

# Hebrew Vowels

(This chart reads from **right to left** - Just like the Hebrew language.)



Sound	Vowel	Vowel Name
Short "eh" sound as in <u>pe</u> t.	אֵ	<b>Segol</b>
Long "awe" sound as in <u>aw</u> esome.	אָ	<b>Kamets</b>
Short "uh" sound as in <u>bo</u> ok.	וּ	<b>Kibuts</b>
Long "ooh" sound as in <u>bo</u> ot.	וֹ	<b>Shurek</b>
Long "ay" sound as in <u>ha</u> y.	אֵי   אֵי	<b>Tsere/Tsere Yod</b>
Long "oh" sound as in <u>ro</u> w.	אוֹ אוּ	<b>Cholem &amp; Cholem vav</b>
Long "oi" sound as in <u>bo</u> y.	אוי	<b>Cholem Yod</b>

# More Hebrew Vowels

Short “ih” sound as in <u>s</u> it.	יִ	<b>Chirek</b>
Long “ee” sound as in <u>see</u> .	יֵי	<b>Chirek Yod</b>
Short “ah” sound as in <u>l</u> ah.	אִ	<b>Patach</b>
Long “ai” sound as in <u>ai</u> le.	אֵי	<b>Patach Yod</b>
Smallest sound you can make: Like in the English words <u>th</u> e and <u>a</u> bout. Sometimes also <u>sil</u> ent.	ִי	<b>Sheva</b>
Long “oh” sound as in <u>pill</u> ow.	וִי	<b>Chateph Kamets</b>
Short “eh” sound	ֵי	<b>Chateph Segol</b>
Short “ah” sound	ִי	<b>Chateph Patach</b>