

G Sound Words: Lists by Position, Typical Ages, and How to Practice at Home

What age do kids learn the G sound?

Age band	What's typical for G
12 to 18 months	G may not appear yet at all. This is normal.
2 to 2.5 years	G is often inconsistent, sometimes swapped for D ("go" becomes "doh").
2.5 to 4 years	Most children have mastered G in most words by the end of this range.
5 years and up	G should be clear and consistent across most speech.

G words by position: start, middle, and end

G at the start

go
goat
gum
gate
girl
game
green
goose
gift
goodbye
garden

G in the middle

wagon
tiger
finger
frogs
bigger
wiggle
puppy's
alligator
dragon
hungry

G at the end

dog
bag

pig
frog
leg
bug
egg
hug
rug
flag