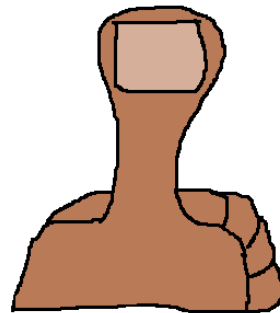


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Psalm 115:1

"<sup>1</sup> Not to us, LORD, not to us  
but to your name be the glory,  
because of your love and faithfulness." (NIV)

Psalm 45:1

"<sup>1</sup> My heart is stirred by a noble theme  
as I recite my verses for the king;  
my tongue is the pen of a skillful writer." (NIV)

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**God's Digraph Sound Series**

This book teaches the 2 TH Digraph sounds.

TH that makes the sound "th" as in "the"  
and TH that makes the sound "th" as in  
"thumb."

The word "digraph" has 2 parts: "di" meaning 2 and "graph" meaning written.

A "digraph" means there are 2 written letters that make 1 spoken sound.

It also teaches the 3 Homophones:  
"there", "their," and "they're" with  
their definitions.

Homophones are words that sound the  
same, but are spelled differently and  
have different meanings.

# Why The Thumb IS Up for Christ way?

Well, YOU'VE got to live your life in  
a way,

so that GOD CAN give you HIS  
Thumbs Up!

You've got to OBEY HIM in all that  
you do.

He CAN help you in EVERYTHING,  
but YOU have to take ACTION too!

You've got to be diligent.  
Doing your BEST in all of your  
work.

God can show you how,  
but there are some things you  
cannot shirk.



He CAN teach you an EASIER -  
BETTER way.

There will be NO LIMITS on you,  
because YOU CAN DO  
ALL THINGS through CHRIST who  
STRENGTHENS you!

If you need a way to remember the 2  
forms of digraph TH,  
the position of the tongue comes into play.

Just remember, "The Thumb IS Up for Christ!"

It will help you in every way.

The TH sound as in "THE" tends to slightly flick the tip of the tongue at the **BACK** of the teeth.

In words like:

this, that, they, then, and these

also,

than, those, and them,

and also, the 3 forms of:

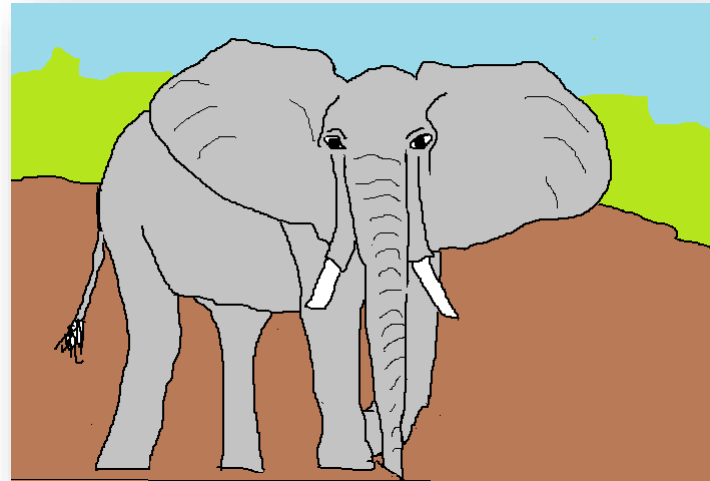
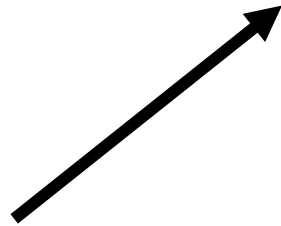
their, there, and they're,

if you please.

There means whatever it is - it exists or it's in a particular place "over there."

There is an elephant.

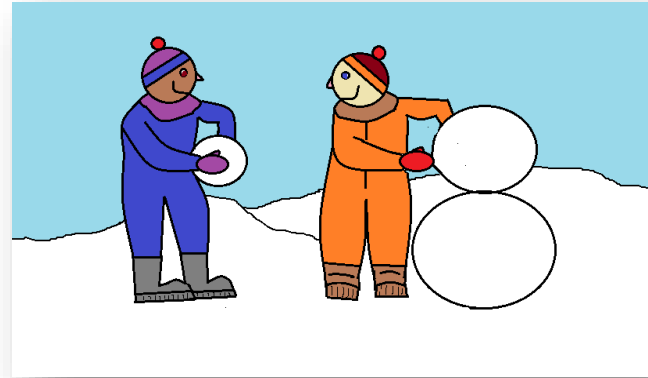
OR



There is an elephant over there.

“Their,” means it’s a possessive form -

“It’s their snowman.”



OR

“Their shirts are brown.”



They're is a contraction

or shortened form for they are.

You can use those 3 forms all over town.

Then TH is also used in the MIDDLE  
of family words like:

mother, father,  
grandmother, grandfather,  
and brother.



It's used in directional words like:

Southern and Northern.

It's used in words like:

bathe, wither, clothe, tithe,  
soothe, and other.

Now, TH in THUMB is pronounced differently.

The tongue in these words makes the tip of the tongue come OUT just slightly.

At the BEGINNING of words like:

thick, thin, third, thank, thing,

and think,

in thaw, throw, theme, thigh,

and thump,

rightly.

In the MIDDLE of words like:

ethnic, something, and everything,

and in ethic, birthright, and unethical

- it can obviously be heard.

In words like:

apathy, anthem, and Timothy.

TH as in thumb  
is **ALSO** in the **MIDDLE** of  
the word.

We also hear it at the END of words  
related to humans like:

birthth, breathth, youthth, toothth,

and teethth,

and others like:

mouthth, bothth, withth, healthth,

and bathth...

...and other words like:

booth, truth, worth, earth,  
and cloth,

month, north, south, faith, wealth,  
and path.

TH is at the END of ordinal  
counting words like:

fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh,

eighth, ninth,

tenth, eleventh, twelfth, and  
thirteenth.



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

Then it continues with higher numbers with 0,4,5,6,7,8, and 9 in the one's place.

It also appears in other Math words like:

worth, width, and length.

As you memorize these

- The Thumb IS Up for Christ way -

you'll become a TH ACE!

If you need help with learning and reading God CAN help you.  
Let us pray.

Just say, Lord Jesus the Christ,  
I've made so many mistakes I must confess.  
I repent of them now and turn from them.  
I no longer want that mess.

Lord Jesus, I believe you are the Son of God  
and believe in your resurrection.  
I want to be a child of God  
and receive your love and affection.

Lord Jesus the Christ, be my Savior.  
Come into my heart.  
Cleanse me now of all unrighteousness  
and give me a brand-new start.

I ask for the baptism of the Holy Spirit  
and the baptism by Holy fire too.  
I WANT to be changed and to do the RIGHT things  
I need help from you.

Please help me to read, write, and do my math.  
I want to start learning today.  
I want my life to take a turn  
and start in a whole new way.

Thank you, Lord Jesus, for helping me to learn.  
I KNOW you can help make my ability,  
greater than anyone ever imagined  
and bring back my self-respect and dignity.

I ask this in the name of the Lord Jesus the Christ.  
I say "Amen" and make it sure.  
Now I'll start learning the RIGHT way.  
I KNOW Lord Jesus, YOU are the door.

AMEN!

Now get and read a Bible,  
and be baptized by immersion.

To your sins do not return.

You're on a new lifetime excursion!

Give GOD ALL of the GLORY!

Give HIM all of the PRAISE!

Remember, YOU CAN DO

ALL THINGS through CHRIST who

STRENGTHENS you!

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