refugees
to respect other religions
to help your roommate review for a test
to recommend a bad restaurant to your friends
to give wrong directions to strangers
to report a friend who is cheating on a test
to read your roommate's mail without permission

Now, tell your opinion. Add "*It's wrong...*" or "*It's not wrong...*" at the beginning of each phrase you hear.

This is the end of PR Tape 33-C.