

Pronunciation Practice Exercises for final's'

Voiceless sounds take /s/ Imagine the sound a snake might make ...SSSSSSSSSS	Voiced sounds take /z/ Imagine the sound a bee might make...ZZZZZZZZ	These sounds take /iz/ Similar to the word 'is'
These sounds are voiceless: /f/ /h/ /k/ /p/ /t/	These sounds are voiced: /b/ /d/ /g/ /j/ /l/ /m/ /n/ /ng/ /r/ /v/ /w/ + all vowel sounds	/s/ /ks/ /z/ /dg/
EXAMPLES: <i>laughs /laefs/</i> <i>talks /toks/</i>	EXAMPLES: <i>rubs /rubz/</i> <i>sings /singz/</i>	EXAMPLES: <i>kisses /kisiz/</i> <i>boxes /boksiz/</i>

Say the following words out loud and then put them in the correct columns according to the sound of the plural or third person 's':

boys damages graduates lessons minutes products
 cheques earns hates lives paints sandwiches
 closes faces hours loves phrases things
 cooks girls james's messages places wants

/s/	/z/	/iz/