

TONGUE TWISTERS

A **tongue twister** is a phrase or sentence that is difficult to speak quickly, usually because of alliteration (same consonant sound) or a sequence of similar sounding words. Tongue twisters are great exercises for singers!

1. Red leather, yellow leather (x3)

2. Mixed biscuits (x3)

3. I wish to wash my Irish wrist watch.

4. Real Rock Wall (x3)

5. Purple paper people (x3)

6. Any noise annoys an oyster, but a noisy noise annoys an oyster most.

7. Rory the warrior and Roger the worrier were reared wrongly in a rural brewery.

8. A big black bug bit a big black bear, made the big black bear bleed blood.

9. Four furious friends fought for the phone.

10. So, this is the Sushi Chef.

TIPS FOR TONGUE TWISTERS

1. Start slowly and carefully.
2. Make sure the beginning AND the end of the word is clear.
3. Repeat the phrase, gradually speed up while keeping clarity.



* Can be sung legato or staccato