

## Guide to pronunciation

Vowel sounds approximate those of Latin or Spanish. Long or stressed vowels, marked for convenience in the glossary following, are not identified by macrons in print. The orthography of Fijian consonants employs several simple conventions that can mislead the foreign speaker.

b is mb as in member

c is th voiced as in then

d is nd like nd in candy

g is ng as in sing but may also occur at the beginning of a word

(as does q)

q is ng voiced as in finger

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