

Consonant to Vowel Linking

In spoken English, linking consonants into words that begin with vowels is especially important because it is always done. Not only does it make you sound more fluent, but your listeners expect to hear it. In other words, if they don't, you will sound choppy and robotic.

But, how do we do it? Look at the sentences below and pay attention to how the consonants are linked to the vowels:

*With social networking, it's **easier** to **keep in touch** with people.*

*Text messages **are less expensive** than phone calls.*

*Real cards **are nicer than e-cards**.*

Now listen carefully to the audio file. Repeat over and over again with the file to master this speaking skill. This helps you to sound natural when speaking in English.

