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Os sons de /θ/ e /ð/

DOMINANDO A PRONÚNCIA DO INGLÊS
OS SONS DA LÍNGUA INGLESA: CONSOANTES
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O som de /θ/ (TH não vozeado) e /ð/ (TH vozeado)

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É comum ouvir falar que o som de TH em inglês seja um dos mais difíceis para falantes de português. Trata-se de um som inexistente na língua portuguesa e, por isso a dificuldade. Porém, não existe um som de TH, mas dois.

O Som de TH não vozeado /θ/ é feito com a língua entre os dentes através da passagem de ar sem vibração nas cordas vocais. O som de TH vozeado /ð/ assume a mesma posição da língua, também utiliza a passagem de ar entre os dentes, mas causa vibração nas cordas vocais.

1 Som de /θ/ (TH não vozeado) no começo de palavras

think /θɪŋk/

EXAMPLE

I **think** so.

thanks /θæŋks/

EXAMPLE

Thanks for your advice.

thin /θɪn/

EXAMPLE

She's tall and **thin**.

three /θri:/

EXAMPLE

I see **three** trees in the distance.

thing /θɪŋ/

EXAMPLE

I give thanks for every little **thing**.**third** /θɜ:rd/

EXAMPLE

He came in **third** place.**thumb** /θʌm/

EXAMPLE

How did you cut your **thumb**?**thirty** /'θɜ:rti/

EXAMPLE

They have **thirty** cats.**thirteen** /,θɜ:r'ti:n/

EXAMPLE

The bus has **thirteen** seats for passengers.**Thursday** /'θɜ:rzdeɪ/

EXAMPLE

They will be here on **Thursday**.

2 Som de /θ/ (TH não vozeado) no meio de palavras

toothpick /'tu:θpɪk/

EXAMPLE

He used a **toothpick** to clean his teeth.**birthday** /'bɜ:rθdeɪ/

EXAMPLE

My **birthday** is on the fourth of December.

healthy /'helθi/

EXAMPLE

We have a very **healthy** diet.**something** /'sʌmθɪŋ/

EXAMPLE

Do you have **something** to say?**anything** /'eniθɪŋ/

EXAMPLE

Would you like **anything** else?**athlete** /'æθli:t/

EXAMPLE

The **athletes** are training hard for the Olympics.

3 Som de /θ/ (TH não vozeado) no fim de palavras

math /mæθ/

EXAMPLE

Math is his favorite subject.**tooth** /tu:θ/

EXAMPLE

He had a **tooth** pulled out.**teeth** /ti:θ/

EXAMPLE

The baby has no **teeth**.**fifth** /fɪfθ/

EXAMPLE

You're the **fifth** person to ask me that question.

breath /breθ/

EXAMPLE

He seemed a little out of **breath**.**earth** /ɜ:rθ/

EXAMPLE

I live on planet **earth**.**mouth** /maʊθ/

EXAMPLE

Don't talk with your **mouth** full!**South** /saʊθ/

EXAMPLE

They bought a house in the **South** of Germany.**North** /nɔ:rθ/

EXAMPLE

Houses are less expensive in the **North**.

4 Som de /ð/ (TH vozeado) no começo de palavras

that /ðæt/

EXAMPLE

That is not my problem.**this** /ðɪs/

EXAMPLE

This book is mine.**those** /ðoʊz/

EXAMPLE

Can I help you with **those** bags?

these /ði:z/

EXAMPLE

What are **these** toys doing here?**they /ðeɪ/**

EXAMPLE

They are very nice people.**them /ðem/**

EXAMPLE

I don't like **them**.**their /ðer/**

EXAMPLE

He gave them **their** coats.**there /ðer/**

EXAMPLE

There is that book you were looking for.**the /ðə/ ou /ði/**

EXAMPLE

Let's go to **the** movies.

5 Som de /ð/ (TH vozeado) vozeado no meio de palavras

other /'ʌðər/

EXAMPLE

He's waiting on the **other** side of the street.**another /ə'ʌðər/**

EXAMPLE

Would you like **another** cup of tea?

either / 'i:ðər/ ou / 'aɪðər/

EXAMPLE

I left it **either** at home or in the car.

father / 'fɑ:ðər/

EXAMPLE

Tell your **father** I was asking after him.

mother / 'mʌðər/

EXAMPLE

That's my **mother**.

brother / 'brʌðər/

EXAMPLE

I have just one **brother**.

feather / 'feðər/

EXAMPLE

Where did you find that **feather**?

weather / 'weðər/

EXAMPLE

What's the **weather** like outside?

clothing / 'kloʊðɪŋ/

EXAMPLE

Please make sure you bring warm **clothing**.

together /tə 'geðər/

EXAMPLE

We're in this **together**.

6 Som de /ð/ (TH vozeado) no final de palavras

breathe /bri:ð/

EXAMPLE

Try to **breathe** normally.

loathe /louð/

EXAMPLE

They **loathe** each other.

bathe /beɪð/

EXAMPLE

I **bathe** every day.

seethe /si:ð/

EXAMPLE

She was **seething** at the insult.

clothe /kloʊð/

EXAMPLE

They have eight kids to feed and **clothe**.

smooth /smu:ð/

EXAMPLE

The baby's skin is so **smooth**!