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ENGLISH PHONETICS

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Lesson 26 /b/

Listen to the words.

boy above cub



Meet the
phonetic
symbol.

/b/

Produce the sound.



/b/

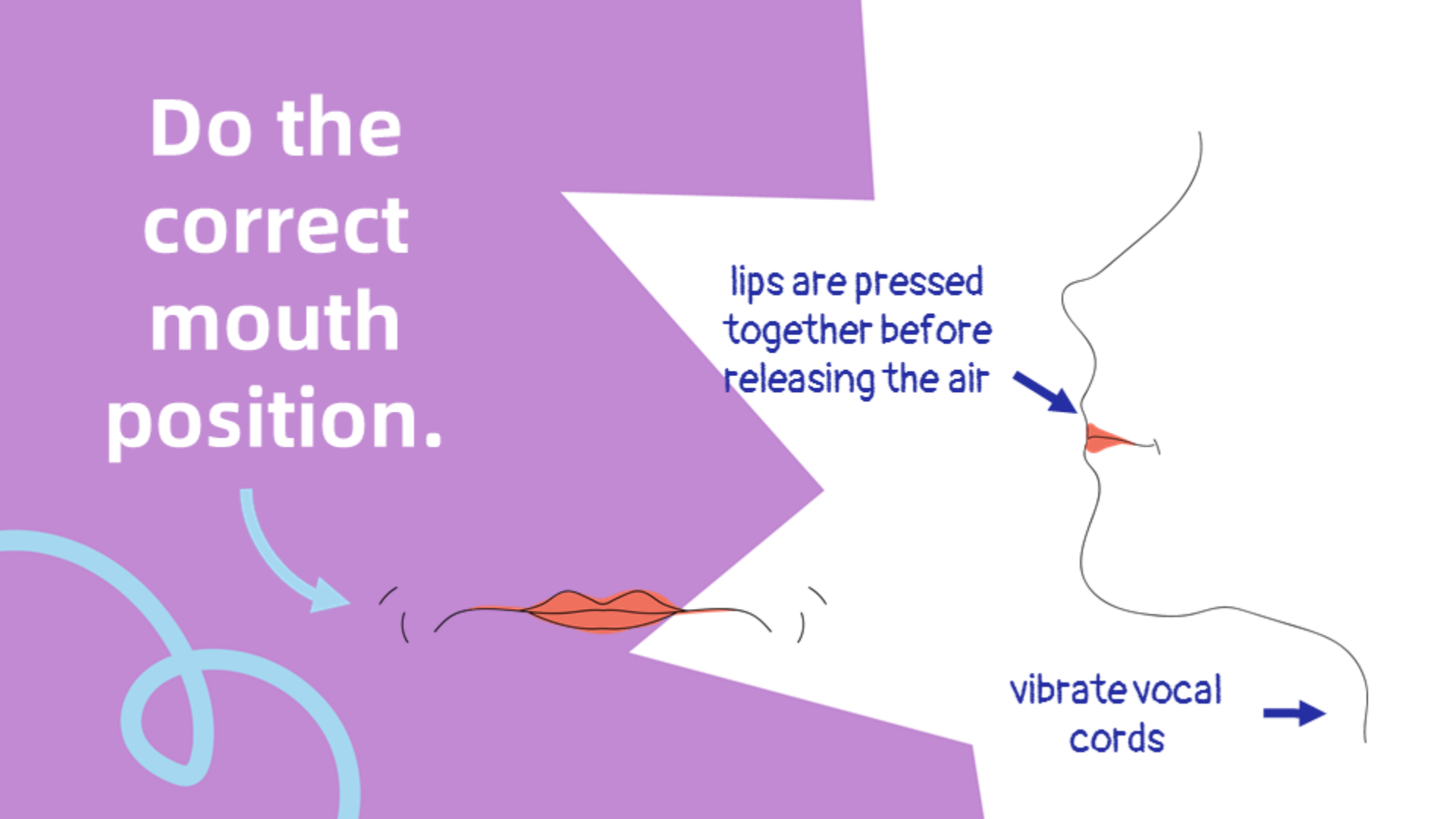
baby, book, boat : [b]

The image features a woman's face on the left and a close-up of her lips on the right, both set against a blue background. The phonetic symbol **/b/** is displayed in large black font in the upper right. A blue banner at the bottom contains the text "baby, book, boat : [b]".

Do the
correct
mouth
position.

lips are pressed
together before
releasing the air

vibrate vocal
cords



Words that have the /b/ sound

bird

blue

best

band

black

bear

b

Words that have the /b/ sound

above label rabbit

album lobby pebble

b

Words that have the /b/ sound

rob

club

tube

pub

crab

tribe

b

Silent /b/ Sound

Most silent **b**'s come at the end of words.

m + b = /m/

climb

comb

thumb

b + t = /t/

debt

doubt

subtle

Exception:

The two letters are in different syllables.

Example:

number (num.ber)

Listen, repeat, and then read.

/b/

black cub

a boy band

a big problem

the baby's bathtub



Listen, repeat, and then read.

/b/

Bob broke the tube.

The baby likes bubbles.

The big bear is brown.

Bobby bought a new crib.



Listen and tick (✓) all words with the /b/ sound.

barber

climb

boot

tomb

scrub

bulb

bend

debt

lamb

Identify if both words have the /b/ sound.

Y

N

1

able

bee

Y

N

2

numb

ball

Y

N

3

bomb

doubt

Y

N

4

beast

disturb

Y

N

5

subtract

member

Count the words with the /b/ sound
in each sentence.

- 1 I saw a big black beetle.
- 2 Mom and Dad went abroad last year.
- 3 The baby plays with his ball.
- 4 Bea and Bob bought five apples.

Listen and do the pronunciation tip.

Vibration Check!

Put your hand gently on your throat and say the **/b/** sound. You should feel some vibration in your throat when you make the sound. Try it!





TONGUE TWISTER!

**Bobby bought bright
blue balloons.**

WELL DONE!

Sound: **/b/**

Spelling: **b**