

Hebrew Consonants

<i>Sound</i>	<i>Book Print</i>	<i>Hebrew Letter Name</i>
It is a silent letter and vowel carrier . It only makes the sound of the vowel it is carrying.	א	Aleph
Says 'b' with the dot like in the word <i>boy</i> .	בּ	Beit
Says 'v' without the dot like in the word <i>van</i> .	ב	Veit
Says 'g' like in the word <i>green</i> .	ג	Gimel
Says 'd' like in the word <i>dog</i> .	ד	Dalet
Says 'h' like in the word <i>heart</i> .	ה	Hey

Says 'v' like in the word
*v*ase.

ו

Vav

Says 'z' like in the word
zipper.

ז

Zayin

Says 'ch' like in the end
of the word *Bach*.

ח

Cheit

Says 't' like in the word
*t*ooth.

ט

Teit

Says 'y' like in the word
*y*ear.

י

Yod

Says 'k' **with the dot**
like in the word *k*itten.

כ

Kaf

Says 'kh' **without the
dot** like in the end of
the word *Bach*.

כ

Khaf

ך

Khaf Soft

Says the 'L' sound like
in the word *lion*.

ל

Lamed

Says the 'm' sound like
in the word *monkey*.

מ

Mem

ם

Mem Sofit

Says the 'n' sound like
in the word *night*.

נ

Nun

ן

Nun Sofit

Says 's' like in the word
snake.

ס

Samech

It is a **silent letter** and
vowel carrier. It only
makes the sound of the
vowel it is carrying.

ע

Ayin

Says 'p' **with the dot**
like in the word *p*ickles.

פּ

Pey

Says 'f' **without the dot**
like in the word *f*rog.

פ

Fey

ף

Fey Sofit

Says 'ts' like in the
middle of the word
*p*izza or at the end of
the word *n*uts.

ץ צ

Tsade

Says 'k' like in the word
*k*ite.

ק

Koph

Says 'r' like in the
French word *merci*. It's
a sound made in the
back of the throat.

ר

Reish

Says 'sh' **with the dot**
above the right arm
like in the word *s*hip.

שׂ

Shin

Sin

Says 's' **with the dot on**
above the left arm like
in the word *s*ink.

שׁ

Says 't' like in the word
*t*oy.

ת

Tav