

## The Russian Alphabet

<i>Russian Letter</i>	<i>Pronunciation</i>	<i>English Pronunciation</i>
А а	Ah	a in car and father
Б б	Beh	b in bit and book
В в	Veh	v in vine and vote
Г г	Geh	g in go and good
Д д	Deh	d in day
Е е	Yeh	ye in yet and yes
Е ё	Yo	yo in yonder, yolk and yoyo
Ж ж	Zheh	zh as in pleasure, gender and June
З з	Zeh	z in zoo and zest
И и	Ee (E)	ee in see and meet
Й й	Ee Kratkoye	y in boy
К к	Kah	k in kitten and kind
Л л	El (L)	l in lamp and life
М м	Em (M)	m in my and map
Н н	En (N)	n in not and nut
О о	Oh (O)	o in hot
П п	Peh	p in pot and pet
Р р	Er	trilled r (like Scottish r)
С с	Es (S)	s in see and sound
Т т	Teh	t in tip
У у	Oo	oo in boot
Ф ф	Ef	f in face
Х х	Kha	Similar to the "ch" in Scottish "loch" and in the German "ich"
Ц ц	Tseh	ts in sits
Ч ч	Cheh	ch in chip and charter
Ш ш	Sha	sh in shut and shy
Щ щ	Shchya	"sh" in sheep and the combination of "sh" and "ch" in fresh cheese
Ъ ъ	Tvyordiy znak	Symbol (hard sign)
Ы ы	Ee	Similar to the i in ill
Ь ь	Myakheeh znak	Symbol (soft sign)
Э э	Eh	e in met
Ю ю	Yoo (You)	u in use, you
Я я	Yah	ya in yard

