

Tongue Twisters: Rabhlóg Casfhocal

Tongue twisters are sentences or a series of words that are difficult to say (especially if you try to say them quickly!). They can be used as a fun way to practice pronunciation when you're learning a new language.

This is a tongue twister in Amharic, one of the most widely spoken languages in Ethiopia:

Be bug bate, bug geba.

It means 'in the sheep house, the sheep go in.' You can watch this [video](#) to hear how to pronounce it. Now you try! How many times can you say 'Be bug bate, bug geba'?

Now try the ones below in English or Irish:

ENGLISH: This is Stu. Stu chews shoes. But if Stu chews shoes, should Stu choose the shoes he chews?



IRISH: Cheannaigh cailín cliste ceanúil ciste (a clever, affectionate girl bought a cake).



Make a video/recording of you trying to pronounce these tongue twisters, or come up with your own one in another language! Send them to us on social or via email, for the chance to feature in our Global Goal Getters online children's magazine. You can send your email to: ourworld@realnation.ie