Portuguese Alphabet Sounds:

Vowel sounds

	a	e	i	o	u
Open Stressed	f**a**ther	p**e**t	s**ee**	**o**ff	f**oo**d
Open Unstressed	f**a**ther	ro**se**s	s**ee**	**o**ff	f**oo**d
Closed Stressed	b**u**t	th**ey**	b**i**t	g**o**	p**u**t
Closed Unstressed	b**u**t	happ**y**	b**i**t	b**oo**k	p**u**t

Accent Marks

Acute accent: ´ dignifies an open vowel in a stressed syllable

Circumflex accent: ^ dignifies a closed syllable in a stressed syllable

Tilde accent: ~ creates a nasal sound of the vowel and a soft “m” is added to the vowel. A similar effect when a vowel is followed by an n or m

Diphthongs:

Ai aye
Ei ay
Oi oi
Ui ooey
Au ow
Ao ow

Eu ayu
Ou cross between h**o**t and fl**o**w
Iu ew
Ãe aye[ng]
Õe oi[ng]
Ão ow[ng]

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In the table below, use the drop down menu to select the correct sound for each vowel sound in the chart. This is just practice so use the table as needed.

	a	e	i	o	u
Open Stressed					
Open Unstressed					
Closed Stressed					
Closed Unstressed					

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