

## Speaking More Than One Language Could Sharpen Your Brain

### Phonetics

actually	/'æktʃʊəlɪ/
capacity	/kə'pæsɪtɪ/
comparatively	/kəm'pærətɪvɪ/
consistently	/kən'sɪstəntɪ/
efficiently	/'ɪfɪʃəntɪ/
equip	/'kwɪp/
expertise	/,ekspə'ti:z/
Houston	/'hju:st(ə)n/
Illinois	/,ɪlɪ'nɔɪ/
imaging	/'ɪmɪdʒɪŋ/
inhibition	/,ɪnhɪ'bɪʃ(ə)n/
magnetic	/mæg'netɪk/
mixture	/'mɪkstʃə/
resonance	/'rezənəns/
scenario	/sɪ'na:riəʊ/
sharpen	/'ʃɑ:pən/
simultaneously	/,sɪmə'lteɪniəsɪ/
solely	/'səʊli/
tackle	/'tækl/

### The Secret to Learning a Foreign Language as an Adult

adult	/'ædʌlt/
allow	/ə'laʊ/
ambitious	/æm'bɪʃəs/
CEO	/tʃi:f ɪg'zekjʊtɪv 'ɒfɪsə/
entertaining	/,entə'teɪnɪŋ/
environment	/'ɪnvaɪərənmənt/
essay	/e'seɪ/
facial	/'feɪʃəl/
hopefully	/'həʊpfulɪ/
inevitably	/'ɪn'evɪtəblɪ/
manage	/'mænɪdʒ/
muscle	/'mʌsl/

refuse	/rɪ'fjuːz, 'refjuːs/
starve	/stɑːv/
surprisingly	/sə'praɪzɪŋli/
swear	/swɛə <sup>r</sup> /
swore	/swɔː(r)/
technique	/tek'niːk/
tiny	/'taɪni/