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| Exercise 2.8.1 ARTICULATION DRILLS |

Play with these phrases speaking them rapidly and lightly… ‘trippingly on the tongue.’ See how many you can do on one breath.

1. A big black bug bit a big black bear, made the big black bear bleed blood.
2. A dozen Black & Decker Dustbusters
3. abominable abdominals
4. abominable mambo
5. alabaster balusters
6. alluvial bivalve
7. aluminum linoleum/aluminium linoleum
8. angry banker anchored in Bangor
9. begging beguilingly
10. begrudging curmudgeon
11. belonging longer
12. beveled vestibule
13. bigger buggies
14. bleached cherubs
15. bodega bodega
16. charming bachelor Chuck
17. charting challenging channels
18. Chichester witches
19. choose orange shoes
20. Christian churches
21. Culligan and calla lily
22. curiously obscure procurer
23. dapper dabber
24. deliver shriveled devils
25. depth and breadth
26. deranged avenger
27. divulging bulging bilges
28. did you, would you, could you
29. don't you, won't you, can't, you
30. dormant humidors
31. drinking ink
32. Dwight wouldn't dwell with a dozen wooden dwarves
33. eight great gray geese grazing gaily in Greece
34. eleven benevolent elephants
35. enthusiastic Thucydides
36. excuse the askew skewers
37. filly fully folly
38. fixed perspectives
39. fluffy finches flying fast
40. Frank threw Fred three free throws.
41. Freddie's friend Eddie phoned for Freddie to fetch fresh fruit from the farm of the famous French farmer.
42. French-fried falafel
43. gather feathers
44. generous German managers
45. giggle gaggle
46. Gigi seizes Genet
47. glazier's glacier, grazier's glacier
48. go-kart cargoes of take-out tacos
49. gorgeous Georgia's jargon
50. gouging grouchy Gauchos
51. handle dandelion
52. Heather's hat has ten thousand feathers.
53. How many mahogany and mohair hassocks has Hermione?
54. huge humans humorously hued
55. humorous rumors
56. inimically mimicking
57. involved Volvo lovers
58. Italian William
59. keep on peeking, creeping peeper
60. kickle cackle
61. kinky cookie
62. lemon liniment
63. limited ability
64. linger longer
65. literally literary
66. long, long ago
67. Martin met a mob of marching munching monkeys.
68. marvelous larvae
69. measure regimes
70. minimal animal
71. mixed biscuits
72. mommala poppala
73. moving Vermont
74. murmur rumors
75. necessary accessories
76. nervous Vern's weird red vest
77. new venue's revenue
78. Paddy had a deadened haddock in the paddock.
79. paper poppy, baby bubble
80. Parisian's pleasurable persuasions
81. peculiarly brilliant Italian stallion
82. peculiarly perverted viper
83. Peggy Babcock
84. perhaps happy hippies
85. philological ability
86. rapid rabid rabbit
87. red leather, yellow leather
88. red river rivalry
89. remembered dismembering
90. richest challenge
91. rubber baby buggy bumpers
92. Sarah's rising sighs and writhing thighs
93. sloppily sipping purple slurpees
94. strange Indian hinges
95. strategy tragedy
96. teases Terry's teary thesis theories
97. the bootblack brought the black book back
98. the thorn had torn through
99. three tethered teething things
100. Topeka, Topeka, Topeka
101. toy boat
102. twanging language
103. unique New York
104. urgent juror
105. usual casual users of usurers
106. Vanna wooed a voodoo man
107. vibrantly verbal Bavarian
108. we'll wail at the whale
109. while her withers wither with her
110. whither which way
111. wicked wicket victim
112. will you, William
113. Willie's villa
114. winging to England
115. wooden dwarves
116. wooden noodle
117. wrong rung wringing
118. you go with Hugo
119. you knew Hugh
120. Youmans' menu/humans: men