

## A COLLECTION OF PRONUNCIATION ERRORS

ABANDONED

ABROAD

ACCEPT x EXCEPT

to ACCOMPANY; ACCOMPANIED

ACHIEVEMENT

ADMIRE x ADMIRABLE

AERIAL

AISLE; to walk down the aisle

ALASKA

to ALLOW, an ALLOWANCE

ALSO

ANALYSIS, pl. ANALYSES

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

ANCHOR

APPETITE

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

***Recent confusion: POMPEI x BOMBAY***

ASSESSMENT

ASTHMA

ATROCIOUS

AWE

BABEL

BALET

BASIC

BEARD x BIRD

BLOOD

BOAST x BOOST

BOROUGH

BOUGH a branch

BOUGHT

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

BREATH x to BREATHE

BULLET

BULLY

BUSH

BUTCHER

CAFÉ – CAFFE - COFFEE

CANAL x KENNEL

CAPABLE

CARNIVORE

CHAMPAGNE

CHARACTER, CHARACTERISTIC

CHASM

CHEF

CHEMISTRY

CHICAGO

CHOIR

CLAW

CLIMB, CLIMBER – THUMB - DUMB

COLONEL

COMFORTABLE

CONSCIENCE (x SCIENCE), CONSCIENTIOUS,-LY

CONSCIOUSNESS

COUGH

COUNTRY

COURSE x CURSE  
a COVE  
to CREATE - CREATION – CREATURE  
CRUISE  
CUSHION  
DAGGER  
DEBT, DEBTOR  
DECLINE  
DEMOSTHENES  
DESERT x to DESERT, a DESSERT  
DETERMINED  
DEVIL x EVIL  
DIARRHEA, DIARRHOE  
DIPHTHERIA  
DIVORCED  
DOUBT  
DOVE  
DOZEN  
ECHO  
ECONOMY, ECONOMIST, ECONOMICS,  
ECONOMETRICS, ECONOMICIZATION  
EVENT  
EWE a female sheep  
EPOCH(AL)  
FEUD  
FOCUS  
GAOL  
GESTURE  
GIGGLE  
GLOVES

GORGEIOUS  
GYNAECOLOGIST  
HIATUS  
HIDEOUS  
HIGH x HEIGHT  
HONEST, HONOUR  
HOTEL  
INNATE  
INSECTICIDE  
INSIST  
ISLAND x ICELAND;  
ISLE OF ..., ISLET a little one  
ISSUE  
ITINERARY  
KNIGHT  
LAUGH(TER)  
LEAD (UNLEADED PETROL)  
LEICESTER  
LIEUTENANT  
LONGING  
MARGARINE  
MARGIN, -AL  
MASSAGE  
MEDIA, to MEDIATE x IMMEDIATE  
MELEE  
MOUSTACHE  
NAPLES  
NATION x NATIONAL  
NATURE x NATURAL  
the NOBEL Prize

NOVEL

to OCCUR, OCCURRENCE

OBSTINATE

OPPORTUNITY

ORCHARD

OVEN

to OWN; my OWN

PARENT

PARTICULAR

PATIO

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

PERCHANCE

PERSON x PERSONAL x PERSONNEL

PHTHISIS

PICTURESQUE

PLAGUE

PNEUMATIC DRILL

PNEUMONIA

POLL

POSSESSION

a PREFACE to a book

PRICE cost x PRIZE award

PRIORITY

PROBLEM

PSORIASIS

PSYCHIATRY, -IST

PSYCHOLOGY, -IST

PURCHASE

QUEUE

REHEARSAL, TO REHEARSE

ROGUE x ROUGE  
SALMON  
SCARCE, -LY  
SCENE, SCENERY  
SCHEME  
SCHIZOPHRENIA, -IC  
SCIATICA  
SCYTHE x SCATHE (to escape unscathed)  
to SEPARATE x SEPARATE (adj.) lives  
to SEVER = separate x SEVERE cold  
SHOT x SHOOT  
SIEVE  
SINGER  
SUBTLE  
SUCCESS  
SUICIDE  
SURFACE  
SURVEILLANCE  
SURVEY  
SWEAT x SWEET, SWEATER  
SWORD  
TARGET  
TEAR-TORE-TORN as opposed to crying TEARS  
TECHNICAL  
THEATRICAL  
THEIR  
THOROUGH – THOROUGHLY –  
THOROUGHFARE  
THROUGH  
THROUGHOUT

THRILLER - TRAILER  
TOBACCO  
TOMB RAIDER  
TROUGH  
20th – PRETTIER – the LOVELIEST  
UNIVERSITY  
URGE, URGENT  
a USE x to USE, an ABUSE x to ABUSE  
VALLEY x WALLET x VALET  
VEGETABLE  
VENEREAL  
VENOM, -OUS (poison, -ous)  
VENOUS (e.g. intravenous, into the vein)  
VENUS planet  
VISCOUNT  
VOYAGE  
VINEYARD  
WEIRD  
WICKED  
WIND – WOUND - WOUND  
WOMB  
WORRIED  
WOUND  
XENOPHOBIA