



## Practice Whole **Word** Production

### *Minimal Pairs :*

bag – bat

Poem- pose

race – raise

tray –trade

### *Final Consonant Production:*

Pack

Loud

Have

Win

# MASTERING ACCENT REDUCTION:

UNLOCKING THE 5  
FOUNDATIONS TO  
ACCENT SUCCESS

**Be Sure to  
Pronounce all  
syllables in the word.**

governor

probably

telephone

customer

## Master the Pause

/ = short pause (roughly 1 second)

// = mid-length pause (roughly 2 seconds)

/// = long pause (roughly 3 seconds)



## Telephone and Virtual **Tips** for **Success**

- Body language impacts your voice. Smile, sit up straight, project confidence.
- Say your number as soon as you introduce yourself.
- Pause between your first and last name. Break your phone number into chunks with pauses as well.
- State your company name in a strong, powerful voice. If there is more than one word, pause again.
- Use nouns to clarify letters of names (e.g., t - as in tiger and z - as in zebra).

**For more information on how our tailored training programs can help you achieve accent success, feel free to reach out to us at the contact details provided below.**

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