**ER 8.1 *Describing pronunciation differences***

Listen to these different pronunciations. The first is always RP, the second AusE. In one case, there are three pronunciations: RP, Cockney, AusE in that order. One of the examples focuses on intonation.

(1) *father*

(2) *pen*

(3) *wanted*

(4) *butter*

(5) *I’d like to live here*

Here are descriptions of what AusE has done in these examples, in relation to RP. Associate the descriptions with each example. You may find it useful here to refer back to ER 5.1 (*Sounds, and /fəʊnetɪk skrɪpt*/).

(a) a difference in the vowel in an unstressed syllables

(b) a long back vowel changed to a long front one (‘fronting’)

(c) a ‘high rise terminal’ (HRT) intonation pattern.

(d) intervocalic voicing

(e) vowel raising

**The matchings:**

1 – b; 2 – e; 3 – a; 4 – d; 5 – c.