

A COLLECTION OF PRONUNCIATION ERRORS

ABANDONED

ABROAD

ACCEPT x EXCEPT

ACCESSORY

to ACCOMPANY; ACCOMPANIED

ACHE (HEADACHE)

ACHIEVEMENT

ACQUAINTANCE

ADAPT x ADOPT

ADDITIONAL

ADJACENT

ADJECTIVE, ADJECTIVAL

ADMIRE x ADMIRABLE

ADO

ADOBE READER

ADVERTISEMENT x ADVERTISING x ADVERT

AEON

AERIAL

AEROBICS

AFFIDAVIT

AGILE

AISLE; to walk down the aisle

ALASKA

ALLEGIANCE

to ALLOW, an ALLOWANCE

ALMOND

ALSO

ALTAR

AMIABLE

AMICABLE

ANALOGY

ANALYSIS, pl. **ANALYSES**

to **ANALYSE** – 3rd pers.sg. he/she **ANALYSES**

ANATHEMA

ANCHOR

ANGELES (L.A.) x ANGLES

ANT, ANTEATER

ANXIETY

APOSTROPHE, CATASTROPHE

APPETITE

ARAB, ARABIC

AREN'T

ALBEIT

ARCHAIC

ARCHANGEL x ARCHBISHOP

ARCHIPELAGO

ARCHITECT(URE)

ARCTIC

AREA

*Aspirations: if they're missing after ptk under stress
they're perceived as bdg.*

Recent confusion: POMPEI x BOMBAY

ASSESSMENT

ASSOCIATED

ASTHMA

ATHLETE x ATHLETICS

ATROCIOUS

ATYPICAL

AUBERGINE

AUNT

AUSTRALIA

AUTOMOBILE

AWE

BABEL

BALD x BOLD

BALET

the BALKANS

BALM

BANAL

BASIC, BASICALLY

BASS (in music) x BASS (fish)

BEAR

BEARD x BIRD

BEELZEBUB

BELARUS

BELOVED

BERET

BIRMINGHAM

BLOOD

BOAST x BOOST

BOMB

BOROUGH

BOUGH a branch

BOUGHT

**BOW a ribbon, a tie = a BOW and arrow
to BOW to the audience**

BRAZIL

BREATH x to BREATHE
BRISTOL x BRISTLE
BROCHURE
BROOCH
BUDDHA, BUDDHISM
BULLET
BULLOCK
BULLY
BUSH
BUTCHER
BUTTOCKS
CACHE
CAESAR SALAD, CAESAREAN SECTION
CAFÉ – CAFFE - COFFEE
CAMBRIDGE
CAMEL
CANAL x KENNEL
CANOE
CAPABLE
CAREER x CARRIER
CARNIVORE
CASTLE
CATHOLIC, CATHOLICISM
CAUCASIAN
CEDAR
CENSURE
CERAMIC
CHALET
CHAMPAGNE
CHANDELIER

CHANGE, RANGE, STRANGE
CHARACTER, CHARACTERISTIC
CHASM
CHEF
CHEMISTRY
CHICAGO
CHILE
CHIMERA
CHOIR
CIRCUIT, CIRCUMSTANCES
CLAW
CLEANSE x CLEAN
CLERK
CLIMB, CLIMBER – THUMB – DUMB
CLOTHES x CLOTHS
COAST x COST
COCA-COLA
COLONEL
COLUMN
COLLEAGUE
COMB
COMFORTABLE
COMPANY
COMPONENT
COMRADE
CONCERTO
CONSCIENCE (x SCIENCE), CONSCIENTIOUS, -LY
CONSCIOUSNESS
CONSEQUENCE x SEQUENCE
CONSIST, INSIST

CORPS

COUGH

COUNTRY

COURSE x CURSE

a COVE

COVER x COWARD

to CREATE - CREATION – CREATURE

CRETE

CROOKED

CRUISE

CUPBOARD

CUSHION

CUTICLE

CZECH

DAGGER

DAIRY

DEAF

DEBRIS

DEBT, DEBTOR

DECADE x DECAY

DECLINE

DECORATIVE

DELETE

DEMOSTHENES

DEPTH

DESCENT

DESERT x to DESERT, a DESSERT

DETERMINED

DEVIL x EVIL

DIARRHEA, DIARRHOE

DIFFER

DILATE

DILEMMA

DIPHtheria

DIVORCED

DON'T

DOUBT

DOUGH

DOVE

DOZEN

DRAUGHT

DREARY

DROUGHT

DUCAT

DYNASTY

ECHO

ECONOMY, ECONOMIST, ECONOMICS,

ECONOMETRICS, ECONOMICIZATION

EDINBURGH

EGYPT

ELABORATE adj., to ELABORATE

ELECTORAL

ELITE

ENDEAVOUR

to ENDOW

ENGINE

EPOCH(AL)

ERUDITE

ESPRESSO

EUROPEAN

EVENT

EWE a female sheep

to **EXAMINE**

EXCURSION, INCURSION

EXPENSIVE

EXPERTISE

FAÇADE

FEUD

FIANCÉ, FIANCÉE

FIGURE

FINALE

FINANCE

FLOUR FLOWER FLOOR

FOCUS

FOLK

FORTE

FRAUD x FREUD

FRONT

FRUIT

GAOL

GARAGE

GAUGE

GENERAL

GENRE

GENUINE

GESTURE

GIGANTIC

GIGGLE

GINGER

GLOUCESTER

GLOVES
to **GNAW**
GNOME
GORGEOUS
GRAPEFRUIT
GREENWICH
GRIND
GUINEA-PIG
GYNAECOLOGIST
HACKNEYED
HARASSMENT
HARE
HEARSE
HEAVE x HEAVEN x HAVEN
HEIR
HELIUM, HELIX
HEPATITIS
HEROINE x HERO
HIATUS
HIDEOUS
HIERARCHY, HIERARCHICAL
HI-FI
HIGH x HEIGHT
HILARIOUS
HOMOGENEOUS
HONEST, HONOUR
HOSTEL
HOTEL
HYMN
HYPERBOLE

HYPERMARKET
HYPOTHESIS, -ES
IKEA
INDECISIVE
INNATE
INSECTICIDE
INSIST
INSOLENT
INSOUCIANT
INTERESTING, INTERESTED
INTRINSIC
IRON
ISLAND x ICELAND;
ISLE OF ..., ISLET a little one
ISOSCELES
ISSUE
ITINERARY
JAGUAR
JAPAN, JAPANESE
KEY
KINDLING
KNEAD
KNIFE
KNIGHT
LAMB
LAPEL
LAUGH(TER)
LAUREATE
LEAD (UNLEADED PETROL)
LEICESTER

LEONARD x LEO
LEVIATHAN
LEVI'S
LETHAL
LIEU
LIEUTENANT
LILAC
LINEN x LINING
LONGEVITY
LONGING
LOW x LAW
MACABRE
MACHETE
MADRID
MAGI
MANIAC, MANIACAL
MARGARINE
MARGIN, -AL
MASSACRE
MASSAGE
MATTE
MAURICIUS
MAYONNAISE
MAYOR, MAYORAL
MEDIA, to MEDiate x IMMEDIATE
MEDIEVAL
MELEE
MIGRAINE
MINIATURE
MINUTE (60 seconds) x MINUTE (very little)

MISCELLANEOUS

MODEL

MOLE

MONTH

MOSQUITO

MOUE

MOUSTACHE

NAÏVE, NAÏVETY

NAPLES

NATION x NATIONAL

NATURE x NATURAL

the NOBEL Prize

NOMINALISATION

NOVEL

to OCCUR, OCCURRENCE

OBSTINATE

OCCUPATION

OLD

OMIT, OMISSION

OMNISCIENT

ONLY

OPPORTUNITY

ORCHARD

OVEN

OWL

to OWN; my OWN

PALM

PARENT

PARIAH

PARLIAMENT

PARQUET

PARTICIPANT

PARTICULAR

PASTICHE

PASTORAL

PATIO

PATROL x PETROL

a PEAR (the fruit) as opposed to a PIER x to PURR

PENAL

PER CENT

PERCHANCE

PERSON x PERSONAL x PERSONNEL

PHARAOH; pharaoh ants

THE PHILIPPINES

PHONETICS, PHONETICIAN

PHOTOGRAPH, PHOTOGRAPHY

PHTHISIS

PICTURESQUE

PILATES

PINAFORE

PISCES

PLAGUE

PLAIT

PLAQUE

PLUMB x PLUMP

PLUMBER

PNEUMATIC DRILL

PNEUMONIA

POEM

Polish x POLISH

POLL

POSSESSION

POST

POUR

a PREFACE to a book

PRICE cost x PRIZE award

PRIORITY

PRIVACY

PROBLEM

PROLOGUE

PROSTHETIC

PSALM

PSORIASIS

PSYCHIATRY, -IST

PSYCHOLOGY, -IST

PUBLIC

PUPIL the same pron. for 'student' and 'eye'

PURCHASE

PURE

PUT, PUTT

QUARTZ

QUAY

QUESTIONNAIRE

QUEUE

RAPPORT

Reading x reading

RECEIPT

RECIPE

A RECORD; TO RECORD

REFER, REFERRED TO, REFERENCE

REHEARSAL, TO REHEARSE

REPUGNANT

RESERVOIR

RESTAURANT

REVOLUTION

RHETORICS x RHETORIC adj.

ROGUE x ROUGE

ROOT x ROUTE x **ROUTER**

ROW (a line) x **ROW** (a quarrel)

SACCHARIDE

SALMON

SCARCE, -LY

SCENE, SCENERY

SCHEME

SCHIZOPHRENIA, -IC

SCIATICA

SCYTHE x SCATHE (to escape unscathed)

SEISMIC

SEMIOTICS

to SEPARATE x SEPARATE (adj.) lives

to SEVER = separate x SEVERE cold

SHARED

SHOT x SHOOT

SHOULD

SIEVE

SIMILE

SINCERELY

SINGER

SLOTH

SOLUTION

SOME

SOUR

SPAGHETTI

STEINBECK (JOHN)

SUBTLE

SUCCESS

SUEDE

SUFFICE

SUICIDE

SUIT x SUITE

SUPER

SURFACE

SURVEILLANCE

SURVEY

SWAN

SWEAT x SWEET, SWEATER

SWORD

SYNTAX

TARGET

TEAR-TORE-TORN as opposed to crying TEARS

TECHNICAL

TEMPLATE

THEATRICAL

THEIR

THERMOMETER

THESAURUS

THESIS, -ES

THOROUGH – THOROUGHLY –

THOROUGHFARE

THROUGH

THROUGHOUT

THRILLER - TRAILER

TOBACCO

TOMB RAIDER

TOWARD

TREASURE

TRIPARTITE

TROUGH

TSAR

20th – PRETTIER – the LOVELIEST

UKRAINE

UNIT, UNITED, UNITY

UNIVERSITY

UNPRECEDENTED

URBAN

URGE, URGENT

a USE x to USE, an ABUSE x to ABUSE

USUALLY

VALLEY x WALLET x VALET

VARIABLE

VEGETABLE

VEHICLE

VENEREAL

VENOM, -OUS (poison, -ous)

VENOUS (e.g. intravenous, into the vein)

VENUS planet

VICIOUS

VILLAGE

VINEYARD

VISCOUNT
VOLLEYBALL
VOW
VOYAGE
WARY x WEARY
WEAR
WEIRD
WHILST
WICKED
WI-FI
WILD x WILDERNESS
WILT
WIND – WOUND - WOUND
WOLF
WOMB
WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE
WORD
WORK
WORLD
WORRIED
WOUND
WRATH
WREATH
XENOPHOBIA
XYLOPHONE
YACHT
YAWN
ZOO
ZOOLOGY

