## **Consonant to Vowel Linking**

| "In_and_out"                                 | • "i na nout" (the /d/ is dropped)        |
|--|---|
| "Such_a nice_evening."                       | ➤ "Su cha ni cevening"                    |
| "Is_Alvin_over there?                        | ▶ "I zalvi nover there?"                  |
| "I'm_already there."                         | "I malready there."                       |
| "My goal is to travel around America."       | ► My goa lis to trave laroun dAmerica.    |
| "Can I sing a song in our accounting class?" | Canl si nga so ngi nou raccounting class? |

1. ▶ To get\_a taste\_of your\_own medicine.

(harsh or unpleasant treatment that is like the treatment you have given other people)

2. A blessing\_in disguise.

(something that seemed negative at first, but actually had a positive effect)

3. ► To walk\_on\_eggshells

(to be very careful about what you say or do, usually to avoid angering someone)

4. ▶ Once\_in\_a blue moon

(rarely)

5. To have a chip on your shoulder.

(to have an angry or unpleasant attitude or way of behaving caused by a belief that you have been treated unfairly in the past)

6. ► To have \_a lot \_on one's plate

(to be very busy, even overwhelmed, due to having a lot of tasks and responsibilities)

7. ► To call\_it\_a day.

(To stop an activity for the rest of the day)

8. ▶ To get\_up\_on the wrong side\_of the bed.

(To start the day in a bad temper or with a poor attitude)

```
Tiff: Hi, can_I speak to Miss_Ella Martinez, please?
Jae: Sorry, she's_in_a meeting. Can_I take_a message?
Tiff: Sure. My name_is Tiff Markova. I'm_interested_in the job_opening she posted_on Sunday.
Jae: Okay. What's your number?
Tiff: Five-five-five seven_eight-four_eight.
Jae: Okay, she'll call you back.
Tiff: Thank you!
```

## **Consonant to Consonant Linking**

- 1. I'm majoring in natural sciences at Baruch College.
- 2. I like to breathe the fresh air.
- 3.I bought both things: the antique clock and the antique glass.
- 4. Stop pushing!
- 5. I need some money to buy her a big gift.
- 6. Call Laura right away; here's her phone number.
- 7. I feel like cleaning.
- 8. I miss Sue; I wish she were here.
- 9. We both thought that the job began next week, but we were wrong.
- 10. The path through the park could be longer.
- 11. Is that the same man who gave you a hundred dollars?
- 12. This site has many misspelled words.
- 13. I speak Korean not Japanese.
- 14. I'll look for a good deal at the store.
- 15. I've visited Dallas before.
- 16. I'd do it if Frank called me.