

/e/, /ə/, /ɜ:/

	Usual spellings	But also
/e/	e (lend)	ie (friendly) ea (healthy) a (many) ai (said)
/ə/	different spellings, but always unstressed (about , other , information , complain)	
/ɜ:/	er (term), ir (third), ur (turn),	ear (learn) or (work) our (journey)

/æ/, /ʌ/, /ɑ:/

	Usual spellings	But also
/æ/	a (fan, carry, land)	
/ʌ/	u (cup, subject),	o (money, something) ou (enough, country)
/ɑ:/	ar (garden, starter), a (glass, path),	au (aunt, laugh) ear (heart)

/ɔ:/, /ɒ/

	Usual spellings	But also
/ɔ:/	or (horse, floor), al (bald, wall), aw (draw, prawns),	ar (warm) our (course) ough (thought) ough (caught) au (audience) oar (board)
/ɒ/	o (cost, lorry, plot)	a (watch, want) au (sausage, because)

/ʊ/, /u:/

	Usual spellings	But also
/ʊ/	u (full, butcher) oo (book, good, cook)	oul (would, could) o (woman)
/u:/	oo (pool, moody), cons.+u +e (true) ew (few, view).	

/ɪ/ , /i:/

	Usual spellings	But also
/ɪ/	i (fit, bill, ticket)	e (pretty, decided) o (women) u (busy) a (village) y (physics)
/i:/	ee (speed, sweet), ea (team) , e (medium, refund)	eo (people) i (magazine) ey (key) ie (niece) ei (receipt)