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long A	make, air, way, hey	
B	baby	
soft C	nice, circus	
hard C	camel, sick, Christmas	
CH	cheese, catch, picture	
D	dog, add	
short E	earn, pet	
long E	be, bleach, Mary, radio	
F	fish, phone, tough	
soft G	gorgeous, gym, judge	
hard G	girl, ghost	
H	how, who	
short I	hid, bit	
long I	hide, bite, eye	
J	jungle, judge	
K	pick, kid, technology, clique	
L	lead, bell	
M	mummy	

N	N ile	
short O	O g, all , sh aw l	
long O	O se, sew , mow , boat	
OO	OO d, blu e	
OO	OO k, pu sh	
P	P et	
QU	QU sounds like K+W , so combine the K and W hieroglyphics	
R	R ain	
soft S	S it, nic e, rat s	
sharp S	S ission, meas ure	
z-like S	S ays, los er	
SH	SH ip, sug ar, missi on, fricti on, mach ine	
T	T iger	
TH	Egyptians had no sound for TH as pronounced in th is and th at. Closest match is the D sound.	
TH	Egyptians had no sound for TH as pronounced in th ink and math . Closest match is the T sound.	
short U	U t, ab out, ug ly	
long U	U de, fo od, blu e	
V	V iper	
W	W ind, wh at, cow	

X	examine	
hard Y	crayon, yes	
vowel Y	use hieroglyph for long E in words like ready and Mary	
vowel Y	use hieroglyph for short and long I in words like gym and byte	
Z	zebra, dogs, fission, Xerox	